

**Graduation Requirements (Dogwood Diploma)**

Summary of Graduation Requirements: Dogwood Diploma			
	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
<b>Required: minimum 52 credits</b>			
<b>English Language Arts</b>	Choose two 2-credit courses: <input type="checkbox"/> Composition 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Creative Writing 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Literary Studies 10 <input type="checkbox"/> New Media 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Spoken Language 10 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Literary Studies 10 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP New Media 10 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Spoken Language 10 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Writing 10	Choose one 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> Composition 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Creative Writing 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Literary Studies 11 <input type="checkbox"/> New Media 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Spoken Language 11 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Literary Studies and New Media 11 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Literary Studies and Spoken Language 11 <input type="checkbox"/> EFP Literary Studies and Writing 11	Choose one 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> English First Peoples 12 <input type="checkbox"/> English Studies 12
<b>Mathematics</b>	Choose one 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> Foundations of Mathematics and Pre-calculus 10 <input type="checkbox"/> Workplace Mathematics 10	Choose one 4-credit course: ( <i>Grade 11 or Grade 12</i> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Foundations of Mathematics 11 <input type="checkbox"/> History of Mathematics 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-calculus 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Workplace Mathematics 11	<input type="checkbox"/> Apprenticeship Mathematics 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Calculus 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Science 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Foundations of Mathematics 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Geometry 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Pre-calculus 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Statistics 12
<b>Science</b>	Required 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> Science 10	Choose one 4-credit course: ( <i>Grade 11 or Grade 12</i> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Earth Sciences 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Science 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Life Sciences 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Physics 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Science for Citizens 11	<input type="checkbox"/> Anatomy and Physiology 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Environmental Science 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Geology 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Physics 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Specialized Science 12
<b>Social Studies</b>	Required 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies 10	Choose one 4-credit course: ( <i>Grade 11 or Grade 12</i> ) <input type="checkbox"/> Explorations in Social Studies 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Francophone History and Culture 11	<input type="checkbox"/> 20th Century World History 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Asian Studies 12 <input type="checkbox"/> BC First Peoples 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Comparative Cultures 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Comparative World Religions 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Contemporary Indigenous Studies 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Economic Theory 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Genocide Studies 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Human Geography 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Law Studies 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Philosophy 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Geography 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Political Studies 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Social Justice 12 <input type="checkbox"/> Urban Studies 12

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<b>Arts Education/ADST</b>	Choose 4 credits at either <i>Grade 10, Grade 11, or Grade 12</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Arts Education (see Table on page 28) <input type="checkbox"/> Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies (ADST) (see Table on page 29)		
<b>Career Education</b>	Required 8 credits in Career Education (Grade 10, Grade 11, or Grade 12) <input type="checkbox"/> Career-Life Education <input type="checkbox"/> Career-Life Connections (including 30 hours of work experience or career-life exploration)		
<b>Physical and Health Education (PHE)</b>	Required 4-credit course: <input type="checkbox"/> Physical and Health Education 10		
<b>Electives: minimum 28 credits</b>			
Depending on the school's offerings and student's choice, the number of electives in each Grade level will vary. The 28 elective credits in Grades 10-12 can come from the following options: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ministry-developed or Ministry-approved courses</li> <li>• External Credentials</li> <li>• Post-Secondary ("dual") credit</li> <li>• Independent Directed Studies (IDS)</li> <li>• Board/Authority Authorized (BAA)/First Nation Authorized (FNA) courses</li> </ul>			
<b>Elective Courses</b>	Grade 10: 2-5 electives • • • • •	Grade 11: 3-5 electives • • • • •	Grade 12: 6-8 electives* • • • • •
<b>Total: 80 credits required for graduation</b>			
* at least 16 credits must be at the Grade 12 level, including a required Grade 12 Language Arts course.			
<b>Graduation Program Assessments</b>			
<b>Required for Graduation</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Grade 10 Numeracy <input type="checkbox"/> Grade 10 Literacy		<input type="checkbox"/> Grade 12 Literacy