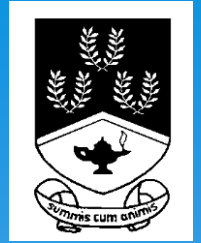


Sentinel Secondary



Grade 12 Information Session 2020-2021

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Agenda

- * Graduation requirements
- * University Information
- * Scholarships
- * US & International Schools
- * Grad Events



Graduation Requirements

Graduation=80 credits or more

Grade 10-required for graduation

- *Language Arts 10 (4 credits)
- *Socials 10 (4 credits)
- *Math 10 (4 credits)
- *Science 10 (4 credits)
- *PE 10 (4 credits)
- *CLE 10 (4 credits) (Career Life Education)



Graduation Requirements

Grades 11 & 12-required credits

- *Language Arts 11 & 12 (8 credits)
- *Socials 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- *Math 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- *Science 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- *Fine Art or Applied Skill 10, 11 or 12 (4 credits)
- *CLC (Career Life Connections 12A & B) (4 credits total) two 2 credit courses taken gr. 11 & 12
- *28 Elective credits (7 courses)
- *At least four courses at the grade 12 level



Career Life Connections

- * CLC 12A-completed in grade 11
- * CLC 12B-Capstone project
- * Required Course for graduation
- * Google Classroom: Grad 2021 + CLC 12B
 - * GC Code: **wi3woec**



General University Program Requirements

Most require 4-6 Grade 12 courses depending on the school.

- * **Bachelor of Arts**-English 12 plus 3 or more Academic Grade 12 courses
- * **Bachelor of Commerce**-English 12, Pre-Calculus 12 plus two or more academic grade 12 courses, Calculus 12 recommended
- * **Bachelor of Applied Science (Engineering)**- English 12, Pre-Calculus 12, Physics 12, Chemistry 12, Calculus 12 recommended
- * **Bachelor of Science**-English 12, Pre-Calculus 12. Two of Biology, Chemistry, or Physics, Calculus 12 recommended
- * **Please note:** all AP equivalent courses are considered for admission purposes



Applying to Post-Secondary Institutions in British Columbia

Students apply online through
<http://educationplannerbc.ca>

You should have with you:

1. A copy of your most recent marks, grade 11 report card
2. PEN (Personal Education Number)
3. Credit Card Information





Applying to Universities outside BC



Ontario

- To apply to universities in Ontario, students apply through the Ontario Universities' Application Centre (OUAC) at www.ouac.on.ca/105/



UNIVERSITY OF
TORONTO

Other Provinces



McGill
UNIVERSITY



DALHOUSIE
UNIVERSITY

- For universities outside the provinces of British Columbia and Ontario, students apply online through each university's website.



Getting Marks to Universities: Student Transcript Service



You can use the **Student Transcripts Service (STS)** to

- View or order your grade 10 to 12 course [transcript](#)
- Send your high school transcript to post-secondary institutions
- Send your high school transcript to a third-party (another person or group)
- Order your [graduation certificate](#)
- View your [provincially awarded scholarships](#)
- View your provincial graduation assessment and exam results

- * BC Ministry of Education
- * Register for a “Basic BCeID” first



<https://www.bceid.ca/register/>

<https://www.studenttranscripts.gov.bc.ca/>

Help videos: <https://youtu.be/lzmY0WeTfFs>

Distributed Learning Courses and Grades for Admission to UBC

- * Completion dates for Distributed Learning (Online) courses:
- * Courses being used for admission average: must be complete by January 30, 2021 i.e. Pre-Calc 12
- * Courses needed as program requirements i.e. French 11 need to be completed by the end of June but preferably by May so it gets onto their transcript.



AP Exam Marks

Sending AP Score Reports to Universities:



- Only need to be sent if you choose
- Sent for admission purposes if taken in grade 11 or if planning on using the score for university credit or advanced standing
- For AP exams taken in previous years or in this year: go to the myap.collegeboard.org and request score report to be sent to the university or college of your choice.

What happens after I apply?

- * Self-Report marks when University portals open (depend on the University)
- * Send transcripts through new online system (STS)
- * Admission based primarily on grades, some institutions now request simple profiles, UBC uses a Broad Based application for all faculties
- * Schools will make “conditional offers” until they receive all final marks at the end of the year



COVID-19

Changes this year based on the pandemic:

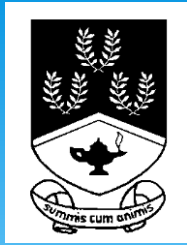
- * School is on the quarter system
- * Universities will receive final marks from Q1 & Q2 as well as mid-term Q3 marks.
- * If a student has an admissible grade 12 course in Q4 universities will substitute with the grade 11 equivalent until they receive the grade 12 level mark



Scholarships

- * **Types:** University entrance, Community, School
- * Many are advertised through the counsellor e-bulletin and on our website
<https://sentinelcounselling.weebly.com/external-scholarships.html>
- * Some require school nominations-these are advertised in bulletin, announcements and google classroom
- * Students are encouraged to sign up with <https://yconic.com/> a website that offers scholarship matching





School Scholarships



- * Fulfill graduation requirements, be registered in 7 person to person courses at Sentinel (WEX counts)
- * Late Spring-Sentinel scholarship packages which include the Dogwood District Scholarships (\$1000 each to non-academic subjects) and other local and district scholarships related to academics and leadership
- * Recipients announced at Commencement

University Entrance Scholarships

- * Many universities guarantee scholarships based on admission averages-for example SFU offers \$5,000 for an admission average of 95%
- * Some have separate applications and some are based on your entrance application so it is important to check the scholarship website of each specific university



US Applications

- * What do they consider?
 - * Most use the Common Application
 - * <https://www.commonapp.org/>
 - * Marks for grades 9-12
 - * Character and personal qualities
 - * Student essays and personal statements are important
 - * Counsellor Recommendation Letter
 - * Teacher Recommendation Letters-subject based
 - * Context of school reflected in School Profile
 - * Good website: collegedata.com



UK & International Admissions



UCAS

- * Research is the key!
- * Tuition is considerably more expensive than Canada but on par or lower than the US
- * Dates are early, i.e. Oxford or Cambridge is Mid-September if want an interview in Canada
- * May be entrance exams such as UKCAT
- * Website: www.ucas.com
- * Studying in a foreign country can involve a complex VISA process
- * Resource: <https://ca.studyacrossthepond.com/>

TMI



- * Where do I start?
- * Spend some time researching:
 - * Focus on 2 or more schools (less than 8) of interest depending on geographical areas and interest
 - * Attend virtual University Rep's sessions- add Post-Secondary Calendar to your google calendar and sign up for Canadian University events
 - * Parents using Google calendar can use the [Google PS calendar link](#) and parents who are not using google calendar can use [this link](#) in a browser.

Important Dates and Deadlines

- * **October 8-** Canadian Universities Live Event-last day
 - * register for at <https://cuebc.org/> if you haven't done so already
- * **November 17, 2020-**Quarter 1 ends
- * **February 1, 2021-**Quarter 2 ends
- * **April 22, 2021-**Quarter 3 ends
- * **December 1, 2020** UBC entrance scholarship deadline
- * **December 15, 2020** SFU entrance Scholarship deadline
- * **January 15, 2021** – UBC application deadline
- * **January 31, 2021** – SFU application deadline
- * **May 4 – 13, 2021** – Advanced Placement Exams



Upcoming Grad Items



- * **Grad photos-Grads BC**

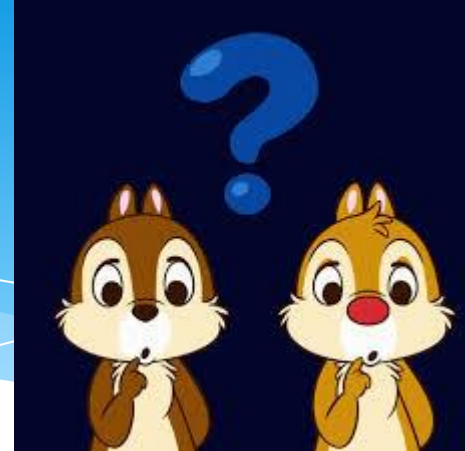
- * Grad photos will be taken at Sentinel in the cafeteria
- * **November 23-26-grads**
- * **November 27-group photos**
- * **December 9-Retakes**
- * <https://gradsbc.com/>



- * **Grad Wear-Hoodies/Sweatpants/Bags**

- * Coming soon- an email will be sent out with order information in the near future

Questions



- Do you have any additional questions?
- Add your question(s) to the google form
- Counsellors will create a FAQs sheet to be distributed at a later date
- Link to [google form](#)



GRAD 2021

A year like no other!

Let's make it great!

