

Matthew McNair Secondary

PROGRAM PLANNING

GRADE 10 GOING INTO 11



PROGRAM PLANNING

- Program Planning Process & Dates
- Grad Program & Graduation Requirements
- Post Secondary Options
- Career Programs
- University Requirements
- Choosing Courses



IMPORTANT DATES

- * Feb 12 Program Planning Presentation
- * Feb 12-23 Students enter data into MyEd at home
- * Feb 18-21 Counsellors visit classes to answer student questions
- * Timetable built based on data from student requests

THE GRAD PROGRAM



BC GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Overview

- * Each completed course earns 4 credits
- * 80 credits required to graduate, including specific courses
- * Each of the GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS must be completed to earn a Dogwood Certificate
- * Post-Secondary Programs have additional requirements (ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS)




Your Grad Requirements

Overview

- * 80 credits MINIMUM
- * 48 required course credits
- * 28 elective course credits
- * 4 classes at Grade 12 level
- * 1 class of Arts Education or ADST
- * 2 Career Life courses (CLE 10, CLC/Capstone 12)
- * Indigenous-focused credit
- * GNA 10, GLA 10 & GLA 12



Graduation Requirements

Grade 10	Grade 11 	Grade 12
1. EN 10: English Literary Studies/Composition 10 or English First Peoples 10	1. Literary Studies 11	1. EN 12: English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12
2. Socials 10	2. A Socials 11/12 or BC First Peoples 12	2. Elective 12
3. A Math 10	3. A Math 11	3. Elective 12
4. Science 10	4. A Science 11	4. Elective 12
5. PHE 10	5. Career Life Education 10	5. Elective
6. Elective	6. Elective	6. Elective
7. Elective	7. Elective	7. Elective
8. Elective	8. Elective	8. Elective
2 Alternative Choices	2 Alternative Choices	2 Alternative Choices

MANDATORY GR. 11 COURSES

- Literary Studies 11
- a Socials 11 or 12
- a Math 11
- a Science 11 or 12
- Career Life Education 10

- Indigenous-Focused credit- One of English First Peoples 10, BC First Peoples 12, English First Peoples 12



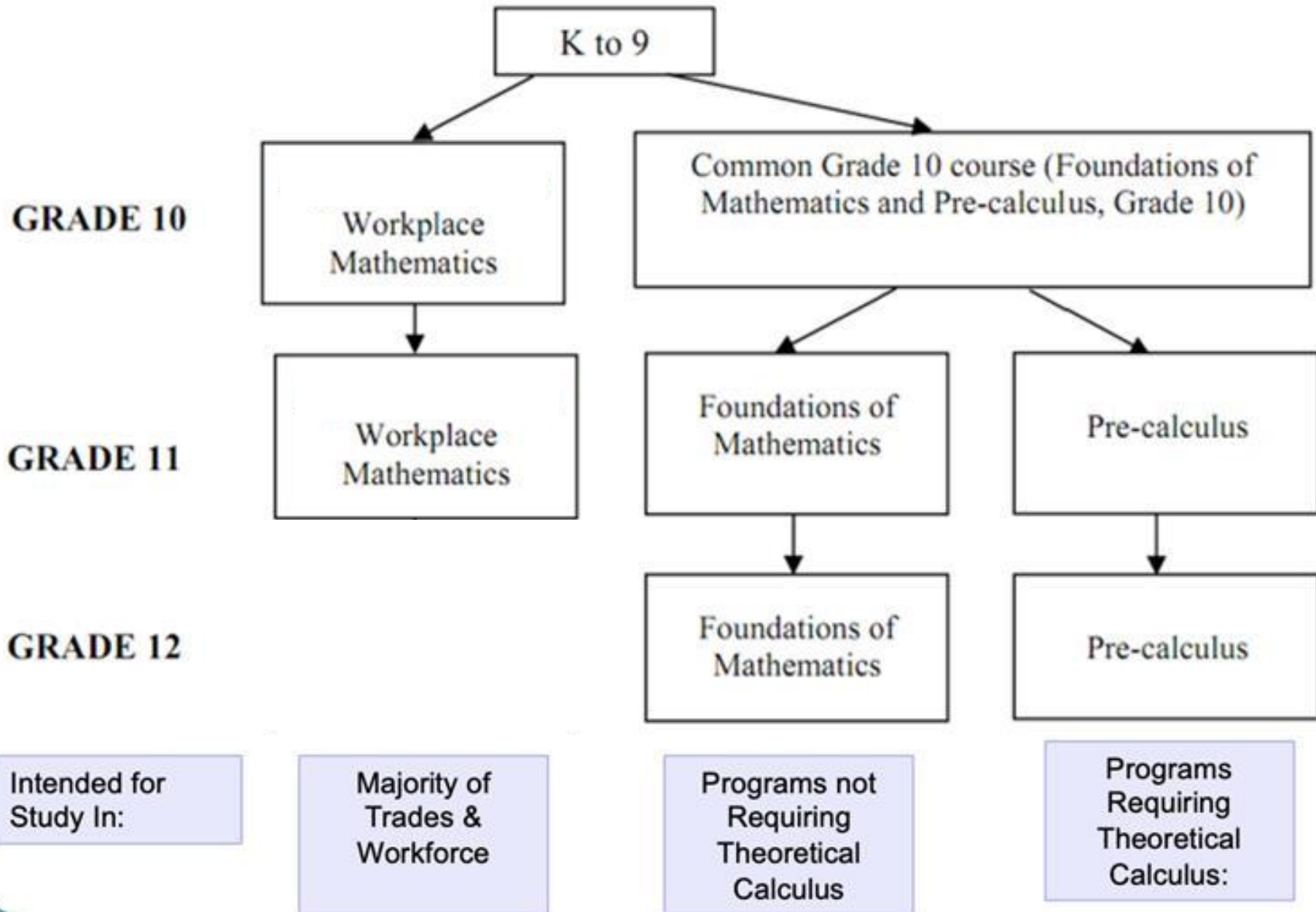
Socials Pathway

◎ Choices

- BC First Peoples 12
(also meets Indigenous-focused credit)
- Explorations of Social Studies 11
- Law 12
- Physical Geography 12
- Social Justice 12
- History 12



Math Pathway



Science Pathway

◎ Choices

- Physics 11
- Chemistry 11
- Biology: Life Science 11 or Anatomy & Physiology 12
- Environmental Science 11
- Science for Citizens 11



Career Education

- Career Life Education 10 (in person)
- Career Life Education 10 (online)
 - Note: you must ALSO register through RVS
 - Sign up for RVS using link that will be shared



Electives

- * Timetable built based on data from student requests
- * Courses offered are subject to number of student selections



Arts Education

- Art Drawing & Painting 11, Ceramics & Sculpture 11, Art Studio 11, & Photography 11
- Music Intermediate Concert Band 11, Jazz Band 11, Orchestral Strings 11, Choir 11
- Theatre Drama 11, Theatre Production 11 (Stagecraft)



Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies

- Business Marketing and Promotion 11,
Accounting 11, Yearbook 11 (online),
Computer Programming 11
- Home Ec Foods 11, Textiles 11, Culinary Arts 11
- Technology Metal Art Level 2, Auto Level 2,
Drafting and Animation Level 2,
Woodworking Level 2



Electives (continued)

- ⦿ Leadership 11 (application only)
- ⦿ AP Psychology 12

- ⦿ Physical Education Active Living , Women’s Fitness 11,
AM Fitness & Conditioning 11

- ⦿ Languages French 11, Spanish 11, Mandarin 11
 - Some BC universities require a Language 11 for general admissions.
Please check university websites.
 - Language Challenge Exam 11

Please check online Program Planning Guide
mcnair.sd38.bc.ca



Learning Support Services

- ⦿ Applied Learning Strategies– Resource
 - Teacher/Counsellor recommendation required
 - Taken in place of an elective
 - Drop- In Resource available anytime
- ⦿ English Language Learners (ELL)
 - Select courses based on next level
 - I.e., ELL 1 -> 2



FULL CREDIT SUMMER COURSES

- Indicate plans in Note to Counsellor on MyEd
- Register in late May/June
- Must report to your counsellor for the summer courses you have selected
- We want your course/level to be entered as accurately as possible
- We assume you will pass these courses



EXTERNAL CREDITS

- ◎ In some cases, students can earn credits for high level 'work' completed outside of school. See counsellors for information.
 - Music (i.e. Royal Conservatory of Music)
 - Sports (i.e. National level team)
 - Life Saving, St John's Ambulance
 - Cadets, Guides, Scouts
 - First Language from home country



CAREER PROGRAMS

YOUTH TRAIN IN TRADES

RICHMOND SD 38 PROGRAMS

- Auto mechanics, baking, carpentry, electrical, masonry, collision repair, cooking, hair design, and more
- RCMP Youth Academy

TALK TO YOUR COUNSELLOR FOR MORE INFO AND SEE
THE BOARD OUTSIDE OF COUNSELLING AREA



Post Secondary Options



IMPORTANT FACTS TO CONSIDER....

- Major Universities' admissions based on **the grad program, as early as grade 10 in some cases.**
- Choose electives wisely
- Often **special** Math or Science or second language requirements in addition to basic admission requirements
- Online courses must be completed by Feb (of grade 12) to be considered for admissions



OTHER CONSIDERATIONS....

- Movement towards **broader-based** admission (I.e. Personal Profile, volunteer hours)
- Requirements **shift** frequently
- **Competitive** Admissions
- Importance of considering a **variety** of institutional **options** and attempting challenging electives



CHOOSING COURSES

take time to consider....

- ◎ **Confirm meeting Graduation Requirements** - if not, talk to counsellor right away!
- ◎ **Consider & research future options** - if you haven't already done so.
- ◎ **Confirm Entrance Requirements** - Make sure you choose courses that will meet **ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS** for program of your choice



Program Planning Process

- ◎ Step 1:
 - Research Grade 11 courses online at mcnair.sd38.bc.ca for Grad Requirements
- ◎ Step 2:
 - Research university entrance requirements
- ◎ Step 3:
 - Discuss course options with parents, counsellor, or teacher
- ◎ Step 4:
 - Complete your Course Planning sheet.
 - Enter courses onto MyEd.



PROGRAM PLANNING GUIDE

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Matthew McNair Secondary School



Program Planning Guide 2025 - 2026

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Grade 9-
Choices

- Program Planning
- Grade 9-10 Choices

While some courses
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- checklist
- Electives

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Grade 11 Program Planning 2025-26

McNair, Matthew

Home Phone 604-668-6575

Student # 1234567

Student Cell Phone _____

Grade 10

Homeroom 10C

Student Email _____

Course Selections for Next Year

All students must be enrolled in a minimum of 8 courses.
If the grade level of the required course listed below is incorrect, please select the correct grade level online and speak to your counsellor.

Required Courses

- An English 11 (SELECT ONE)
 - MLTST11: English Literary Studies 11
 - MLTST11-HON: English Literary Studies 11 Honours
- A Social Studies 11/12: _____
- A Science 11: _____
- Career-Life Education (SELECT ONE)
 - MCLE-10: Career Life Ed. 10 (In Person/In Classroom)
 - XAT--CLE10-RVS: Career Life Ed 10 (Online)
- A Math 11 (SELECT ONE)
 - MWPM-11: Workplace Math 11
 - MFOM-11: Foundations of Math 11
 - MPREC11: Pre-Calculus 11
 - MPREC11-ENR: Pre-Calculus 11 Enriched

Elective Courses

(Please list in order of preference)

- _____
- _____
- _____

REQUIRED: Alternative Electives (Please choose two)

- _____
- _____

OPTIONAL: Off Timetable Electives

Current Courses (This Year)

EN:EPF Literary Studies 10 Riding, P.	S1	A(1-2)
SC:Science 10 Poon, A.; Wolfe, M.	S1	B(1-2)
BUS:Entrepreneurship & Marketing 10 Cupic, N.	S1	C(1-2)
PHE:Physical and Health Education 10 Gomes, M.	S1	D(1-2)
EN:EPF Writing 10	S1	K(1-2)
SS:Social Studies 10 Banks, C.	S2	A(1-2)
ML:French 10 Kelly, A.	S2	B(1-2)
TE:Woodwork Level 1 Dejanov, J.	S2	C(1-2)
MA:Foundations & Pre-Calculus Math 10 McCallum, N.	S2	D(1-2)

My Education BC Login Information

Login: 1234567

Password: *****

Summer School/Online Courses

Please list any full credit summer school or online course you plan to take in the **Notes for Counsellor** field on MyEducation BC.

After you have successfully registered for the summer school or online course, fill out a summer school declaration form and return it to your counsellor ASAP.

Online Course Request Entry:
<https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/>

(See reverse for instructions)

Enter course selections ONLINE from February 12 to February 23, 2025.

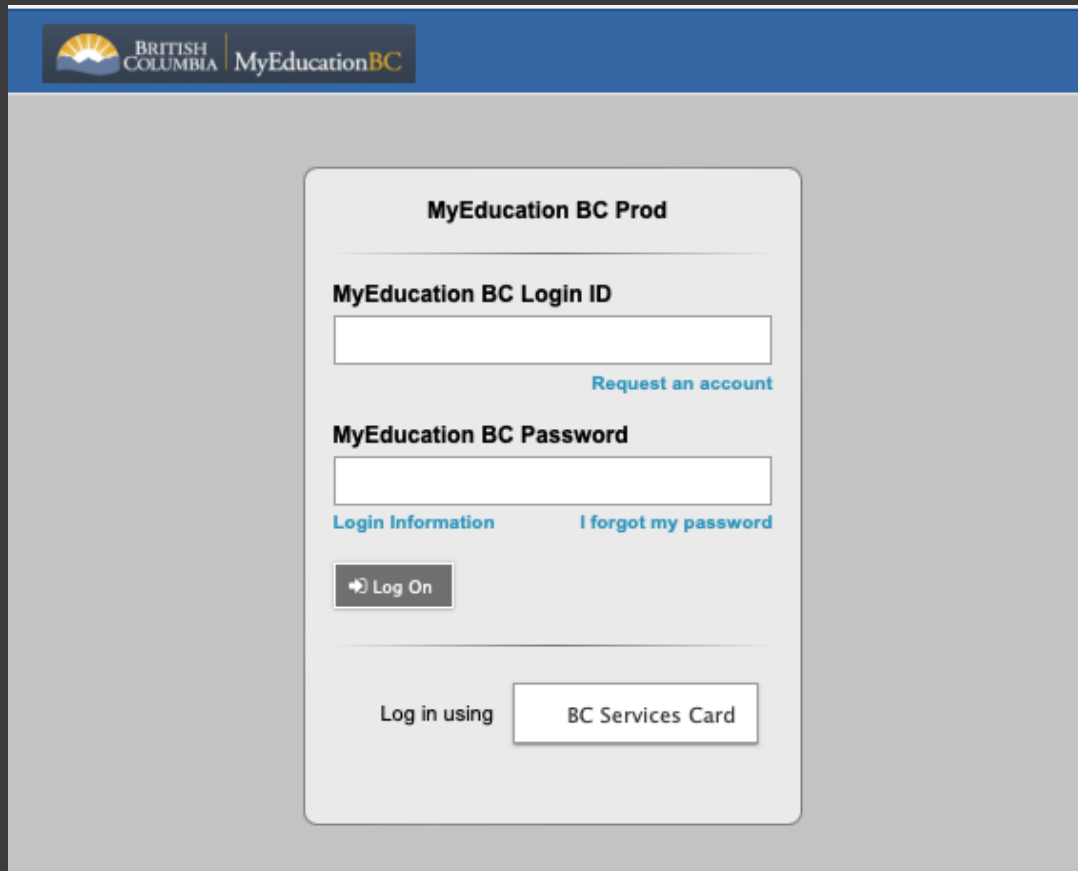
Please review your course selections with your parents and ensure all courses are entered correctly on MyEducationBC.

Course Confirmation

- You will receive a course confirmation email listing course selections in March
- Email will include link to make changes



Online Course Entry



The screenshot shows the login interface for MyEducation BC Prod. At the top left, there is a logo for British Columbia MyEducationBC. The main content area is a white box with a light gray background. It contains the following elements:

- MyEducation BC Prod**: The title of the application.
- MyEducation BC Login ID**: A label above a text input field.
- [Request an account](#): A blue link below the Login ID field.
- MyEducation BC Password**: A label above a text input field.
- [Login Information](#): A blue link below the Password field.
- [I forgot my password](#): A blue link below the Password field.
- Log On**: A button with a right-pointing arrow icon.
- Log in using**: A label next to a dropdown menu.
- BC Services Card**: The selected option in the dropdown menu.

Online Course Entry

The screenshot shows the top navigation bar of the MyEducation BC PRODUCTION website. The navigation bar is green and contains the following menu items: **Pages**, **My Info**, **Academics**, **Groups**, **Calendar**, and **Locker**. A red arrow points to the **My Info** menu item. Below the navigation bar is a white header area with a green border. On the left side of this header, there are two buttons: **Home** (with a house icon) and **Page Directory**. The main content area of the header features the **BRITISH COLUMBIA MyEducationBC** logo on the left and a large photograph of diverse students and a teacher interacting with technology on the right. Below the logo, the text reads: **One Student. One Record. All of British Columbia.**

My Record

My Details

Options ▾

Reports ▾

Help ▾

✕ Cancel

Demographics

Addresses

Photo


Usual first name

Usual middle name

Usual last name

Suffix

Pupil #

Personal Education
Number 

Homeroom

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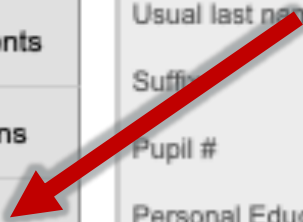
Contacts

Attendance

Assessments

Notifications

Requests





Options ▾

Reports ▾

Help ▾

Search on CrsNo



<< Exit entry mode

2024-2025 - Requests: 0 primary, 0 alternate - Scheduled: 0% - Credits: 0.0

Instructions**Next Year's Grade 10's**Please visit the [McNair Website](#) for instructions and the full course catalogue.

1. Students entering Grade 10 next year are required to take:

- Social Studies 10 or Social Studies 10 Mini
- Physical & Health Education 10 or Physical & Health Education 10 Mini
- Science 10 or Science 10 Mini
- English 10 or English First Peoples 10 or English 10 Mini

2. Students MUST select ONE of the following:

- Workplace Math 10 or
- Foundations and Pre-Calculus Math 10 or
- Enriched Foundations and Pre-Calculus Math 10

3. Students must choose **3 electives**.Students are required to have a **complete timetable of 8 courses**.**You must return your signed Program Planning Sheet to your Block B teacher.****Important Instructions****Primary requests**

	Subject area	SchoolCourse > CrsNo	SchoolCourse > Description	Alternate?	Credit
	Grade 10 Academic Courses				
	Mathematics				
	Grade 10 Electives				
	Grade 11 Electives				

Click into these buttons to select 8 courses**Alternate requests**

	Subject area	SchoolCourse > CrsNo	SchoolCourse > Description	Alternate?	Credit
	Grade 10 Electives				
	Grade 11 Electives				

Click into these buttons to select 2 alternates**Notes for counsellor**

Post

Last posted time: Approved time:

Subject area: Electives

Instructions: Choose a minimum of **3 Elective Courses**. You must have **1 Fine Art** and **1 Applied Skills** elective.

1:10 | MVA--09

Select	CourseNumber	CourseDescription	Academic level	Credit	Prerequisite	Status
<input type="checkbox"/>	MVA--09	AR:Art 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MADEM09	BUS:Entrepreneurship & Marketing 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MCUL-10	CAF:Culinary Arts 10	Regular	4.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MDR--09	DR:Drama 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MADFS09	HE:Food Studies 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MADT-09	HE:Textiles 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MFR--09	ML:French 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MMAN-09	ML:Mandarin 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MSP--09	ML:Spanish 9	Regular	0.0		
<input type="checkbox"/>	MMU--09-CHOIR	MU:Concert Choir 9	Regular	0.0		

Use Checkboxes to select courses

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Primary requests

Table with 5 columns: Subject area, SchoolCourse > CrsNo, SchoolCourse > Description, Alternate?, Credit. Includes rows for Grade 10 Academic Courses, Mathematics, Grade 10 Electives, and Grade 11 Electives.

8 courses listed here.

Alternate requests

Table with 5 columns: Subject area, SchoolCourse > CrsNo, SchoolCourse > Description, Alternate?, Credit. Includes rows for Grade 10 Electives and Grade 11 Electives.

2 alternates listed here.

Notes for counsellor

Add notes here for your counsellor (if needed).

Click "Post" when done.

Questions?

- ◎ Drop by the Counselling Centre
 - Ms. Ozla/Ms. Lee/ Ms. Bateman A-L
 - Ms. Louie M-Z
 - Mr. Hirayama Everyone

Thank you!



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