

GRADE 10 ELECTIVES

ARTS

Dance - Grade 10, Open

ATC20

This course emphasizes the development of students' technique and creative skills relating to the elements of dance and the tools of composition in a variety of performance situations. Students will identify responsible personal and interpersonal practices related to dance processes and production, and will apply technologies and techniques throughout the process of creation to develop artistic scope in the dance arts.

Prerequisite: None

Music: Instrumental - Grade 10, Open

AMU20

This course allows students to participate in musical performance through learning a band instrument. It emphasizes the creation and performance of music at a level consistent with previous experience. Students will develop musical literacy skills by using the creative and critical analysis processes in composition, performance, and a range of reflective and analytical activities. Students will develop their understanding of musical conventions, practices, and terminology and apply the elements of music in a range of activities. They will also explore the function of music in society with reference to the self, communities, and cultures. **Prerequisite: None**

Visual Arts - Grade 10, Open

AV120

This course enables students to develop their skills in producing and presenting art by introducing them to new ideas, materials, and processes for artistic exploration and experimentation. Students will apply the elements and principles of design when exploring the creative process. Students will use the critical analysis process to reflect on and interpret art within a personal, contemporary, and historical context.

Prerequisite: None

Visual Arts: Crafts - Grade 10, Open

AWA20

This course focuses on the visual arts and student creativity through a range of hands-on craft projects. It enables students to develop their skills in producing and presenting art by introducing them to new ideas, materials, and processes for artistic exploration and experimentation. Students will apply the elements and principles of design when exploring the creative process. Students will use the critical analysis process to reflect on and interpret art within a personal, contemporary, and historical context.

Prerequisite: None

BUSINESS STUDIES

Introduction to Business - Grade 10, Open

BBI2O

This course introduces students to the world of business. Students will develop an understanding of the functions of business, including accounting, marketing, information and communication technology, human resources, and production, and of the importance of ethics and social responsibility. This course builds a foundation for further studies in business and helps students develop the business knowledge and skills they will need in their everyday lives. **Prerequisite: None**

CANADIAN AND WORLD STUDIES

Native Studies - Grade 10, Open

NAC2O

This course explores First Nations, Metis, and Inuit peoples' relationships with Canada from pre-contact to the 21st century. Students will examine social, economic, political and military interactions that impact the contemporary realities of Aboriginal people in Canada in relation to identity, culture, community, land, and governance. Students will explore their own and others' ideas using the historical inquiry process to think critically and respond responsibly about civic questions raised today as a result of the changing relationships. **Prerequisite: None**

FRENCH

Core French - Grade 10, Academic

FSF2D

This course enables students to increase their knowledge of the French language, further develop their language skills, and deepen their understanding and appreciation of francophone culture around the world. Exploring a variety of themes, students will develop and apply critical thinking skills in discussion, in their analysis and interpretation of texts, and in their own writing.

Prerequisite: French, Grade 9 Academic

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Healthy Active Living Education - Grade 10, Open

PPL2O

This course emphasizes regular participation in a variety of enjoyable physical activities that promote lifelong healthy active living. Student learning will include the application of movement principles to refine skills; participation in a variety of activities that enhance personal competence, fitness, and health; examination of issues related to healthy sexuality, healthy eating, substance use and abuse; and the use of informed decision-making, conflict resolution, and social skills in making personal choices.

Prerequisite: None

Personal and Fitness Activities - Grade 10, Open PAF20

This course introduces students to the benefits of weight training and Crossfit while addressing all components of physical fitness. This course is designed for students interested in training specifically for a sport or looking to improve their fitness level. Through a variety of aerobic and weight training activities, students will improve their personal fitness. Students will develop personal fitness programs to gain strength, tone muscle and/or enhance appearance. Safety, training techniques, anatomy and nutrition will be important topics discussed in the course. Through the achievement of the Ministry and the Ontario Catholic School expectations students will apply movement principles to refine skills; and participate in a variety of activities that enhance personal competence, fitness and health. **Prerequisite: None**

TECHNOLOGICAL STUDIES

Construction Technology - Grade 10, Open TCJ20

This course requires students to design, build, and evaluate projects using design instruments and machine and hand tools. Students will solve technological problems through a variety of media; identify and describe building materials and other resources needed to construct, maintain, and service buildings; identify support systems and components; apply safety rules related to materials, processes, and equipment; identify common architectural styles; and identify careers related to construction technology. **Prerequisite: None**

Hospitality and Tourism Technology - Grade 10, Open TFJ20

This course emphasizes the scope of the hospitality and tourism industry. Students will study food origins, food-handling techniques and food preparation, health and safety standards, and the use of specialized tools and equipment. They will also investigate travel and tourism activities in Ontario, develop effective communication and management skills, and identify career opportunities in the hospitality and tourism industry. **Prerequisite: None**

Hairstyling and Esthetics – Grade 10 Open TXJ20

This course presents hairstyling, make-up, and nail care techniques from a salon/spa perspective. Using materials, processes, and techniques used in the industry, students learn fundamental skills in hairstyling, giving manicures and facials, and providing hair/scalp analyses and treatments. Students will also consider related environmental and societal issues, and will explore secondary and postsecondary pathways leading to careers in the field of hairstyling and aesthetics. **Prerequisite: None**

Manufacturing Technology – Grade 10 Open TMJ20

This course introduces students to the manufacturing industry by giving them an opportunity to design and fabricate products using a variety of processes, tools, and

equipment. Students will learn about technical drawing, properties and preparation of materials, and manufacturing techniques. Student projects may include a robotic challenge, a design challenge, or a fabrication project involving processes such as machining, welding, vacuum forming, or injection moulding. Students will develop an awareness of environmental and societal issues related to manufacturing, and will learn about secondary and postsecondary pathways leading to careers in the industry.

Prerequisite: None