



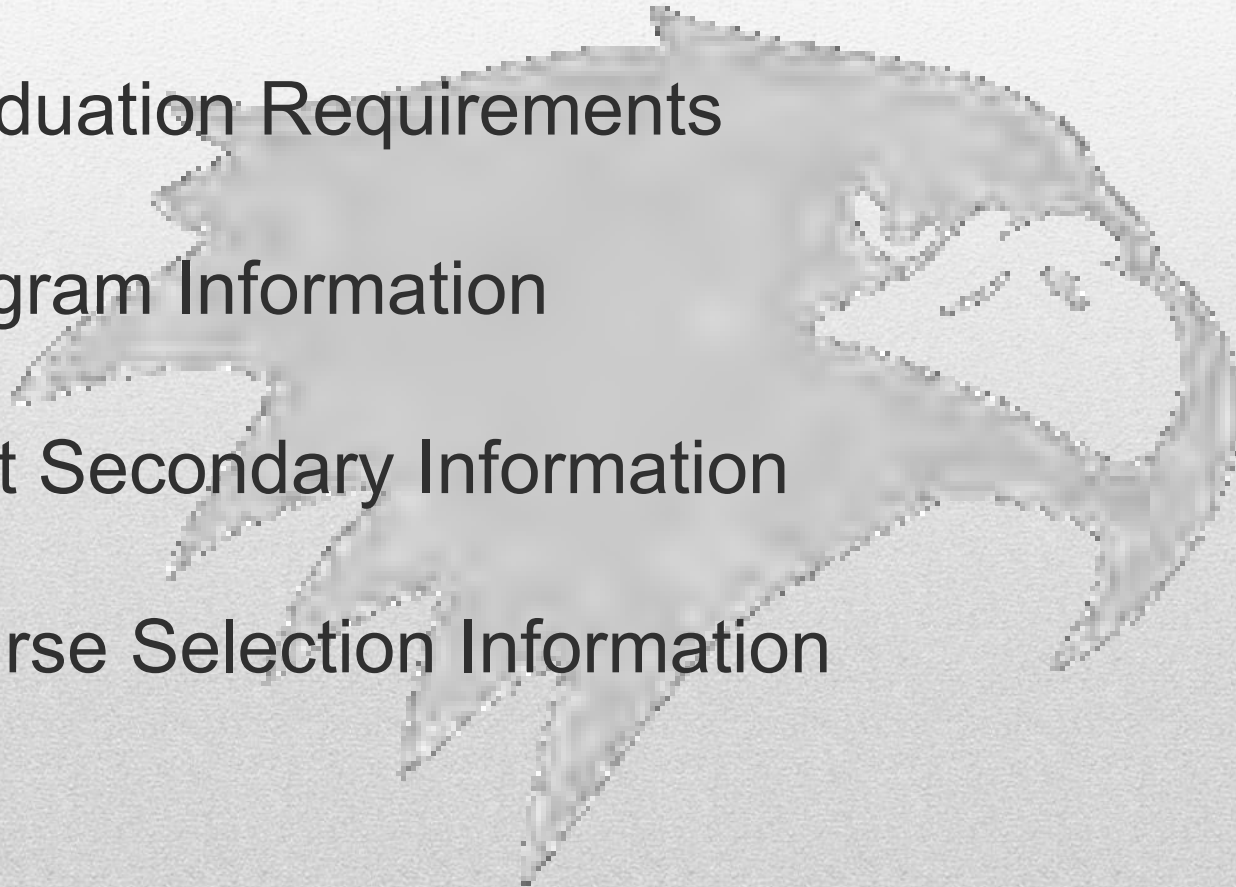
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secondary school

Course Planning 2018/19

Agenda



- Looking Forward to 2018/19
- Graduation Requirements
- Program Information
- Post Secondary Information
- Course Selection Information

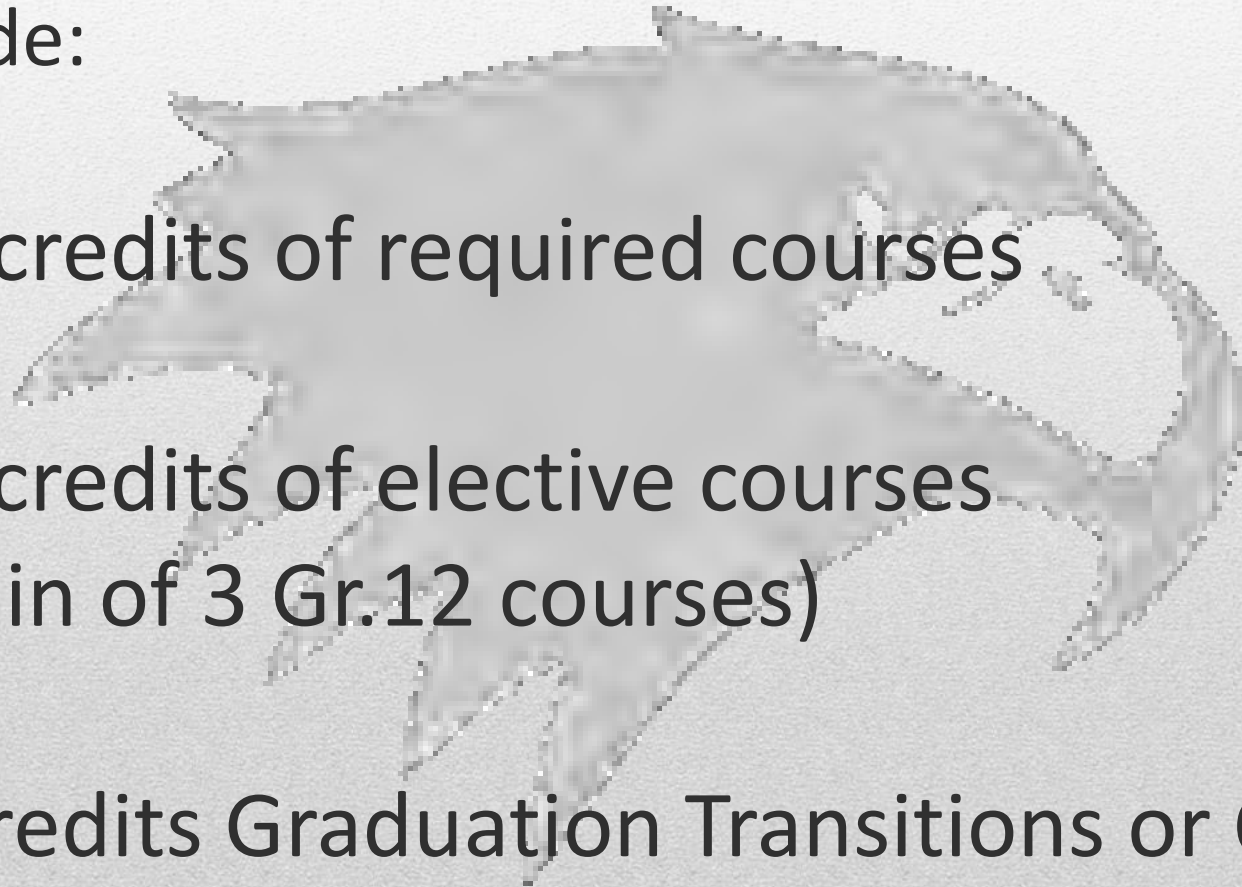


What You Need to Graduate



The 2018 Graduation program requirements include:

- 48 credits of required courses
- 28 credits of elective courses
(min of 3 Gr.12 courses)
- 4 credits Graduation Transitions or CLC



Grade 10 Courses



- Planning 10
- Language Arts 10 (English 10 or English 10H)
- Math 10 (Foundations of Math 10* or AW Math 10*)
- Social Studies 10
- Science 10
- Physical Education 10

* Numeracy Exam

Total Credits /24

Grade 11 Required Courses



- **Language Arts 11** (Eng 11, AP Eng 11)
- **Social Studies 11 or 12*** (One of 6 options)
- **Mathematics 11: One of...**
 - Workplace 11
 - Foundations of Math 11
 - Pre-calculus Math 11
- **Science 11: One of...**
 - Physics 11
 - Biology 11
 - Chemistry 11
 - Earth Science 11

Total Credits /16

Grade 12 Required Courses



- **Language Arts 12**

- English 12 or Communications 12 or AP Eng.

- *2019 Grads-Provincial Exam (60% Class 40% Exam)

- *2020 Grads- Literacy Exam

- **Fine Arts or Applied Skill 10, 11 or 12**

- **Graduation Transitions 12** (2019 Grads)

- Life Connections** (2020 Grads)

Elective Credits



- Students must earn at least 28 elective credits from Grade 10 to 12 courses (min. 3 Gr. 12 courses).
- Students choose courses based on future plans and interests.
- **MINIMUM CREDITS = 80**
Preferred at 88+ Credits

Choices?



- Graduating in B.C. schools will look different for each student:
 - Apprenticeship programs:
 - Youth Train in Trades- April 1st deadline
 - Youth Work in Trades
 - Work Experience
 - External Credits
 - Distributed Learning (online)
 - Post secondary Course (Xcel at Kwantlen)
 - In School Courses

Youth Train in Trades



Auto Service Technician at ACSS 1 semester + July	Tuesday, March 6/18 6:30 PM at ACSS	Trades Tour Wed., Feb 28, 2018 8:15 – 3:00 PM
Carpentry at ACSS 1 semester + July	Tuesday, March 6/18 6:30 PM at ACSS	Trades Tour Wed., Feb 28, 2018 8:15 – 3:00 PM
Electrical Foundation with BCIT's satellite Campus at DW Poppy 1 semester + July	Wed., March 14/18 6:30 – 7:30PM – BCIT's satellite campus at DW Poppy Secondary	Thursday, Dec 14/17 9:00 – 11:00 AM (Postponed) Tuesday, Feb 20/18 Time TBA
Hairstylist at ACSS 2 semesters	Tuesday, March 6/18 6:30 PM at ACSS	Hairstylist Workshop Wed. Dec 13/17 9:30 – 11:15AM Open House – Thursday, Mar 1/18 – 1:00–3:00 PM
Horticulture Apprenticeship Program with KPU Langley Campus	KPU Horticulture Open House – Feb 15/18 6:30 – 8:00 Room 1030	KPU hosts regular info sessions. For more information please contact: www.kpu.ca/hort 604.599.3422
Piping/Plumbing at Langley Secondary 2 semesters	Piping Info Session Wed., March 7/18 LSS Rm 95 6:30 – 8:00	Trades Tour Wed., Feb 28, 2018 8:15 – 3:00 PM Piping Hands-on Open House Mon. April 16/18 12:30 – 2:30PM
Professional Cook with VCC at Walnut Grove Sec. Sept – June	Wed., Feb 28/18 WGSS Cafeteria 6:30 – 8:00	Student Workshop Thurs. Jan 25/18 2:00 – 3:30PM

External Credits



- Credits earned outside of the school program
 - Examples:
 - Life Guarding
 - Music (Royal Conservatory)
 - Athletic (Competing on Provincial and National Teams)
 - Drivers Education
- For more information go to:
“External Credits” on the BC Ministry of Education website

Post Secondary Courses



Langley and Kwantlen Polytechnic XCEL program:

- Students in Grade 12 can apply to take one or two courses at the KPU Langley campus.
- Requirements:
 - “B” in Eng 11, SS 11 and Math or Science 11

Planning Gr 11 and Gr 12



Things to consider before choosing your courses:

- *What do you want to do? Where do you want to go?*
- **At Poppy we have resources:**
 - Counsellors: Ms. Hadley (A-L) & Ms. Blount (M-Z)
 - Career Advisor: Ms. Czuprynski (Mon, Wed, Thurs)
 - myBlueprint, EducationPlannerBC

Post secondary Information



- In BC we have **TRADITIONAL POST SECONDARY SCHOOLS:**
- UBC, UVIC, SFU, TWU
 - These schools have specific requirements for admissions to all programs
 - **ONLY ONE DOOR** for Admissions

Comprehensive School

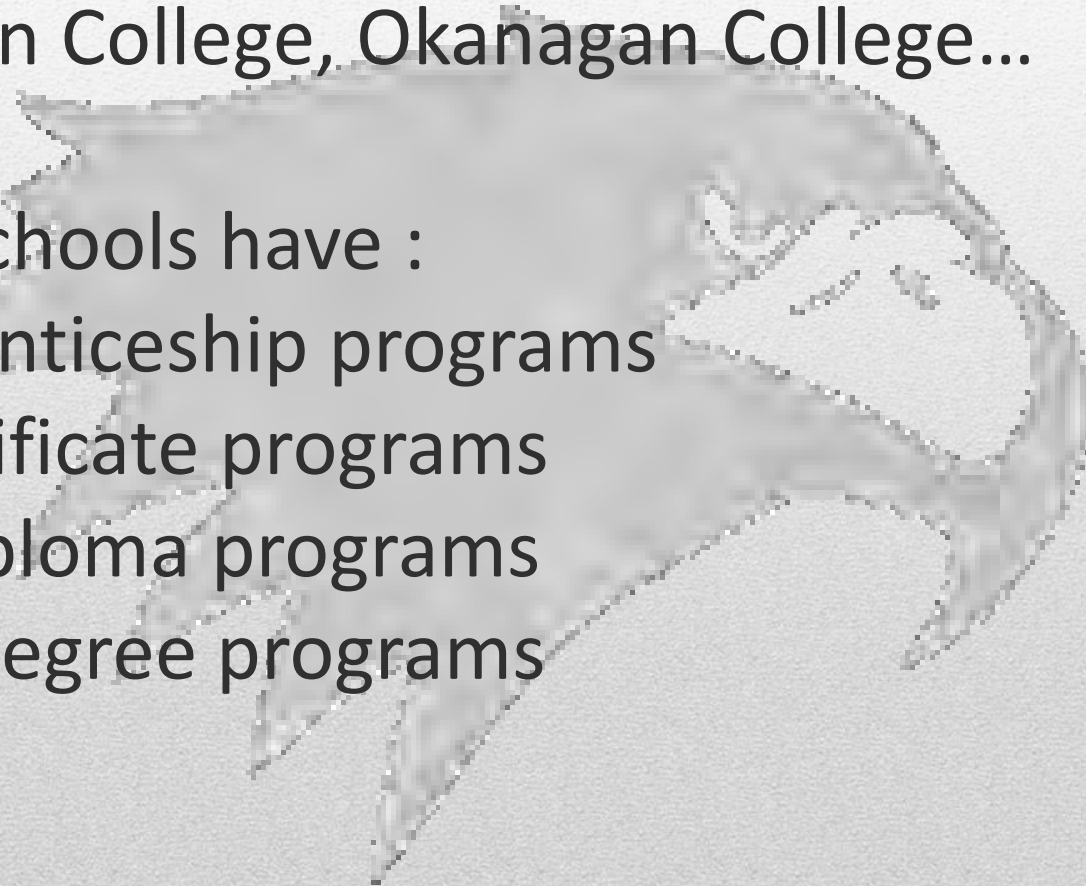


- UFV, KPU, VIU, TRU, UNBC
 - These schools have two doors for entrance:
 - Degree Programs that have specific requirements and GPAs
 - Other programs that are similar to College Entrance
 - Apprenticeship Programs
 - Certificate Programs
 - Diploma Programs

Colleges



- Douglas College, Langara College, Camosun College, Okanagan College...
- These schools have :
 - Apprenticeship programs
 - Certificate programs
 - Diploma programs
 - Degree programs



Which School is Best?



- There is no “best school”.
- Check out the SFU booklet:
“All universities and colleges are good”.
- Finding the best fit is the biggest challenge.

Where Do I Go?



- It is possible to start at one school and then apply to another.
- Some post secondary schools have agreements such as the SFU/Douglas Agreement. If accepted one can take courses at either campus.
- Many students may decide to start at a comprehensive school then apply to a larger, traditional school.
- Some students like to stay home and attend a local post secondary, others look forward to the opportunity to move away and spread their wings.

Post Secondary Lingo



- **Certificate Programs** – usually 8 to 10 months in length
 - Special Education Teaching Assistant, Legal Assistant, Event Planning...
- **Diploma Programs** – 2 year programs
 - Licensed Practical Nurse, Rehabilitation Assistant, Accounting programs

Post secondary Lingo



- **Associate Degree Programs**
 - Take 2 years to complete
 - Business Associate, Science, Arts ..
 - Can ladder into Degree Programs
- **Bachelor Degree or Undergraduate Degree Programs**
 - Take 4 – 5 years to complete
 - Arts, Sciences, Business, Engineering, Nursing...

Admissions



- Which secondary school courses do I need to be able to apply to a post secondary program?
- Each post secondary school will have specific requirements for different programs.
- The most **COMMON** programs secondary students apply to are: Arts, Sciences, Engineering, Business, Nursing

Languages



- **The most common question :**
 - *DO I NEED A LANGUAGE TO GRADUATE FROM SECONDARY SCHOOL OR TO ENTER POST SECONDARY?*
 - **THE ANSWERS:**
 - *NO FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL GRADUATION*
 - *MAYBE FOR POST SECONDARY**
- *UBC requires Language 11 & SFU Beginners Language 11 will count (Spanish, Japanese etc.)

Courses Approved for Post Secondary Admissions



Any AP Course	Chemistry 12
Physics 12	History 12
Pre-Calculus 12	Geography 12
English Literature 12	Geology 12
French 12	Biology 12
Law 12	Comparative Indigenous Peoples 12
Social Justice 12	Italian 12

The above is a sample of courses that can be used for most Admissions. **Always** check post secondary websites for lists of Courses that can be used for Admissions

Other Courses



- The following is a sample of courses can be used to meet Graduation requirements but MAY NOT be used for post secondary admissions.

Foods and Nutrition 12,	Computer 12 courses
Work Experience 12	Family Studies 12
Creative Writing 12	Physical Education 12
Marketing12, Entrepreneurship 12	Any Tech 12 course : Carpentry, Electrical, Automotive...
Band 12, Musical Theatre 12	Psychology 12

GPA?



- Your GPA or Admission Average is the average of the required courses for the program to which you are applying.
- English 12 is always part of your GPA.
- Depending on where you apply the post secondary will use 1, 2 or 3 other academic courses for your Admission Average.

What Is Required?

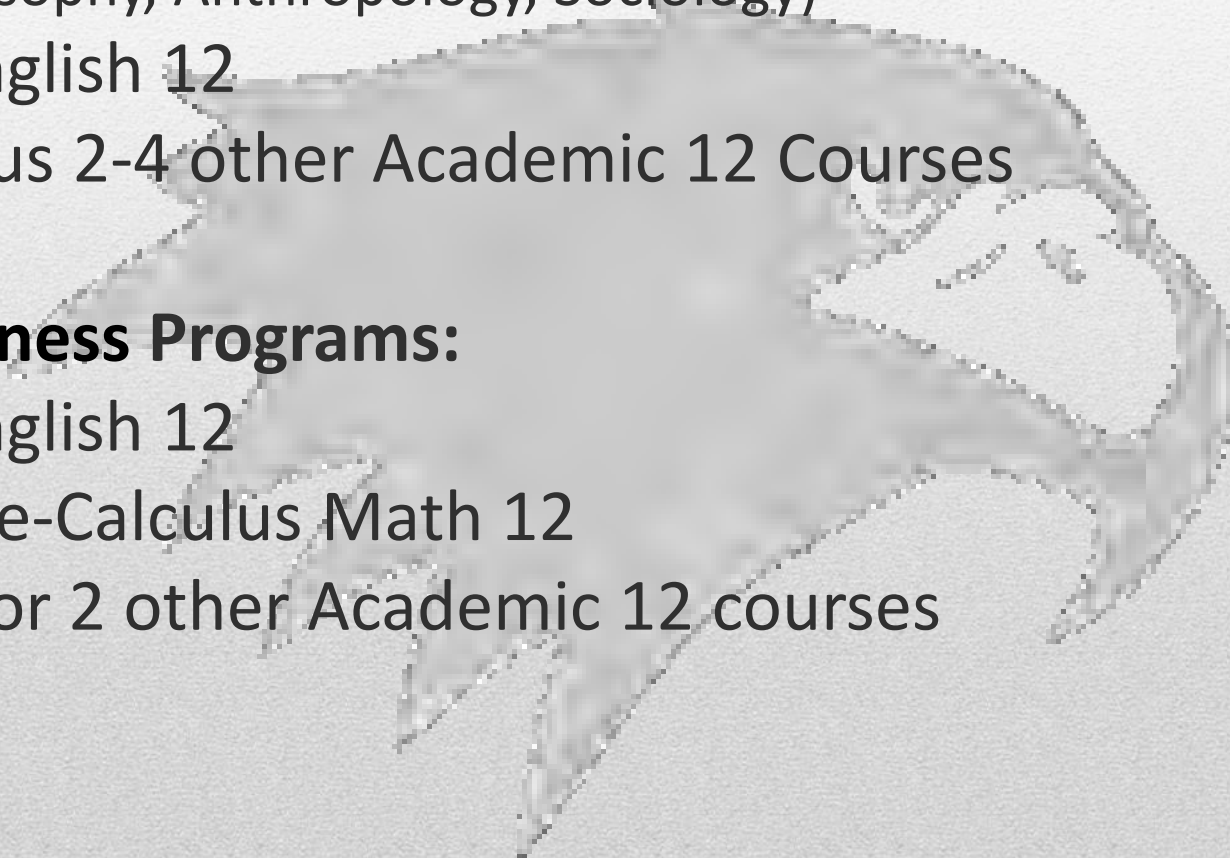


- **Science Programs always require:**
 - English 12
 - Pre-Calculus 11 and Pre-Calculus Math 12
 - Chemistry 11 and Physics 11 (recommended)
 - And one or two Science 12 courses
- **Engineering programs always require:**
 - English 12
 - Pre-Calculus 11 and Pre-Calculus Math 12
 - Chemistry 11 and Chemistry 12
 - Physics 11 and Physics 12

What is Required?



- **Arts programs:** (Include studying Psychology, History, Philosophy, Anthropology, Sociology)
 - English 12
 - Plus 2-4 other Academic 12 Courses
- **Business Programs:**
 - English 12
 - Pre-Calculus Math 12
 - 1 or 2 other Academic 12 courses

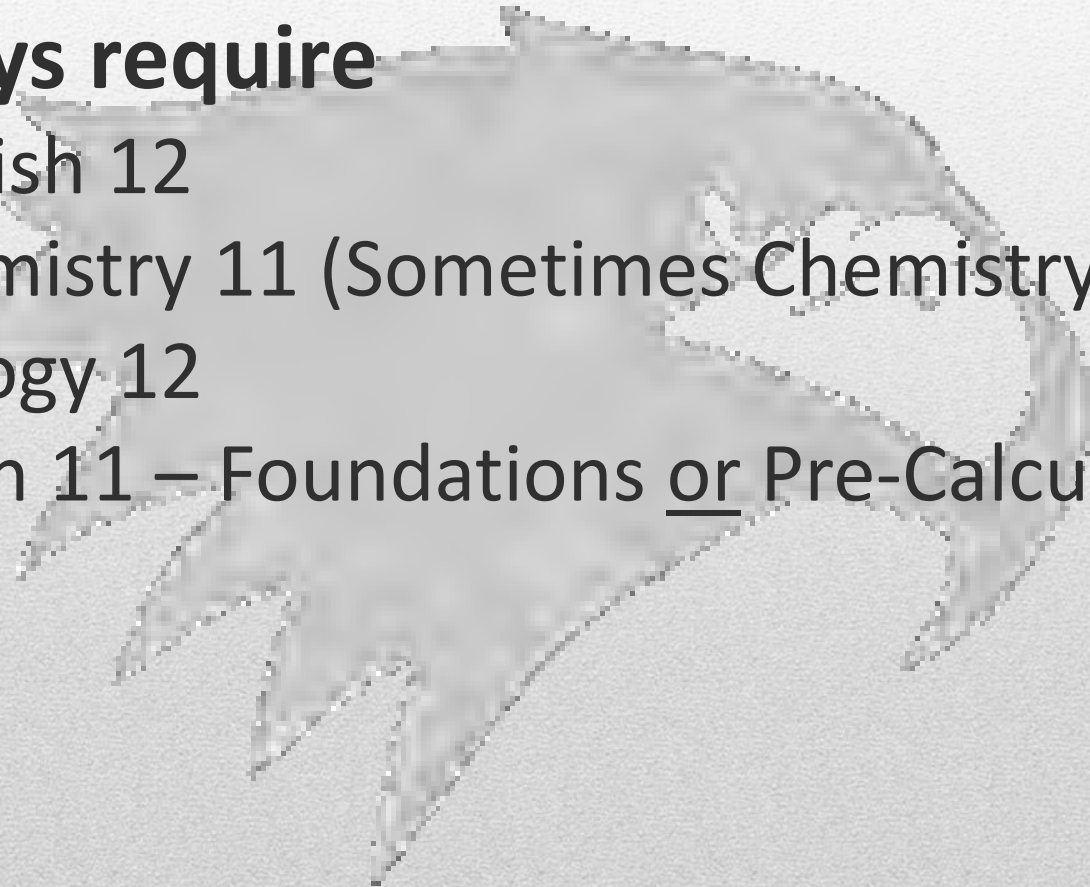


What is Required?



Nursing Programs:

- **Always require**
 - English 12
 - Chemistry 11 (Sometimes Chemistry 12)
 - Biology 12
 - Math 11 – Foundations or Pre-Calculus



Other Entrance Requirements

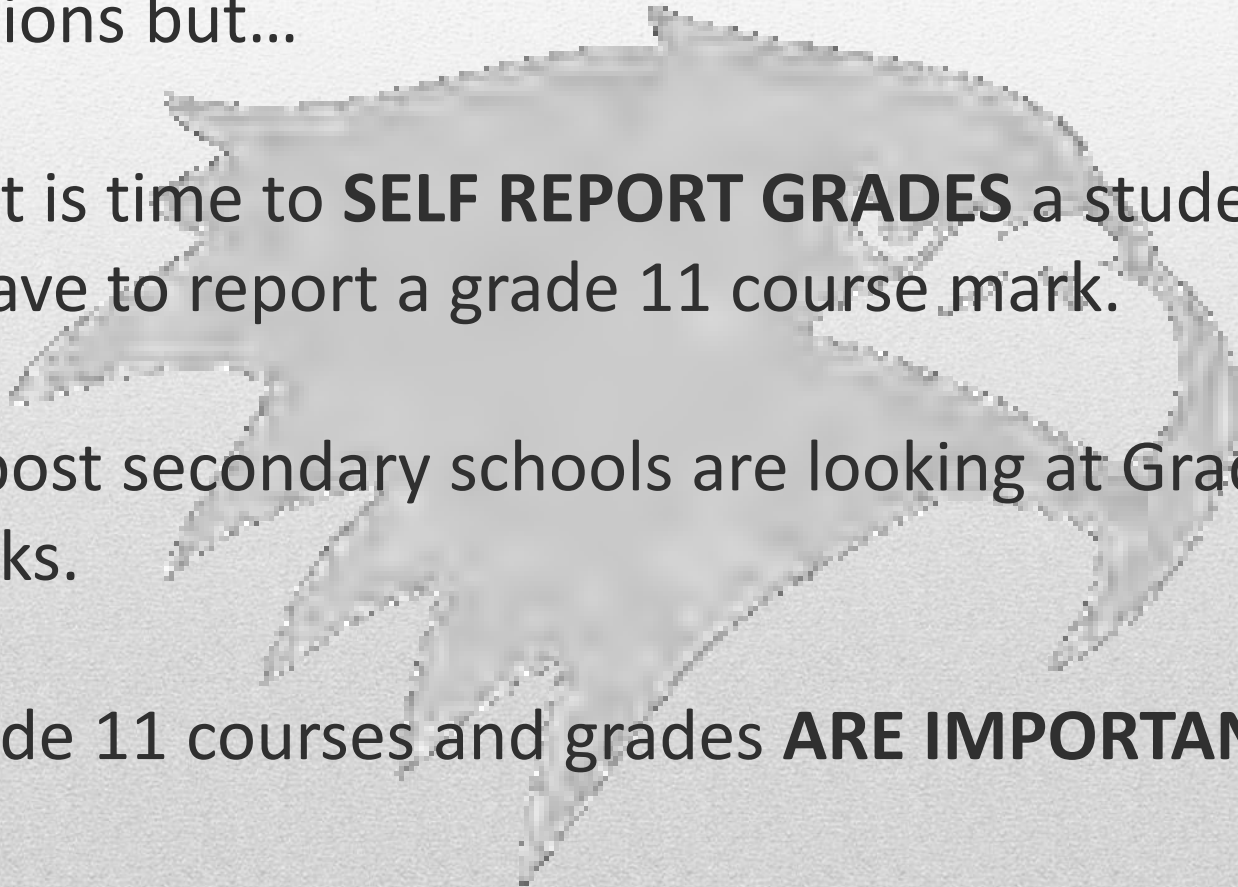


- Some post secondary schools and some programs within a post secondary will require students to submit Supplemental Applications.
- A Supplemental Application may be in the form of a “Personal Profile” (UBC) or a Broad Based Supplemental (SFU and UVIC) or an online interview (UBC Commerce)
- Always check websites for more information

Are Gr 11 courses important?



- Grade 11 course grades may not be required for Admissions but...
- When it is time to **SELF REPORT GRADES** a student may have to report a grade 11 course mark.
- Some post secondary schools are looking at Grade 11 marks.
- So, Grade 11 courses and grades **ARE IMPORTANT.**



Changing Requirements- ex. SFU

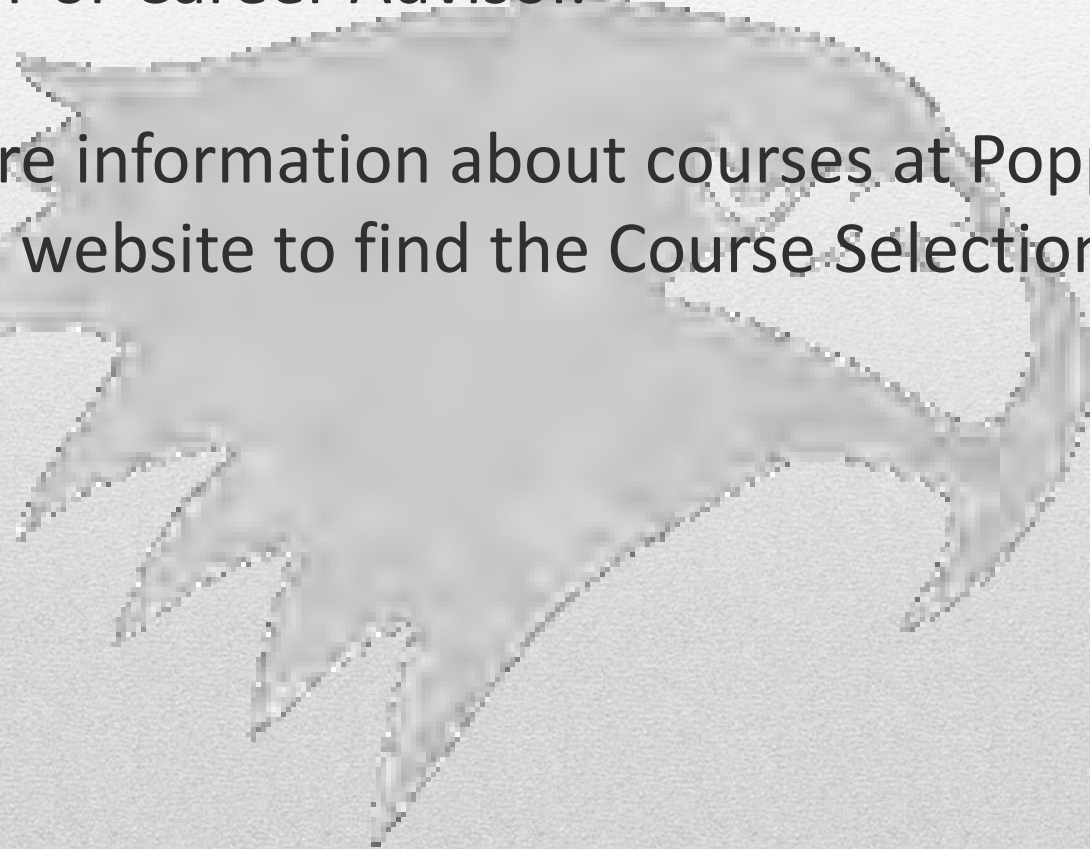


Current (Fall 2018)	Effective Fall 2019	Effective Fall 2020*
Required Grade 11 courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 11 • Science 11 • Language 11 • Math 11 	Required Grade 11 courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 11 • Science 11 • Language 11 • Math 11 	Required Grade 11 courses: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • English 11 • Science 11 • Language 11 • Math 11 • Social Studies 11 or 12
English 12 with a minimum final blended grade of 60%	English 12 with a minimum final blended grade of 70%	English Studies 12 with a minimum final grade of 70%
Minimum of 4 Grade 12 courses, including English 12, from SFU's approved course list	Minimum of 5 Grade 12 courses , including English 12, from SFU's approved course list.	Minimum of 5 Grade 12 courses, including English Studies 12, from SFU's approved course list.
Admission average based on 4 Grade 12 courses (including English 12) required by program	Admission evaluation based on all Grade 12 courses taken from SFU's approved course list.	Admission evaluation based on all Grade 11 and Grade 12 courses taken from SFU's approved course list.

Questions?



- Make an appointment with either your counsellor or Career Advisor.
- Need more information about courses at Poppy? Go to the website to find the Course Selection book.



Online Course Selection



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