

Credit Requirements for grades 10, 11, and 12

Regular Program—24 Credit Policy

Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
minimum 8 credits Compulsory Courses: English Language Arts A 10 and English Language Arts B 10; Social Studies 10, History 10 or Native Studies 10; Science 10; a mathematics at the 10 level; 3 electives at level 10 or higher	minimum 16 credits Compulsory Courses: English Language Arts 20; a mathematics at the 20 level;	minimum 24 credits (5 of which must be at the 30 level) Compulsory Courses: English Language Arts A 30 and English Language Arts B 30; Social Studies 30: <i>Canadian Studies</i> , History 30: <i>Canadian Studies</i> or Native Studies 30: <i>Canadian Studies</i> ;
	a science 20 or 30 *	
	6 additional elective credits at level 20 or 30	a social science 20 or 30*; 2 credits in arts education or practical and applied arts at level 10, 20, or 30; Wellness 10, Physical Education 20 or Physical Education 30

Notes:

- 1 credit = 100 hours of classroom instruction and a minimum percentage of 50.
- Modified courses (11, 21, 31 and 10A, 20A, 30A) can be used to fulfill requirements in the required courses of study, specified areas of study and electives.
- Locally developed courses (designated with an L) may be used to meet elective requirements only.
- Graduation requirements are minimum requirements for Grade 12 standing. Students may choose to exceed these requirements.
- This credit requirement change came into effect for students graduating in the year 2000.

* Science 20 or 30 prerequisites must be met unless the student is an adult by definition of [*The Education Regulations, 2015*](#)