

Windsor Secondary Course Programming

**Into Grade 9
2025-2026**





Land Acknowledgement

Windsor Vision



Windsor aspires to be a vibrant learning environment where individuals respect and encourage each other to develop the competencies to thrive in a rapidly changing world.

Current Grade 8 Team

- Ms Megan Brady Counsellor
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Course Options at Windsor

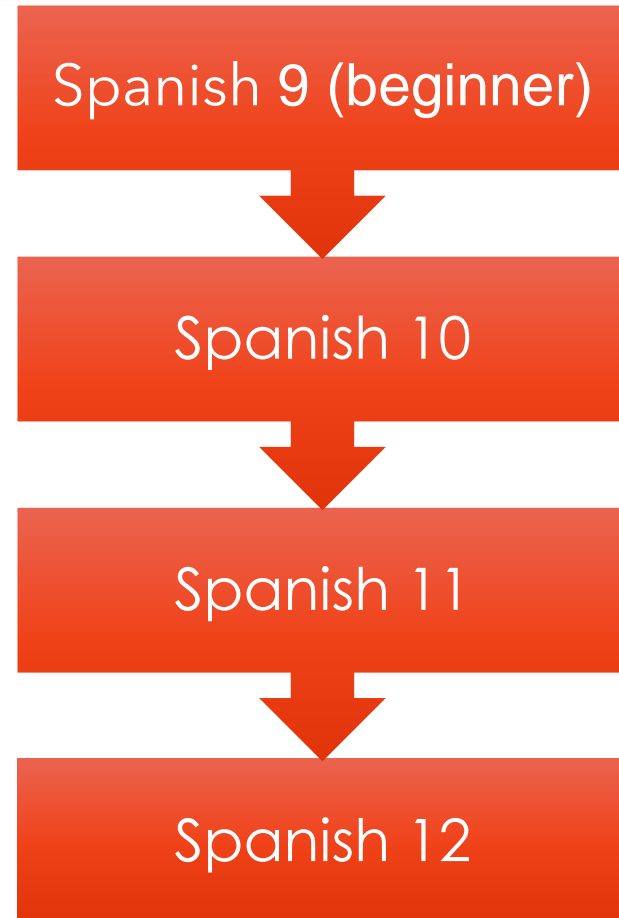
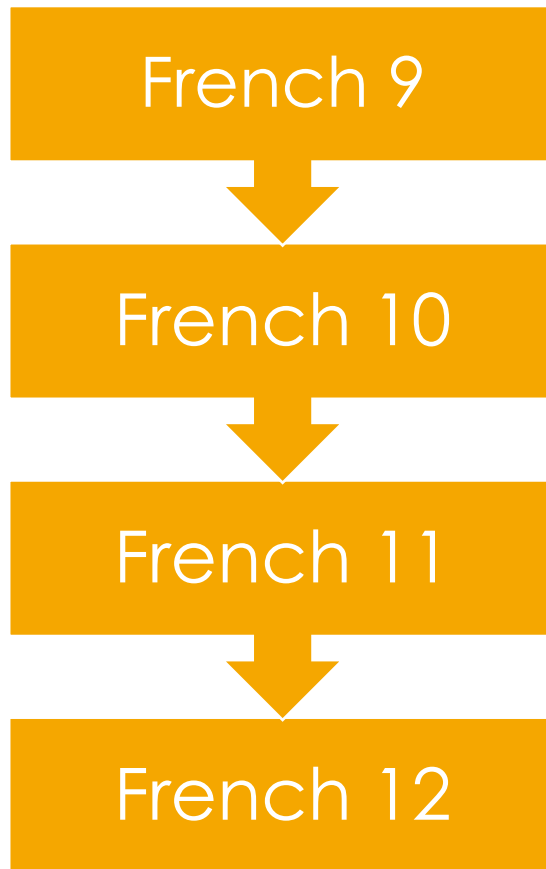
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COURSES

English Program

- English 9
- Math 9
- Socials 9
- Science 9
- PHE 9 / Sport Academy

- Elective - (French 9 or Spanish 9)
- Elective
- Elective

Languages



French Immersion Program

- English 9
- Math 9
- Français Langue 9
- Sciences Humaines 9
- Sciences Naturelles 9 / Science 9
- Education Physique et Santé 9/ Sport Academy

- Elective
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*Blue indicates French Language instruction

French Immersion Program

NVSD French Immersion Program Requirements

- ❑ 13 French Immersion courses total from grades 8 through 12

Dual Dogwood Graduation Requirements:

- Ministry of Education stipulates that students must complete one FRAL course at each grade 10, 11, and 12 level
- Write the FRAL Literacy 12 Provincial Assessment (oral and written portions)

FRENCH IMMERSION PROGRAM PLANNING TOOL

The required courses are displayed in the grey fields

Blocks	Grade 8	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
1	Français langue 8	Français langue 9	Français langue 10	Études cinéma et littérature franco 11	Français langue 12
2	Sciences humaines 8	Sciences humaines 9	Sciences humaines 10	Explorations en sciences humaine 11	CLC 12
3	Sciences naturelles 8	Sciences naturelles 9 or Science 9	Science 10	Science 11 option	Langue et culture de la francophonie 12 (2026-2027 subject to enrollment)
4	Éducation physique et santé en plein air 8 or Academy 8	Éducation physique et santé en plein air 9 or Academy 9	PHE 10	Elective	Elective
5	ADST Arts rotation sampler	Elective	Éducation au Choix de Carrière et de Vie 10	Elective	Elective
6	ADST Arts rotation sampler	Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective
7	English 8	English 9	English 10	English 11	English 12
8	Math 8	Math 9	Math 10	Math 11	Elective

Elective Choices!

Think
carefully...



Options for Elective Courses

Arts Education Electives

- Visual Arts 9
- Concert Choir 9 (soprano/alto or tenor/bass)
- Chamber Choir 9 *
- Vocal Jazz Choir 9
- Concert Band 9
- Jazz Band 9 **
- Orchestra / Strings 9
- Drama 9
- Musical Theatre 10

Applied Design Skills & Technology Electives

- Drafting 9
- Electronics & Robotics 9
- Food Studies 9
- Media Design 10 *** (2025-26)
- Metalwork 9
- Textiles 9
- Woodwork 9
- Visual Arts: Media Arts 10 (Yearbook) x-Block

* must take X block Concert Choir

** must take Concert Band

*** Alternates with Wed Development 10

Alternating Year Courses

Available for 2025-2026 Only

- Media Design 10
 - Open to next year's grade 9's and 10's

Available for 2026-2027 (the following year) only:

- Web Development 10





January 22 & 23 - Ministry Graduation Assessment - Literacy 10

[Grad Assessment Letter to Parents Lit 10 Jan 2025.pdf](#)

Course Programming 2025-2026

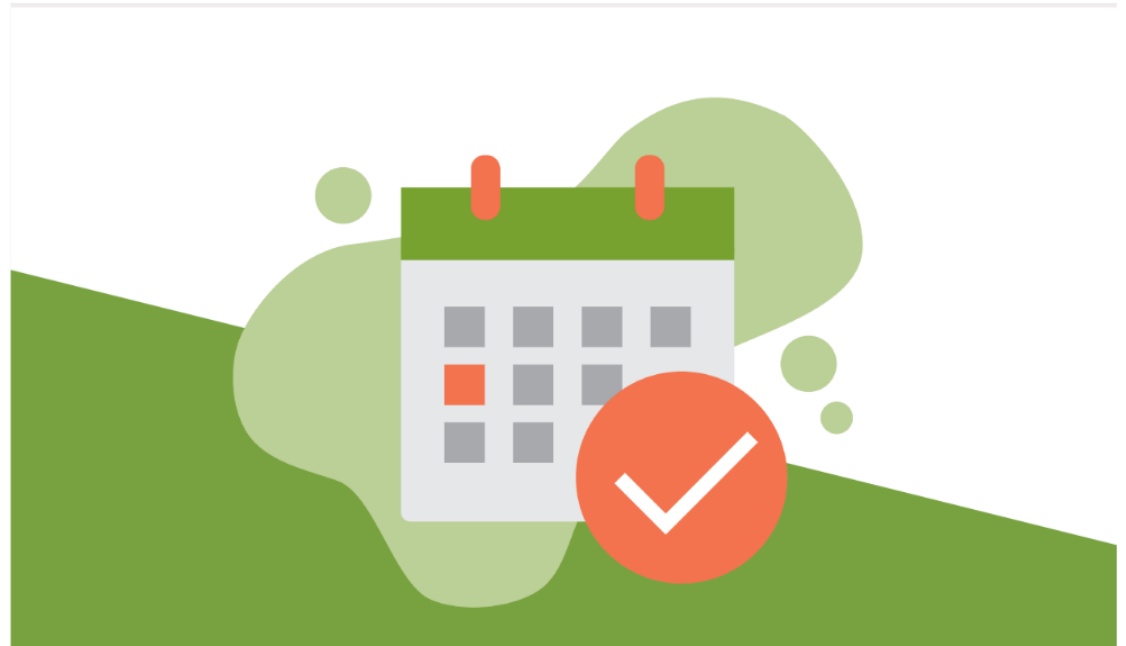
[Course Programming Letter to Gr 8-11 Families Jan 2025.pdf](#)

[Course Programming Letter to Gr 7 Families Jan 2025.pdf](#)

Secondary Enhanced Programs & Academies Night – January 15

Families and students in Grades 7 to 11 are invited to learn about the enhanced programs and academies offered at NVSD secondary schools for the 2025/26 school year.

[Read more](#)





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Course Programming

Counsellors

Sue Maquignaz	Grade 12
Mancy So	Grade 10 & International
Jay Prepchuk	Grade 9 & 11
*Steve Martin will be the Grade 9 & 11 Counsellor from January 7 – February 3, 2025.	
Megan Brady	Grade 8

Course Programming

Selecting a program of study is an important process involving students, parents, teachers, administrators and counsellors. After careful consideration, students should base their course selections on their strengths, interests and future needs. Students are asked to list alternative choices on their course selection sheets, as their preferred choices may not schedule due to timetable constraints. All course are subject to sufficient enrollment. Students are advised to review course programming information carefully when planning their courses for next year.

Reasons to Pick a Course

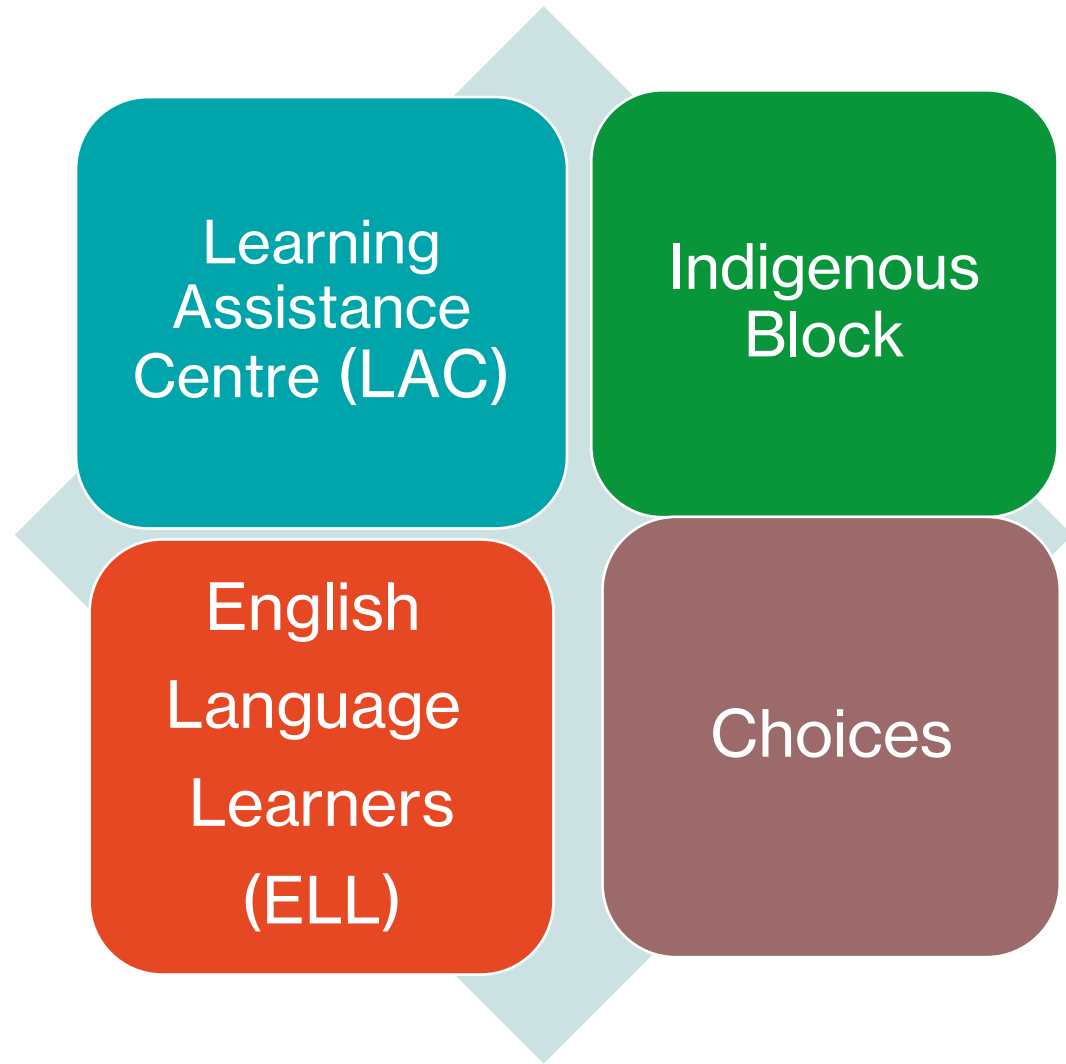
Good reasons:

- You like it and will be willing to work hard at it
- You want to try something new
- You have thought hard about your choices

Not so good reasons:

- You want to be in classes with friends
- You've **heard** it's an "easy" course
- You don't know what else to take

Support Courses by Referral



Support Courses...

ELL, Choices, Indigenous Support, &
Learning Support

If you are currently enrolled and wish to continue next year:

- please indicate it on your programming sheet

Enrollment in these programs will be determined by the School Based Resource Team (SBRT).



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COURSE REQUESTS 2025-2026

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FIRST NAME: _____ LAST NAME: _____

REQUIRED COURSES:

ENGLISH	
1. Career Education 9 (embedded in courses)	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. English 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. French 9 or Spanish 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Math 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Science 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Social Studies 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Physical Health Education <i>select 1</i>	
Physical & Health Education 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
NVSD Sport Academy 9* _____	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>*NVSD Sport Academy are subject to application & supplemental fees. Please indicate the Academy for which you have applied & paid. For more info & application: https://www.sd44.ca/ProgramsServices/Academies/</i>	
ELECTIVE OPTIONS:	
8. _____	
9. _____	
10. _____	
<i>See reverse for options, please list in priority order</i>	

In priority order!

ALTERNATE CHOICES: ALL students must indicate 2 alternate elective options

i) _____ ii) _____

X-BLOCK OPTION: Outside timetable courses

COUNSELLING NOTES: _____

Peak Performance: 1 or 2 blocks, AM or PM

These course requests have been entered into MyEd BC and parent/guardian has reviewed.

Student Signature

Parent Signature

COURSES ENTERED INTO MYED & FORM SUBMITTED to Student Services by:



Friday Feb. 28th 2025



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FRENCH IMMERSION PROGRAM	
1. Career Education 9 (embedded in courses)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. English 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. Français langue 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. Math 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. Sciences humaines 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. SCIENCE <i>select 1</i>	
Science 9 OR	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sciences naturelles 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Education Physique et Sante <i>select 1</i>	
Education Physique et Sante 9	<input type="checkbox"/>
NVSD Sport Academy 9* _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

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Course Programming Sheet

ENSURE ACCURACY

- Errors on the course programming sheet may create difficulties during course selection process

To ensure you get your requests . . .

- Place **ELECTIVE COURSES** in **PRIORITY ORDER**
- Ensure you list Alternates in Priority Order

Next Steps:

1

Ask questions. Talk to your counsellor, teachers and parents!

2

Check out the "Windsor Course Descriptions", available online.

3

Input your courses into MyEd in the computer lab: February 24th -28th.

Enhanced Programs



There are a variety of programs to choose from

www.sd44.ca/ProgramsServices/Academies

WINDSOR BASED ACADEMIES:

DANCE ACADEMY (Gr. 8-12)

HOCKEY ACADEMY (Gr. 8-12)

SOCCER ACADEMY (Gr. 8-12)

DISTRICT ACADEMIES:

Artists for Kids (Gr. 10-12) Carson G.S.S.

Basketball Academy (Gr. 8-12) Seycove S.S.

Digital Media Academy (Gr. 11-12)/ DMA Lite (gr 9-10) Argyle S.S.

Field Hockey Academy (Gr. 8-12) Sutherland S.S.

Robotics (Gr. 10-12) Carson G.

Rowing (Gr. 8-12) Seycove S.S.

Volleyball Academy (Gr. 8-12) Mountainside S.S.



**North Vancouver Online Learning (NVOL)
L' École Virtuelle de Vancouver Nord**

Register Online at:
www.sd44.ca/school/onlinellearning/Registration

Summer Learning Details



Programs	Foundations Courses
	ELL Literacy Numeracy
Location	Argyle Secondary
Dates	July 2, 2025 – July 18, 2025
Times	8:30am - 11:55am

Visit the website for more info: <https://www.sd44.ca/school/summer>



Registration

May 1 - June 23, 2025

**Register through School
Cash Online or Summer
Learning Website**

www.sd44.ca/school/summer

Questions?

