

The Changing Landscape of Post-Secondary Admissions: A Toolkit for Parents



Topics

- **Supporting**
- **Reflecting**
- **Working**
- **Networking**
- **Exploring**
- **Finding the BEST fit**
- **Understanding Post-Secondary Admissions**



Supporting

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Reflecting

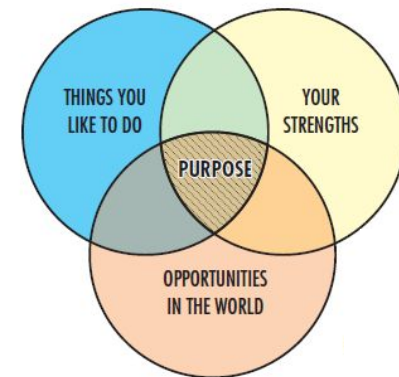
- What are you most proud of?
- What are the main stressors in your life right now?
- Of all the things you are learning, what do you think will be the most useful to you?
- What is one of the most defining moments in your life?



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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=al-VY0Tph50>

Communication Skills - Self Assessment



119
TURNED IN

46
ASSIGNED



Communication Skills Rubric June 2017

Google Docs

Each student will get a copy

Working

- myBlueprint (Grades 8-12)
- Personal project (Grade 10)
- Capstone project (Grades 11 & 12)



Who Am I

Six comprehensive interest and career assessments



Goal Setting

Create S.M.A.R.T. goals and a plan of action to stay on track



Resumes & Cover Letters

Record experiences and export them for school or work



High School Plan

Plan to graduate and discover the impact of course selections



Post-Secondary

Research the opportunities available in every pathway



Occupations

Compare extensive information on careers across Canada



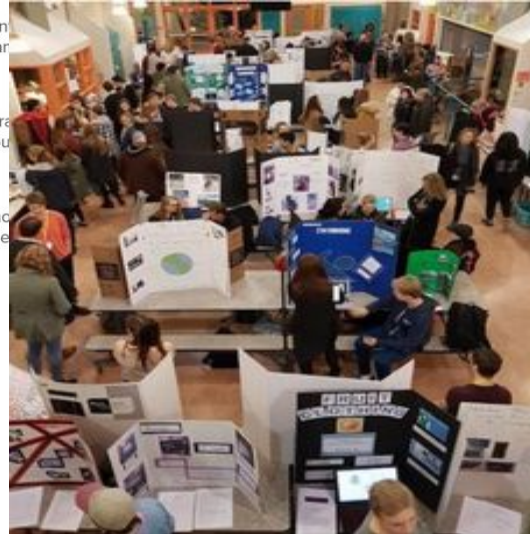
Budgets

Improve financial literacy and build an interactive budget



Portfolios

Upload and share photos and videos to multiple platforms



Graduation Transitions Portfolio

Update Banner

+ Add Box

ENTJ (the Fieldmarshal)

ENTJs are energetic, confident, driven and can be charismatic. They tend to be focused, firm, direct and decisive. They are able to...

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What does ENTJ mean?

- 1 Extraverted
- 2 Intuitive
- 3 Thinking
- 4 Judging

Term 1 DPA

ROCKRIDGE SECONDARY SCHOOL
1150 Mountain View, York Region, ON L3Y 2K6
416-882-2200 ext. 2200
www.rockridge.ca

NAME: _____

PROGRAM: _____

YOUR RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THIS TERM: _____

Activity	Start Date	End Date	Status

REMARKS:
By signing this form you certify that the registration described above has been completed by the student.
Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

High School Plan

Rockridge Secondary School Plan
18 credits unit graduation

Earned _____ 62

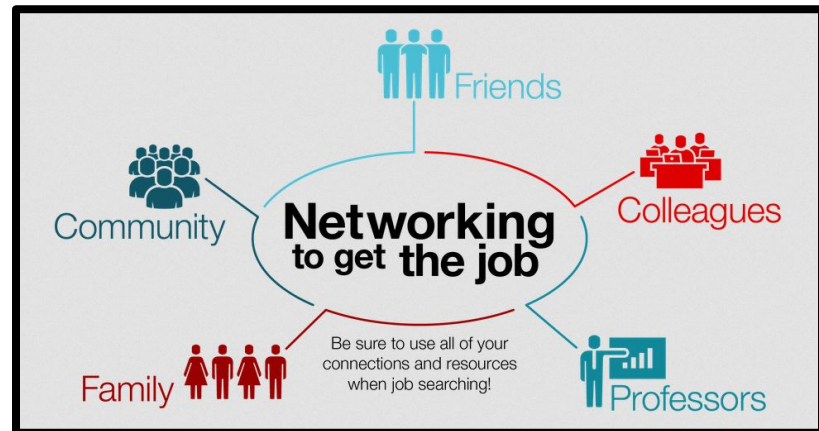
Planned _____ 18

Required _____ 80/80

15 days ago Add Reflection

Networking

- Connect with family, friends & community members
- Volunteer
- Work experience



cultivating mentoring relationships with a cohort of students across their secondary years to foster purposeful career-life development and planning	facilitating career-life development discussions and learning opportunities	providing guidance through ongoing conversations focused on students' career-life needs, interests, and goals to inform meaningful career-life choices and growth	supporting students to gather authentic evidence of learning from multiple areas of learning at school and from other contexts
advising on and facilitating the design, assembly, and presentation process for the capstone		encouraging regular self-assessment in Core Competencies development	helping students recognize and celebrate their successes, growth in learning progress, and Core Competency development
helping students locate career-life exploration opportunities that suit their needs and aspirations			
collaborating with school-based colleagues and community partners to expand students' career-life learning experiences	supporting students to develop action plans, providing descriptive feedback, monitoring their progress, and helping them navigate challenges	introducing students to suitable resources, opportunities, and other educators and community partners relevant to their passions and preferred future possibilities	



Exploring

- myBlueprint Activities
- Rockridge Career's website
- Presentations & Conferences
- Campus visits
- Webinars, virtual tours, etc.

Events for October 2018

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Day 1-1054	Gr. 8, 10, 11, 12 English Cross-Country	Day 1-10314	Day 2-2014K	Day 1-10124		
Gr. 8, 10, 11, 12 English Cross-Country	Day 2-1024	Understanding the Common Application University of San Diego	Gr. 12 Parent Night	Gr. 9 Gross Mountian Day		
Canadian University Career Center				Why attending a US Small Liberal Arts Institution makes sense: "Milly College"		
Thanksgiving Day - Holiday	Day 1-1024	Gr. 9 English Class	Day 1-1014K	Day 2-2014		
	Gr. 9 English Cross-Country	PSAT	US College and University Fair	Wesley University		
	Arizona State University	University of Rochester		Lehigh & Clark College		
	Carleton University	US Admission Information Session: Uniccogs				
Day 1-10124	Grad Photos	Grad Photos	Grad Photos	Professional Development Day		Study and Go Abroad Fair
Grad Photos	Day 2-1024	Day 1-1024	Day 2-1024			
University of Southern California	Chris Bart Presentation	University of Massachusetts Lowell	University of Birmingham			
University of King's College Halifax		Roose University				

ROCKRIDGE CAREERS

COURSES

CAREER EXPLORATION

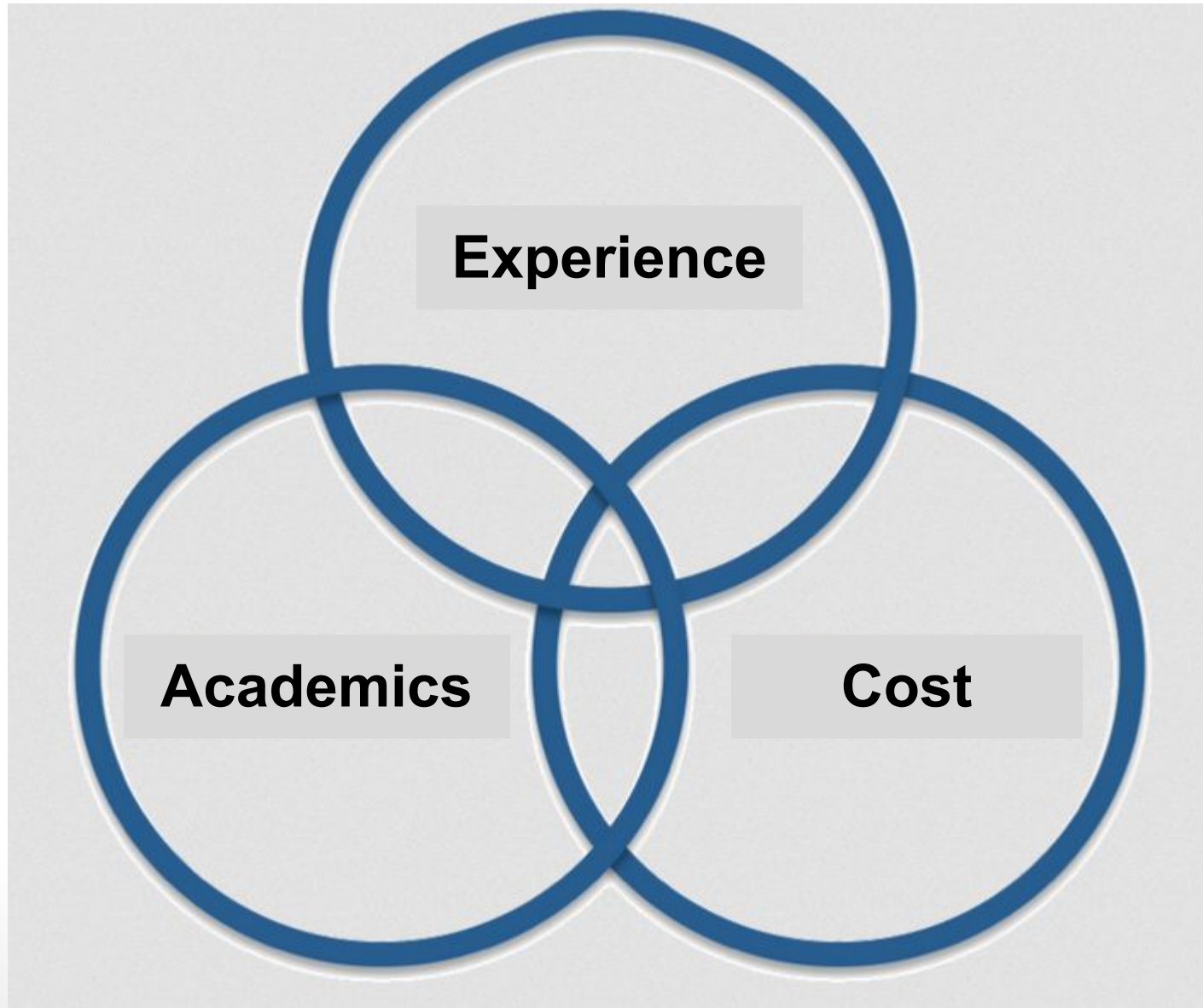
POST SECONDARY

SCHOLARSHIP/FINANCE

GAP YEAR/TRAVEL



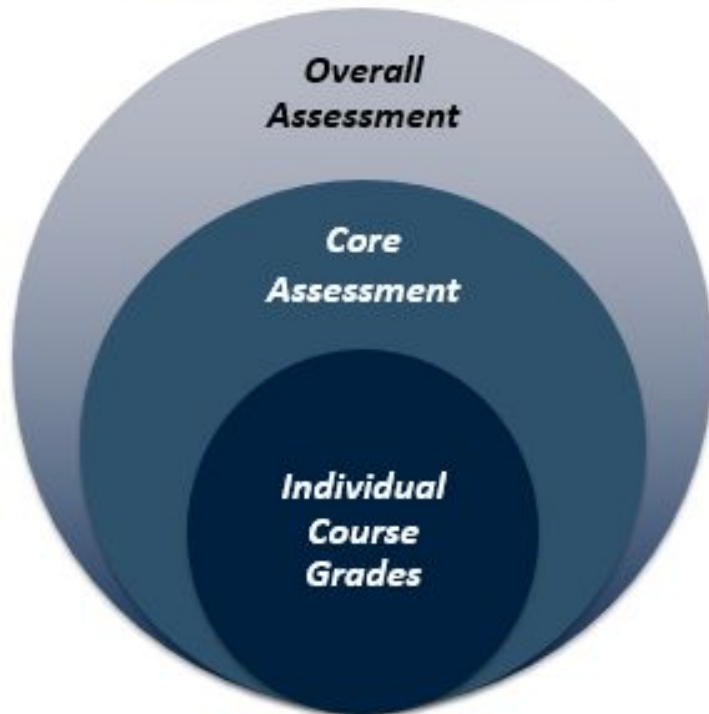
Finding the Best Fit



Understanding Post-Secondary Admissions

COMPETITIVE ADMISSIONS AT UBC

ACADEMIC ASSESSMENT



PERSONAL PROFILE ASSESSMENT



For more information on the UBC personal profile, see you.ubc.ca