



COURSE SELECTION HANDBOOK

2025 - 2026

Course Information

Please reach out to your alpha Guidance Counsellor (link on the CKSS website homepage) if you have any questions about your courses.

MyBlueprint Website;

- At any time during the year, students can read course descriptions and plan courses in [MyBlueprint.ca/halton](https://myblueprint.ca/halton). It is a comprehensive resource for School and Career planning. **Please take the time to explore it with your student.**

CKSS Website;

- Another great resource for course information is the school's website at cks.hdsb.ca. From the homepage, click on *Student Services > Course Selection*. There you will find links to which courses you need to graduate, as well as links to the *Virtual Course Fair* that contain course descriptions written by CK Staff members.

CKSS Google Classrooms (by grade);

- Throughout the school year, Guidance staff will post important information about courses, key dates and times, deadlines and links to the Grade Google Classrooms. Make sure you are seeing these posts and that you have signed up for the correct grade classroom; from the CK homepage, click on *Student Services* and scroll down.

Course Selection for 2025-26 School Year;

- Course selection will be open on myBlueprint until **February 6th, 2025**.

Please use this guide while reading the course descriptions found in myBlueprint to make careful and thoughtful selections.

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CHART OF COURSE OFFERINGS (For ALP and IB students please see IB section of CK website)

For detailed information regarding prerequisites, please refer to the course descriptions available on myblueprint.ca/halton.

DEPARTMENT	GRADE 9 Course Codes: D = Academic W = Destreamed L or 9 = Essential O = Open 4 = French Immersion	GRADE 10 Course Codes: D = Academic E = Workplace O = Open P = Applied 4 = French Immersion	GRADE 11 Course Codes: C = College E = Workplace M = University/College O = Open U = University 4 = French Immersion	GRADE 12 Course Codes: C = College E = Workplace M = University/College O = Open U = University 4 = French Immersion
THE ARTS <i>Drama</i>	ADA1O1 Drama	ADA2O1 Drama	ADA3M1 Drama	ADA4M1 Drama
	ADA1O4 Drama(FI)			
Music	AMU1O1 Music (Band)	AMU2O1 Music (Band)	AMU3M1 Music (Band)	AMU4M1 Music (Band)
	AMV1O1 Vocal Music	AMV2O1 Vocal Music	AMV3M1 Vocal Music	AMV4M1 Vocal Music
		AMG2O1 Guitar	AMG3O1 Guitar	AMG4M1 Guitar
Visual Art	AVI1O1 Visual Arts	AVI2O1 Visual Art	AVI3M1 Visual Art AVI3O1 Visual Art	AVI4M1 Visual Art AVI4E1 Visual Art
		The prerequisite for AMG4M1 can be either AMG3O1, AMU3M1 or AMV3M1.	AWM3M1 Murals & Street Art AWQ3O1 Photography	AWM4M1 Murals & Street Art AWQ4M1 Photography
BUSINESS	BEM1O1 Building the Entrepreneurial Mindset	BEP2O1 Exploring Business	BAF3M1 Accounting BNI3C1 Retail & Service Marketing BDI3C1 Entrepreneurship	BAT4M1 Accounting BBB4M1 International Business BOH4M1 Business Leadership BDV4C1 Entrepreneurship
			NBE3U1/ENG3U or any Gr. 11 U or M Humanities/Social Sciences, Canadian and World Studies	IDC4UW Entertainment & Sports Marketing CIA4U1 Economics
CANADIAN & WORLD STUDIES	CGC1W1 Exploring Canadian Geography CGC1D9 Geography	CHC2D1 History CHC2P1 History CHC2L9 History CHV2O1* Civics (0.5 credit) *Goes with GLC2O1	CHA3U1 American History CHW3M1 Ancient History CLU3M1 Understanding Can. Law CGG3O1 Travel & Tourism	CHY4U1 World History CLN4U1 Canadian & Int. Law CHY4C1 World History CLN4C1 Legal Studies
COMPUTER STUDIES		ICD2O1 Digital Technology and Innovations in the Changing World	ICS3C1 Intro to Computer Programming ICS3U1 Intro to Computer Science	ICS4C1 Computer Programming ICS4U1 Computer Science
CO-OPERATIVE EDUCATION			COP3O8 2 credits: available in all subject areas COP3E8 OYFAS1 OYAP Fast - 4 Credits	COP4O8 2 credits: available in all subject areas COP4E8
ENGLISH	ENL1W1 English	ENG2D1 English ENG2P1 English	NBE3U1 English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Metis & Inuit Voices NBE3C1 English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Metis & Inuit Voices NBE3E1 English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Metis & Inuit Voices	ENG4U1 English EWC4U1 Writer's Craft ENG4C1 English EWC4C1 Writer's Craft ENG4E1 English
ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	CGC1WE Geography SNC1WE Science MTH1WE Math	ESLAO1 ESLD01 CHV2OE & GLC2OE ESLB01 ESLE01 GLC2OE ESLCO1 CHC2PE History SNC2PE Science	MEL3EE Math ELLS may take a Learning Strategies course in Gr. 11 and/or Gr. 12	GLN4OE Navigating the Workplace GLS4OE Learning Strategies SNC4EE Science
FRENCH	FSF1D1 French FSF1D9 French (Locally Developed) FSF1O1 French (Introductory)	FSF2D1 French	FSF3U1 French	FSF4U1 French
FRENCH IMMERSION	FIF1D4 French(FI) ADA1O4 Drama(FI) CGC1W4 Geography(FI) HIF1O4 Family Studies (FI)	FIF2D4 French(FI) CHC2D4 History(FI) CHV2O4 Civics(FI) (0.5 credit) GLC2O4 Careers(FI) (0.5 credit)	FIF3U4 French(FI) HSP3U4 Anthropology, Psychology & Sociology (FI)	FIF4U4 French(FI)
GUIDANCE & CAREERS/ SPECIAL EDUCATION	GLS1O1 Learning Strategies GLE1O1 Learning Strategies	GLC2O1* Careers (0.5 credit) *Goes with CHV2O1	GLE3O1 Learning Strategies	GLE4O1 Learning Strategies
HEALTHY ACTIVE LIVING	PAI1O1 Individual and Small Group Activities Phys. Ed. - All Gender PPL1OF Female Phys. Ed. PPL1OM Male Phys. Ed.	PPL2OF Female Phys. Ed. PPL2OM Male Phys. Ed. PAI2O1 Individual and Small Group Activities Phys. Ed. - All Gender	PAD3O1 Outdoor Education PAF3O1 All Gender Fitness & Weight Training PAF3OF Female Fitness PPL3O1 All Gender Phys. Ed.	PAD4O1 Outdoor Education PAF4O1 All Gender Fitness & Weight Training PAF4OF Female Fitness & Weight Training PLF4M1 Recreation & Fitness Leadership PPL4O1 All Gender Phys. Ed. PSK4U1 Kinesiology
MATHEMATICS	MTH1W1 Math MAT1L9 Math	MPM2D1 Math MFM2P1 Math MAT2L9 Math	MCR3U1 Functions MCF3M1 Functions & Applications MBF3C1 Foundations for College Math MEL3E1 Math for Work & Everyday Life	MHF4U1 Advanced Functions MCV4U1 Calculus & Vectors MDM4U1 Data Management IDC4UN Personal Finance MAP4C1 Foundations for College Math MEL4E1 Math for Work & Everyday Life
SCIENCE	SNC1W1 Science SNC1L9 Science	SNC2D1 Science SNC2P1 Science SNC2L9 Science	SBi3U1 Biology SCH3U1 Chemistry SPH3U1 Physics SVN3M1 Environmental Science SNC2D or any Grade 11 C/M/U Science SBI3C1 Biology	SBi4U1 Biology SCH4U1 Chemistry SPH4U1 Physics SNC4M1 Health Science SCH4C1 Chemistry SPH4C1 Physics (offered in 2025/26) continued on back cover...

	GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
SOCIAL SCIENCE & HUMANITIES		HNL2O1 Clothing ENG2D1 or CHC2D1 (Prerequisites)	HNC3C1 Understanding Fashion HPC3O1 Parenting HSP3U1 Anthropology, Psychology & Sociology HSP3C1 Anthropology, Psychology & Sociology HZB3M1 Philosophy	HIP4O1 Personal Life Management All "H" Courses below have prerequisites - see myBlueprint! HNB4M1 The World of Fashion HPD4C1 Working with School-Aged Children HHS4U1 Families in Canada HHS4C1 Families in Canada HSB4U1 Society: Challenge/Change HJT4U1 Philosophy
TECHNOLOGICAL EDUCATION	TAS1O1 Technology and the Skilled Trades	TGJ2O1 Communications Tech. TEJ2O1 Computer Tech. TCJ2O1 Construction THJ2O1 Green Industries	TGG3M1 Graphic Design/Yearbook TGJ3M1 Communications Tech. TEJ3M1 Computer Tech. TCJ3C1 Construction TWJ3E1 Custom Woodworking THJ3M1 Green Industries THJ3M2 Green Industries (2 credits) THJ3E1 Green Industries THJ3E2 Green Industries (2 credits) TXH3E1 Barbering TXJ3E1 Hair/Aesthetics TXJ3E2 Hair/Aesthetics (2 credits) TXA3E1 Special Effects Make-Up	TGG4M1 Graphic Design/Yearbook TGJ4M1 Communications Tech. TEJ4M1 Computer Engineering Tech. TCJ4C1 Construction TWJ4E1 Custom Woodworking THJ4M1 Green Industries THJ4M2 Green Industries (2 credits) THJ4E1 Green Industries THJ4E2 Green Industries (2 credits) TXJ4E1 Hair/Aesthetics TXJ4E2 Hair/Aesthetics (2 credits) TXA4E1 Special Effects Make-Up
		*NOTE Tech Courses in Grades 10 & 11 do NOT have a prerequisite	TFJ2O1 Hospitality TFJ3C2 Hospitality TFB3E1 Baking TFB3E2 Baking (2 credits)	TFJ4C1 Hospitality TFJ4C2 Hospitality (2 credits) TFB4E1 Baking TFB4E2 Baking (2 credits)
		Arrows indicate the prerequisite course needed	TDJ2O1 Tech. Design TTJ2O1 Auto-Mechanics TTJ2OA Auto-Body	TDJ4M1 Tech. Design: Engineering/Architecture TTJ4C1 Auto-Mechanics TTB4C1 Auto-Body
	eLearning Course Offerings 2025-26	Please visit www.hdsb.ca > Learning and Resources > Virtual Learning > eLearning		

