

WHAT YOU NEED TO GRADUATE?

COURSE PATHWAY PLANNER

(adapted from [Ontario Ministry of Education](#))

30 Credits: 18 Compulsory & 12 Optional Credits

Compulsory Credits:

- 4** English (1 credit per grade) *
- 3** Mathematics (at least 1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
- 2** Science
- 1** Canadian history (Grade 10)
- 1** Canadian geography (Grade 9)
- 1** The Arts
- 1** Health and Physical Education
- 1** French as a Second Language
- 1** Technology
- 0.5** Career Studies
- 0.5** Civics and Citizenship

Students must also complete:

- ✓ 12 optional credits offered in the school's program and course calendar†
- ✓ 40 hours of community involvement hours
- ✓ Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT)
- ✓ Earn a minimum of 2 online learning credits****

Plus ONE compulsory credit from each of the following groups:

GROUP 1:

- English (including the Ontario Secondary School Literacy Course)
- French as a Second Language, Classical Languages, International Languages
- Indigenous Languages
- Canadian and World Studies
- First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Studies
- Social Sciences and Humanities
- Guidance and Career Education
- Cooperative Education***

GROUP 2:

- Health and Physical Education
- The Arts
- Business Studies
- French as a Second Language**
- Cooperative Education***

GROUP 3:

- Science (Grade 11 or 12)
- Technological Education
- French as a Second Language**
- Computer Studies
- Cooperative Education***

* A maximum of 3 credits in English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Literacy Development (ELD) may be counted towards the 4 compulsory credits in English, but the fourth must be a credit earned for a Grade 12 compulsory English course.

** In groups 1, 2 and 3, a maximum of 2 credits in French as a Second Language can count as compulsory credits, one from group 1 and one from either group 2 or group 3.

*** A maximum of 2 credits in Cooperative Education can count as compulsory credits.

† The 12 optional credits may include up to 4 credits earned through approved Dual Credit courses.

**** Families who wish to opt out their child from the Online Learning graduation requirement should speak to their child's school.

^ Student's achieving an OSSD Red Seal Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) or International Baccalaureate (IB) diploma will have additional requirements based on the program.