



Grade 9 and 10
Parent/ Guardian Course Presentation 2025

Delview Secondary
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Presented by Ms. Hughes

Acknowledgement

Before we begin I would like to acknowledge the traditional territory of the Tsawwassen and Musqueam First Nations and of all the Hun'qumi'num speaking people who have been stewards of this land since time immemorial.

I would also like to offer my respect to all the Elders who have gone before us and to all Canadians who are on the journey of Reconciliation.



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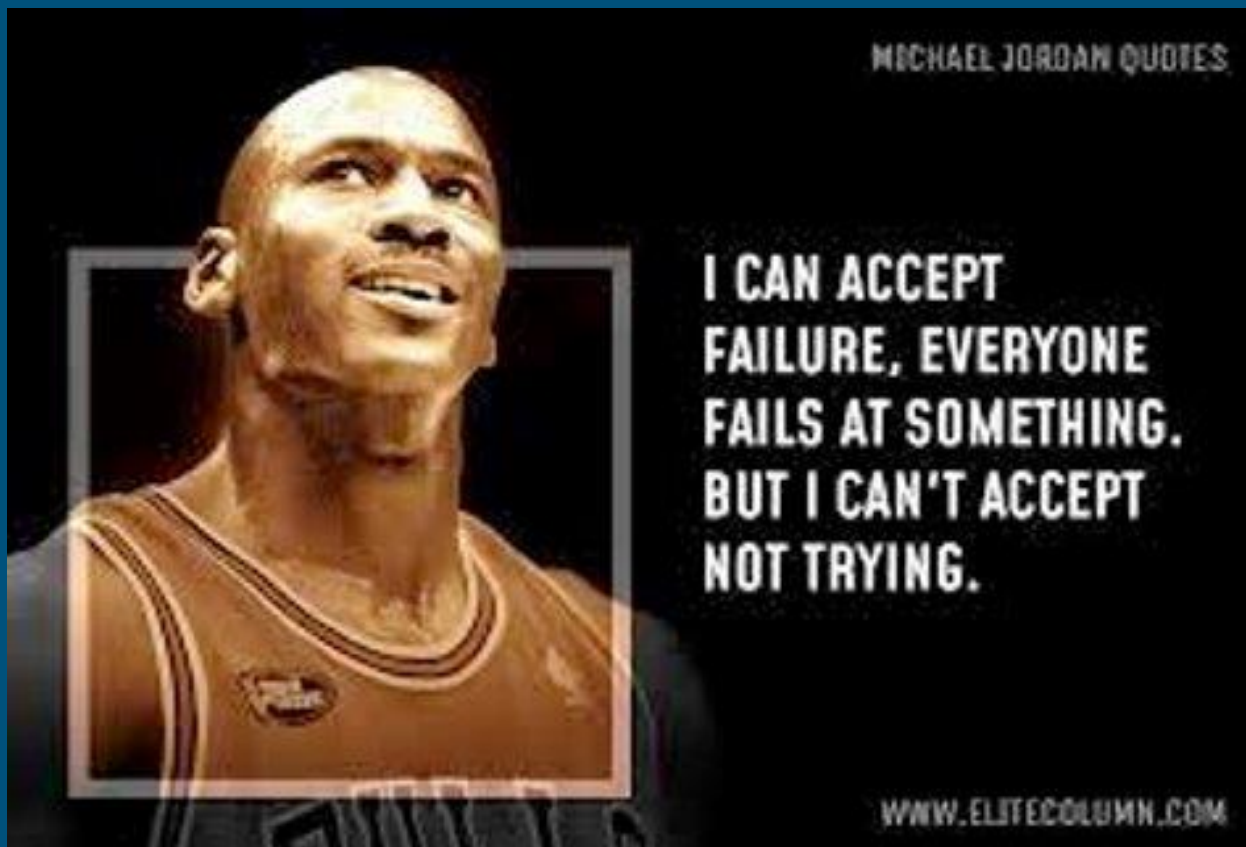


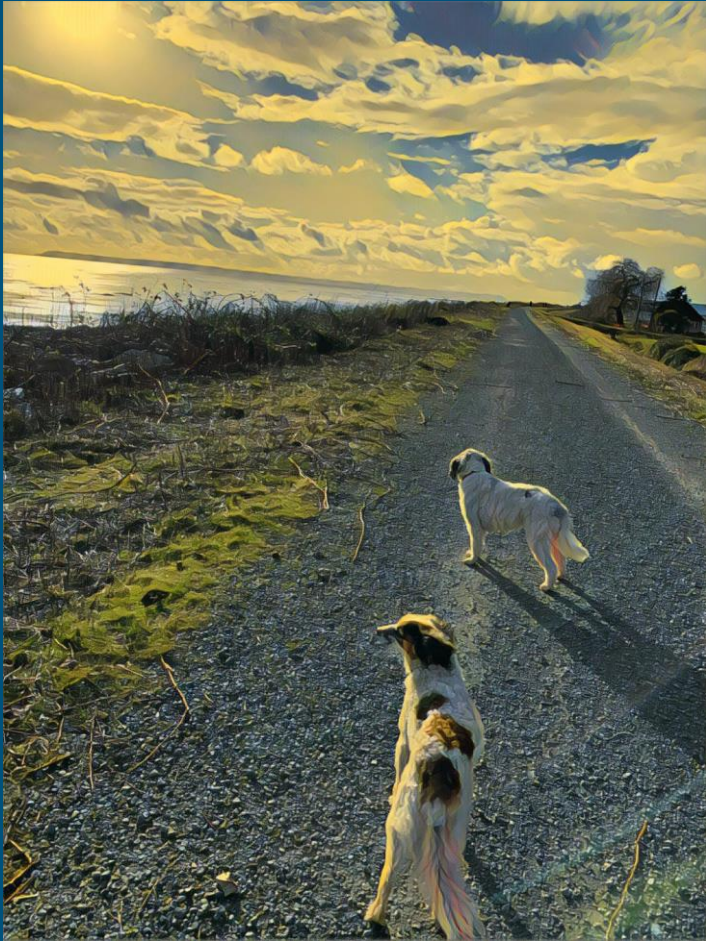
By the end of this presentation you should be familiar with the following:

- Graduation requirements
- Core required courses for Gr. 9 + 10
- How to make decisions about courses
- General overview of courses
- Where to get more information
- How and when to register for courses



Taking chances





Decisions, decisions... DECISIONS' DECISIONS''

- Interests
- Strengths & weakness
- Family's influence
- Friends' influence
- Required for career
- Options open....

BC Graduation Program

Grades 10 - 12

MINIMUM 80 CREDITS
(grades 10 - 12)

Average student graduates with 96 - 100 credits
(some up to 120)

each course = 4 credits... so = 20 courses minimum

Graduation Requirements

- A Math 10
- A Math 11
- **Socials Studies 10**
- A Socials 11 OR 12
- **Science 10**
- A Science 11
- **English 10 OR English First Peoples 10**
- An English 11
- An English 12*
- **Physical Health Education (PHE) 10 OR PHE/ Leadership 10**
- Career Life Education 11
- 3 other Grade 12 Courses
- Career Life Connections (CLC)/ Capstone 12
- 5 electives in Gr. 10 - 12* (1 must be Arts Education OR Applied Design, Skills and Technologies)
- **Numeracy Assessment (Gr. 10)**
- **Literacy Assessment (Gr. 10 & 12)**

Gaining Credits (Gr. 10 - 12)

- School courses
- Summer school
- External Credits:
 - Music, Dance....
 - Drivers Education Course
 - Sports (Regional+)
 - Cadets, Lifeguard
- Career & District Programs
- Language Challenge Exam
 - Register in October, write in January/ February
- Online courses

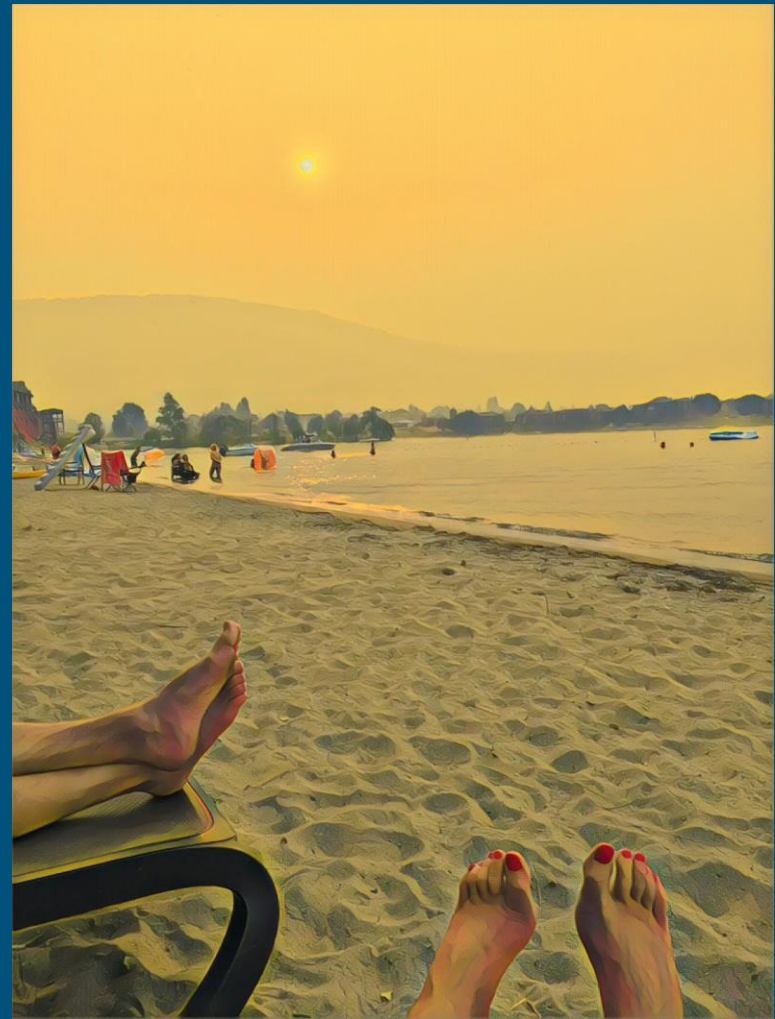
Summer School

Skills Building (Gr.8-9)

- July at NDSS

Full credit courses (Gr.10-12)

- 5-6 weeks
- Let counsellor know if taking a course



Career Education Options

- Work Experience (WEX)
- Youth Work in Trades
- Youth Train in Trades
- Early Childhood Education (ECE)

Talk to Mr.Birt



Online Courses

Must be organized, motivated and be a self-starter!

Students do not get a study block - must take 8 courses at DL.

If the course is offered at DL and can fit in schedule, that is priority!

Grade 9 courses

English 9

Science 9

Math 9

Social Studies 9

PHE 9

Elective

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Grade 10 Program Choice

Standard
Program

OR

Innovation
Program



Grade 10 Standard Program



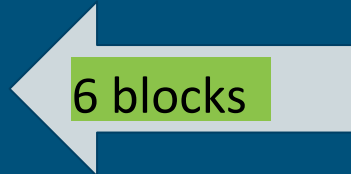
1. An English 10
2. A Math 10
3. A PHE 10
4. Science 10
5. Social Studies 10
6. Elective
7. Elective
8. Elective

Grade 10 Innovation Program



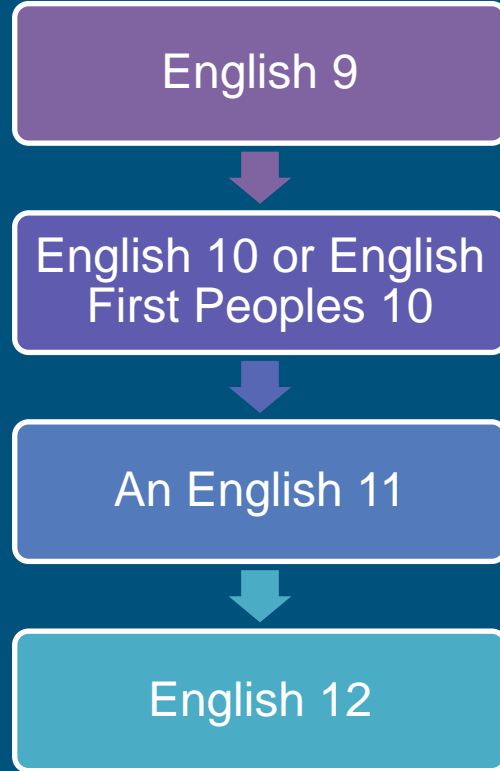
English First Peoples 10
Independent Directed
Science 10
Social Studies 10

A Math 10	Elective 10
PHE 10	Elective 10
Elective 10	Elective 10



English track

English 10, 11, & 12
are graduation
requirements



English 10 Choices

English 10

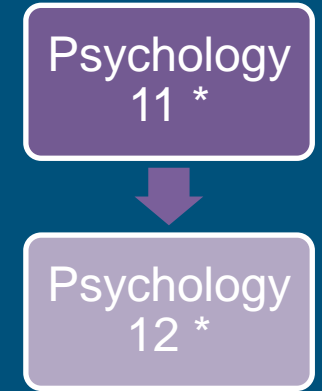
- Literary Studies & Composition 10
- Acts a preview to Grade 11 English courses

English First Peoples 10

- Fulfills the Indigenous-focused requirement for graduation
- Explores English First Peoples literature

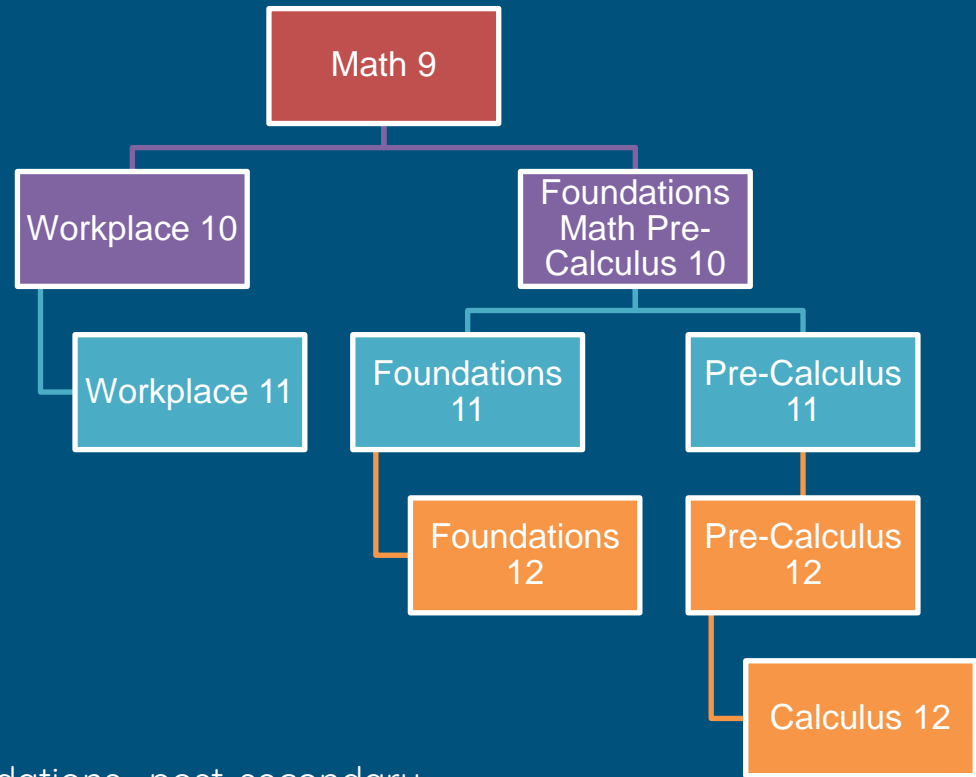
Social Studies track

SS10 & a SS11 or 12
are graduation
requirements



Psychology
counts as an
elective and
does not meet
the grad
requirement for
SS11 or SS12

Math track Gr.9



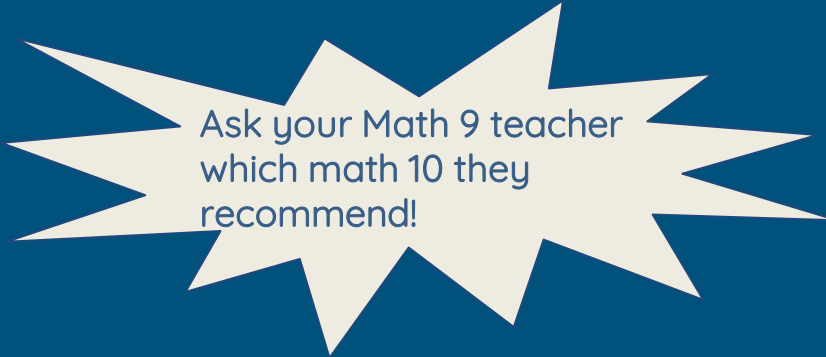
A Math 10 and 11 are graduation requirements

Workplace = Entry into the majority of trades or direct entry to the workplace

Foundations= post-secondary programs not requiring theoretical calculus (i.e. most Arts programs)

Pre-Calculus= post-secondary programs requiring theoretical science

Math 10 Choices



Ask your Math 9 teacher
which math 10 they
recommend!

Foundations & Pre-Calculus Math 10

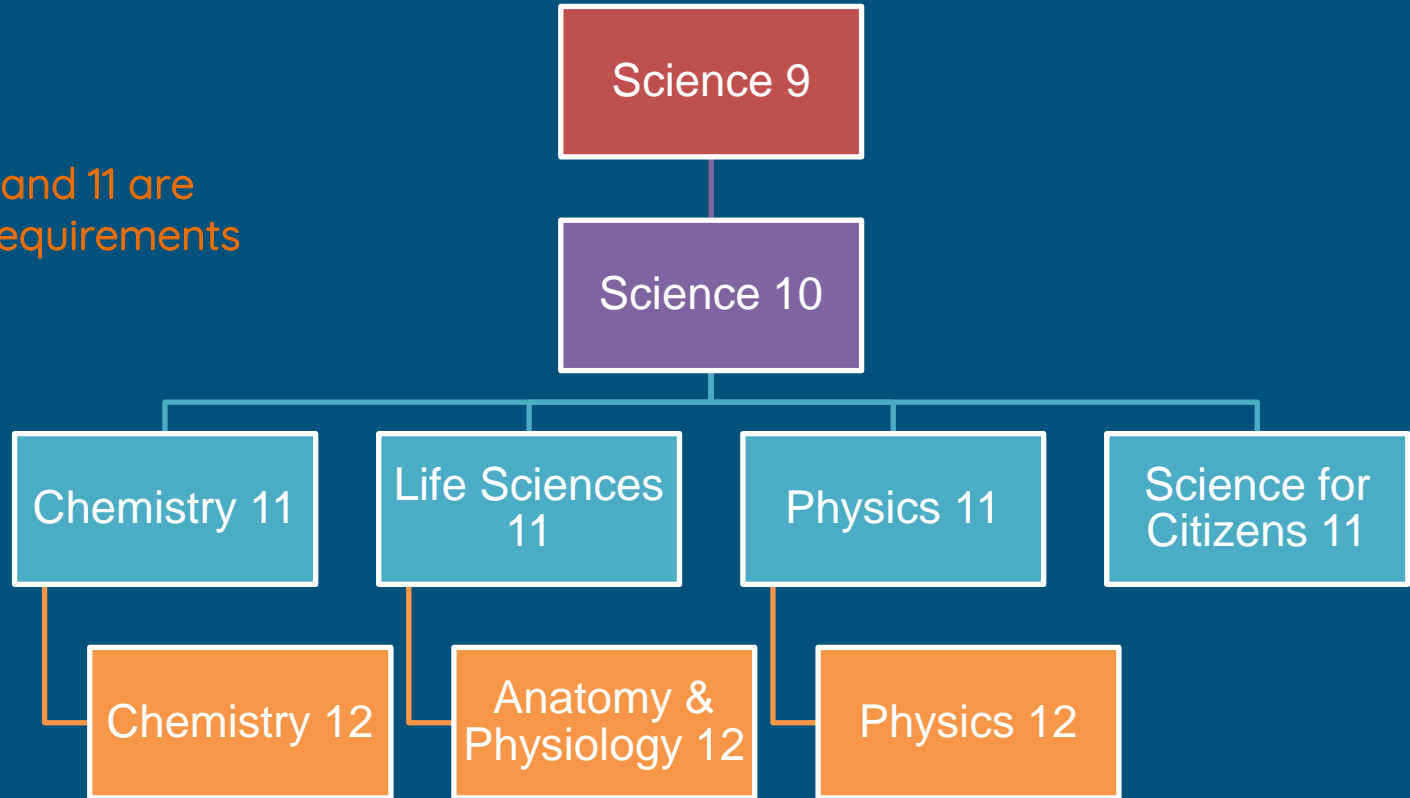
- Appropriate for all post-secondary options
- Leads to Foundations 11/12 or Pre-calculus 11/12

Workplace Math 10

- Entry into majority of trades and direct entry to the workforce

Science track Gr.9

A Science 10 and 11 are graduation requirements



PHE track Gr.9

A PHE 10 is required for graduation

Grade 9

- PHE 9
- PHE Leadership 9/10

Grade 10

- PHE 10
- PHE Leadership 9/10
- Volleyball & Fitness 10-12
- Basketball & Fitness 10-12

Grade 11 & 12

- Active Living 11 (PHE 11/12)
- Fitness & Conditioning 11/12
- Fit for Life 11/12
- Basketball & Fitness 10-12
- Volleyball & Fitness 10-12

Physical Health Education 10 Options

PHE 10

- Emphasis on active participation in variety of games, sports, and fitness activities
- Learning about well-being (i.e. physical, mental, social-emotional)

PHE 9/10 Leadership

- Focus on becoming leaders through use of recreation and classwork
- ½ PHE and ½ Leadership course
- Service hours mandatory
- Must apply on basis of leadership (i.e. skills, attitude, participation)

Physical Health Education 10 Options

Volleyball & Fitness Concepts (10-12)

- On-court & physical training
- Counts as your PHE 10 credit
- For recreational and competitive volleyball players

Basketball & Fitness Concepts (10-12)

- On-court & physical training
- Focuses on developing basketball knowledge, skills, and abilities
- Counts as your PHE 10 credit
- For recreational and competitive basketball players

Do I Need a 2nd Language?

You do *NOT* need a 2nd language to graduate OR to enter UBC or SFU effective 2026.



Things to consider about a 2nd language:

- Post-secondary institutions may still consider a language as a course used to calculate GPA
- Opens doors to career opportunities!

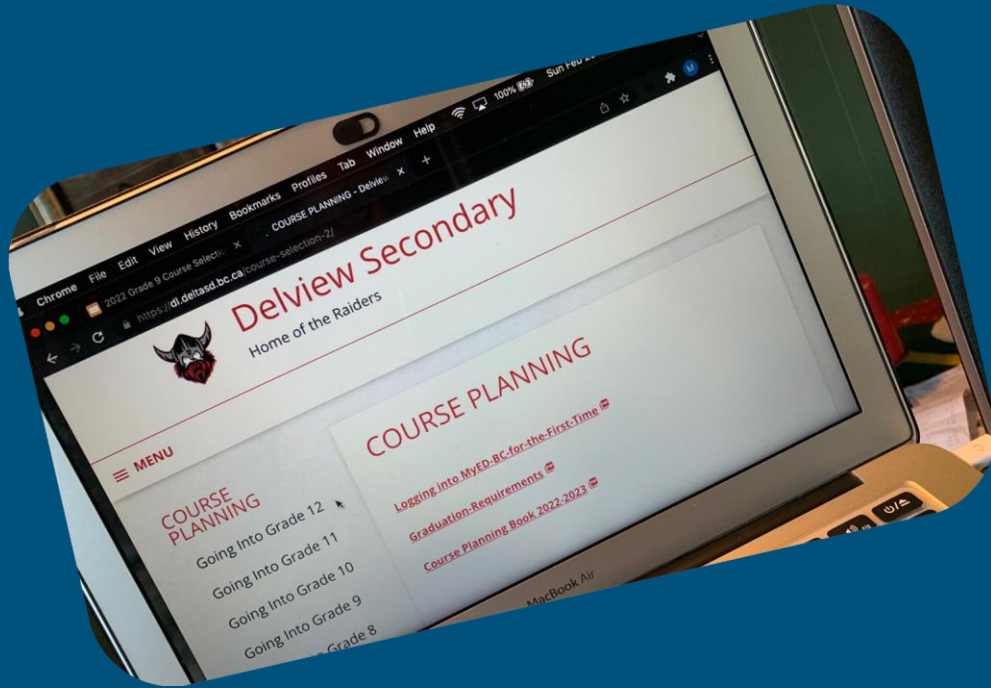
*** See Ms. Kaur for more detailed information ***

Language Options

- French 8 - 12
- Introductory Spanish 11
- Spanish 11 - 12



Business Education



- Computer Studies
Information
Technology 9 & 10
- Entrepreneurship
& Marketing 10

Dance



Home Economics 9 &10

- Foods 9 & 10
- Textiles 9& 10



Media Arts



- Computer Animation 10
- Media Arts 9 & 10
- Yearbook 10*

Performing Arts Gr.9 & 10

Drama

- Drama
- Theatre Company *
- Theatre Production*



Music

- Band*
- Instrumental Music:
Instrument & Guitar
- Musical Theatre

*= after or before
school

Technology Education



- Woodwork 9 & 10
- Drafting & Design 9 & 10
- Engineering 10



Visual Arts 9 & 10

- Art Studio
- Studio Arts 2D:
(Drawing & Painting)
- Studio Arts 3D:
(Ceramics & Sculpture)



Support Gr.9 & 10

- Learning Support
- Supportive Learning (CARES & Sr. SLP)
- ELL

*Please see your counsellor or support teacher for more information about getting support.

Career &
Post
Secondary
Advisor

Ms. Kaur



What Next?

Course Selection Information



- Course Planning Guide 2025-2026
- MyEd registration information
- Graduation requirements
- Planning worksheet
- In computer lab/ library to pick courses

A photograph of a forest path. The path is covered in fallen yellow and brown leaves. To the right, there is a gravel path. The background is a dense forest of green trees.

Pick wisely!

Current 9's- Thursday Feb.27

Current 8's- Friday Feb.28

MyEd portal is open from February 21-
March 2nd

And so the
Adventure
BEGINS