



Grade 9 Course Program

In Grade 9, you'll have an opportunity to learn across a breadth of subject areas. Students typically earn these eight credits towards their high school diploma in Grade 9:

- **English**, ENL1W
- **Mathematics**, MTH1W
- **Science**, SNC1W
- **Exploring Canadian Geography**, CGC1D
- **Healthy Active Living Education (Physical Education)**, PPL1O
- **Integrated Arts**, ALC1O
- **Core French**, FSF1D. Students who are French-exempt may enrol in **Learning Strategies**, GLS1O, instead of French.
- **Technology and the Skilled Trades**, TAS1O or **Communications Technology (The Pulse)**, TGJ1O. Students will learn details of these two technology courses in Grade 9 Orientation week, and they will have the opportunity to apply to The Pulse at that time if they are interested in this course.

Students may also elect to take **Choir**, AMV1O, or **Band**, AMR1O in addition to the regular eight Grade 9 courses. Information about how to register for Choir or Band will be provided during Grade 9 Orientation Week.

More detail about each of these courses can be found in the *Family & Student Handbook*, under the section, *Course Descriptions*.

A list of all credits required for students to earn the Ontario Secondary School Diploma is found in the *Family & Student Handbook* under the section, *Diplomas*.