

Grade 10 Plan for Success in Grade 11 and Beyond

Where are you now?

- Will you complete 20 community hours by June? You should aim to do at least 10 per year. Take a photo or copy for yourself then hand in the signed sheets to the main office each year.
- Will you have earned 16 credits by June? If not, see your guidance counsellor for a plan.
- What subjects are you most interested in and most successful at?
- Are you studying at the right level of difficulty? (College, University Mixed) Remember that all courses don't have to be taken at the same level.
- Are you participating in extracurricular activities at school or in the community?

Where are you going?

- All students are required to take grade 11 English and Math.
- What 6 elective courses are you interested in?
- At what levels should you be studying (college, university)?
- Have you started to think about careers? Do you know what training or education is required?
- Are you working towards a French immersion at graduation?

How will you get there?

- Research courses of interest at universities and colleges, or apprenticeship requirements.
- Use self-assessment tools such as Career Cruising to help determine your aptitudes and interests.
- Investigate program options such as co-op or a SHSM.
- Start researching the cost of college/university programs and planning with your family about financing this important investment in your future.
- Check the bulletin boards across from and in Student Services for information and opportunities on everything from community service to summer programs.
- Explore a career area and earn a credit with summer co-op.
- You could take a gr.12 course in gr. 11 with the proper prerequisite.
- Talk to teachers, parents and guidance counsellors about courses and programs.

References:

Information and prerequisites for Ontario college programs: www.ontariocolleges.ca
Information and prerequisites for Ontario university programs: www.electronicinfo.ca
Labour Market Information: <https://www.iaccess.gov.on.ca/labourmarket/search.xhtml?lang=en>