



Course Planning

Grade 11 into 12

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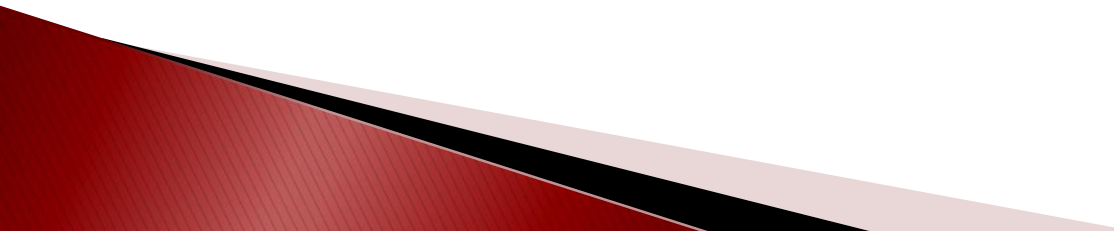
IB Co-ordinator

Timetable for September 2024

Linear System

- 8 classes from September to June
- 3 terms
- 3 reporting periods
- Classes started in September can not be changed – choose wisely!

Course Planning

1. English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12
 2. Grade 12 class
 3. Grade 12 class
 4. Grade 12 class
 5. Elective
 6. Elective
 7. Elective
 8. Career Life Connections (Capstone)
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IB Diploma Students

1. English 12 (HL) only
2. HL class
3. HL class
4. SL class (4th HL may be possible)
5. SL class
6. SL class
7. Theory of Knowledge (TOK)
8. Extended Essay (EE)
9. Creativity, Action and Service (CAS)
10. Science Seminar (if taking an HL Science)

Career Life Connections 12B

- ▶ **Experiential Learning:** 30 hours of work experience or community service.
- ▶ **TRANSITION PLANNING:** Post-secondary and career preparation
- ▶ Approximately 2 classes per month outside timetable
- ▶ Capstone Project

District Programs

- ▶ Yoga Teacher Training
- ▶ FAST (First Aid Swim Training)
- ▶ District Honour Choir 12
- ▶ YELL (Young Entrepreneurship & Leadership)
- ▶ Fashion Industry 12
- ▶ Youth Train in Trades Carpentry Program
- ▶ Mechatronics Robotics 12
- ▶ Outdoor Recreation 12
- ▶ Sport Academies (Badminton, Baseball, Basketball, Fencing, Field Hockey, Rugby, Soccer, Tennis, Volleyball)

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<https://westvancouver schools.ca/programs/>



Post-Secondary Planning

Terminology

Certificate: 1 year program at college which provides specific training (BCIT, Langara, Cap)

Diploma: 2 year program at college which provides more intensive specific training (BCIT, Langara, Cap)

Degree: 4 year academic and theoretical program (UBC, SFU, UVic, Cap U, BCIT)

University Transfer: program designed for student to transfer to bigger institution (Cap, Langara to UBC, SFU)

Post Secondary Options

College		University	Specialty	Gap Year
<p>University Transfer</p> <p>1 - 2 yrs</p> <p>For Example: Cap U Langara</p>	<p>Career Program</p> <p>Diploma or Certificate</p> <p>For example: Cap U BCIT Justice Institute VCC Langara</p>	<p>Faculty</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Arts •Business •Science •Engineering •Fine Arts <p>Degree types: Undergraduate Masters PhD</p>	<p>Art</p> <p>Chef</p> <p>Acting</p> <p>Fashion</p> <p>Dance</p> <p>Trades</p> <p>Technical</p> <p>Film</p>	<p>Work Travel</p>

Future Plans	Relevant Math Course
Technical College Trade School Some degree programs	Workplace Math 11
Science BSc Engineering BEng Commerce BComm	Pre-Calc 11 and Pre-Calc 12 Calculus Recommended/Required
Social Sciences Humanities Fine Arts	Foundations of Math 11 and/or 12

Post Secondary Admission

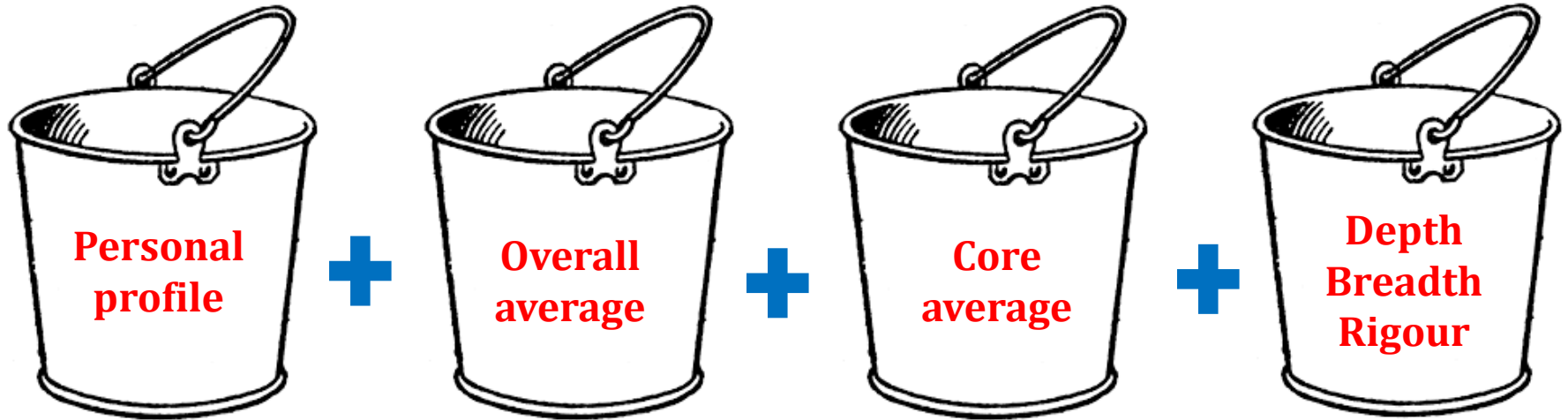
- ▶ Most institutions will require specific courses in grades 11 and 12
- ▶ **Admission Average:** Based on English 12 and at least 4 or 5 approved courses
- ▶ **Approved Courses:** Every institution will have a list of courses they accept for admission (except UBC and U of T)
- ▶ **English Language Competency:** 4 consecutive years studying in English are required, otherwise IELTS, Toefl etc.

UBC General Admission

Admission to UBC will be based on:

1. Program Specific Aptitude: a Core Average will be calculated on program related courses
2. Personal Profile: short answers and activity list
3. Overall Academic Ability: an Overall Average will be calculated based on academic Grade 11/12 courses
4. Key Courses: Pre-requisite courses and course specific minima. Depth and breadth. (70% in English 11 or 12 minimum)
5. UBC requires a 3 on the Literacy 12 Assessment

UBC Admission



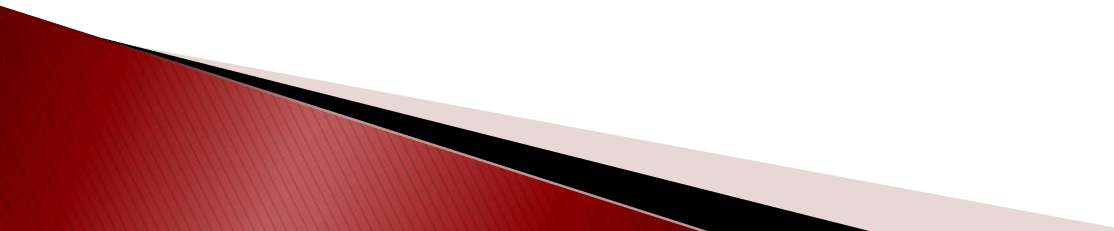
SFU General Admission

Admission to SFU will be based on

1. Minimum 5 approved grade 12s including English
2. Minimum 70% in English 12 for admission
3. Each program has specific course requirements at grade 11 and 12

Personal Profile / Broad Based Admission

UBC, Queens, Waterloo, Business programs etc.

- ▶ Leadership/group contributions
 - ▶ Academic Achievements
 - ▶ Sports
 - ▶ Creative and Performing Arts
 - ▶ Work
 - ▶ Service to others
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Counselling Website:

- ▶ University links and admission information
- ▶ Post Secondary visits
- ▶ What can I do with my degree?
- ▶ Post Secondary planner
- ▶ Scholarships

<https://wvsscounselling.weebly.com/>

Course Descriptions:

<https://westvancouver-schools.ca/westvancouver-secondary/students/course-selection-guide/>

Support and Timeline

Ms. Walton and Mr. McAllen are available in the Counselling Office. Drop-in or appointment.

Process:

Feb 5 to 15: Counsellors visit classes

Friday, March 1: MyEd portal will be closed and forms must be handed in

Friday, March 15: final day to make changes. After this date students will be placed on a waitlist

My Education BC Login

Password Blank:

You have set up an account and can log in. May need to reset password.

Temporary Password Given:

- Log in with temporary password – case sensitive
- Will need to immediately create a new password
- Password must meet security requirements

Example: Grad#2025

- Password can't contain any login info
- Password must be reset every 3 months

How to Enter Classes in MyEd

1. Log into My Education BC
2. Go to **MY INFO** tab in the left corner
3. Choose **REQUESTS** in left column
4. Input course selection
5. When finished select **POST** in bottom left corner
6. Hand in course selection sheet with **ALTERNATES** filled in