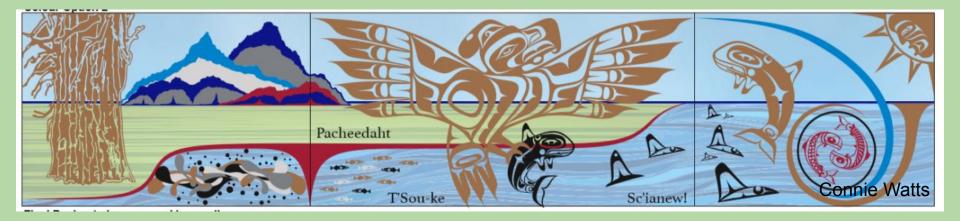
Course Selection for: Gr 11s going into Gr 12

Things you need to know before picking your classes for next year.



We would like to acknowledge the traditional territories of the Coast Salish, specifically Esquimalt Nation and Songhees Nation on which the school is built; and the nations SD62 works with Beecher Bay, Scia'new Nation, T'Sou-ke Nation, and Nuu-chah-nulth Pacheedaht Nation to the west. We recognize the territory and nation. We thank them for sharing this beautiful land.

Hych'ka – Coast Salish

Kleco Kleco – Nuu-chah-nulth

All students need to have access to their MyEd Student Portal

For instructions and direct links go to the Belmont website, under "Students" tab, click "MyEd student portal"

or click here http://belmont.web.sd62.bc.ca/students/myed-student-portal-information/

Link to MyEd login page: https://myeducation.gov.bc.ca/aspen/logon.do

If you are "locked out", send an email to <u>belmontmyedportalsupport@sd62.bc.ca</u>

Before you select your courses, consider:

- What classes you need to graduate high school.
- What potential career(s) you are interested in.
- What classes would be useful going into the above career(s), or what classes are needed to apply to post-secondary programs for those career(s).

Explore Potential Careers

The career you are interested in may require you to have specific high school courses.

For example:

NURSING: BACCALAUREATE OF SCIENCE DEGREE (BSCN) @ Camosun requires:

- An English 11
- an English 12
- Life Sciences 11 or Biology 11
- Biology 12
- Chemistry 11
- Chemistry 12
- a Social Studies 11
- and an <u>approved academic Grade 12 course</u>



CULINARY ARTS CERTIFICATE (PROFESSIONAL COOK I AND II) at Vancouver Island University requires:

• high school graduation (or equivalent) with English Studies 12 (C) or English First Peoples 12 (C)

Helpful resources to explore career paths and post-secondary requirements:

Education Planner BC https://www.educationplannerbc.ca/

(Video about how to search https://youtu.be/gLLrgotHIAE)



MyBlueprint www.myblueprint.ca



Please join the "Belmont Grade 11s" google classroom.

That's where we will post this information, and more :)

Email / Ms. Sandberg if you need access.

rsandberg@sd62.bc.ca

It becomes the "Grad 2024" google classroom next year.



Potential employers are looking for relevant experience

For Example:

You want to work in the Restaurant industry:

- Food Studies
- Baking & Decorating
- Culinary Arts

You want to be a manager or run your own business:

- Entrepreneurship & Marketing
- Accounting
- Web design





Graduation Requirements

> a minimum of 80 credits (4 per course) total are required to graduate

Within the minimum 80 credits, you must have:

- ☐ English 10
- Social Studies 10
- ☐ Science 10
- Math 10
- Physical & Health Education 10
- Career Life Education 10
- ☐ English 11
- a Social Studies 11 or 12
- □ a Science 11 or 12
- □ a Math 11 or 12
- ☐ English 12
- Career Life Connections 12 (Including 30 hours Career exploration, <u>AND</u> a Capstone project)
- ☐ At least 28 Elective credits

At least one or more of the above must be an:

- Arts Education **or** an Applied Design, Skills, and Technologies course
- an Indigenous-focused course (10-12)



Indigenous-Focused Requirement

Effective the 2023/24 school year, all students working toward a B.C. Certificate of Graduation ("Dogwood Diploma"), in English or French, must successfully complete at least 4 credits in Indigenous-focused coursework.

Students can meet this graduation requirement through a variety of course options at any time during grade 11 or 12.

Currently Belmont offers the following courses:

- English First Peoples: Literary Studies and Writing 11 and AVID (requires an application)
- English First Peoples: Literary Studies and New Media 11 (also satisfies the English 11 requirement)
- English First Peoples 12 (also satisfies the English 12 requirement)
- Contemporary Indigenous Studies 12 (also satisfies the Social Studies 11 or 12 requirement)
- B.C. First Peoples 12 (also satisfies the Social Studies 11 or 12 requirement)

MISSING ANY GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS ????

If you know you are missing any of the course requirements for graduation, make sure you select those courses instead of new electives.

If you are unsure - check with your counsellor!



SD62 Gr. 10-12 Full Credit Summer Learning July 10 - Aug 4, 2023 Monday - Friday at Belmont Secondary School

Registration free of charge for:

- SD62 students entering grade 10-12 in Sept 2023
- current & recent grade 12 students who live within SD62
- recently graduated students (Math/Science/English only)

ISP Students - contact ISP office for fee information

Benefits of Summer Learning:

- creates flexibility in your Sept-June schedule allowing more room for electives
- supports possible early graduation
- allows for focused learning in 1 or 2 subjects
- opportunity to improve course mark or GPA
- fewer people in the building creates a 'small school' environment that many students enjoy

CLASS SCHEDULE *

MORNING: 9AM - 11:30AM

SCIENCE 10 ENGLISH 10 CAREER LIFE EDUCATION 10 PRE-CALCULUS MATH 11 LIFE SCIENCES 11 ACTIVE LIVING 11/12 ENGLISH STUDIES 12 WORLD HISTORY 12 PRE-CALCULUS MATH 12

AFTERNOON: 12PM - 2:30PM

SOCIAL STUDIES 10
FOUNDATIONS & PRE-CALCULUS 10
PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION 10
WORKPLACE MATH 11
ENGLISH COMPOSITION 11
ANATOMY & PHYSIOLOGY 12
SOCIAL JUSTICE 12

*All classes are offered subject to enrolment. Classes with insufficient enrolment will be cancelled and students will be offered the chance to select an alternate course.

Register Online: www.westshorecentre.com

phone: 250-391-9002 email: westshore@sd62.bc.ca

Summer Session is a great way to:

- get caught up on missing graduation requirements
- take a class or two off your plate during the regular school year
- Focus on a class that needs more attention

REGISTER NOW - if you're considering summer session - because they will only run the course if enough people register for it.

Click here:

https://www.westshorecentre.com/langford -campus/summer-learning/

For Grade 12, you are required to take:

- an English 12
- Career Life Connections 12
- Plus 6 (or more) electives

English 12

Choose one (1) of the following:

- English Studies 12
- English First Peoples 12 (also satisfies the Indigenous-focused course requirement)
- English 12 AVID (yearlong, by application only)



Career Life Connections 12

3 components:

- Students will explore the following big ideas:
 - Career-life development includes ongoing cycles of exploring, planning, reflecting, adapting and deciding.
 - Career-life decisions influence and are influenced by internal and external factors, including local and global trends.
 - Engaging in networks and reciprocal relationships can guide and broaden career-life awareness and options.
 - A sense of purpose and career-life balance support well-being.
 - Lifelong learning and active citizenship foster career-life opportunities for people and communities.
- 30 hrs work/life exploration:
 - o students are required to complete 30 hours of work experience/ volunteerism/ community service
- Capstone project:
 - also known as a culminating project or experience, allows students to demonstrate their learning using an area of interest as the basis for the project.

*** TIP - if you happen to be working or volunteering, or working on a "passion project" in grade 11, or over the summer, keep record of hours, make some notes, collect evidence of progress (pics or video).

Electives

All students will select 6 Electives PLUS 2 Alternative choices

These can be from any subject area (art, music, science, math, trade skills, physical education, social studies, technology, etc)

What you choose may depend on what career path / post-secondary program you are interested in.

There are a multitude of elective options available at Belmont. Please see the course selection booklet for course names and descriptions.

https://belmont.web.sd62.bc.ca/students/course-selection/

Dual Credit

Students can:

- earn secondary school credits for graduation, as well as start their post secondary career training.
- You have both a Camosun instructor and High School teacher.
- only 1 DC course allowed per student (2 with permission from Career Centre)

<u>Interested students must ensure</u> <u>prerequisites are met (see course booklet)</u>

by contacting the Career Centre staff Ms. Arkell, Ms. Bodman, or
Mrs. Robertson in room A117

(across from Wellness Clinic)

Dual Credit courses offered at Belmont next year are:

- Biology 12 / Biology 103
- Psychology 12 / Psychology 130
- Law 12 / Criminology 154
- Studio Art 12 / Art 102
- Calculus 12
- Accounting 12 / Accounting 110
- Marketing 12 / Marketing 110
- Fitness & Condi 12 / Kinesiology 120
- Child Dev & Caregiving 12 / Psychology 154
- TEAC (Explorations in Engineering)

Work Experience 12A and 12B (outside the timetable)

- Work Experience 12A and 12B courses are offered to students in Grade 11 and 12, and provides 4 credits each, depending on the number of volunteer, paid, and/or career exploration hours completed.
- A minimum of 100 hours of school-approved work experience is required for each course. (yes, you can use the job you already have)
- Students must register during course selection (or with Mrs. Robertson in May/June or September), and complete an orientation / paperwork prior to accumulating hours.
- Please see Mrs. Robertson in room A119 (across from Wellness Centre)
- Must have Career Life Education 10 complete before you can start WEx 12A.

In order to graduate, students must have completed the three Provincial Graduation Assessments:

- Grade 10 Literacy Assessment
- Grade 10 Numeracy Assessment
- Grade 12 Literacy Assessment.
 - O Please note some post-secondary schools now require at least a score of 3 on the Literacy 12 Assessment

** if you missed, or would like to retake any of the assessments, please let your counselor know.

You will be scheduled to take it sometime in:

November, January, April, or June

Online Learning @ Belmont

New for September students can choose to take one or more of their grade 10-12 course(s) via online learning when they complete their BSS course selection form.

Online courses are designed for self-study, which means you go through the course at your own pace with the support of a teacher.

This is ideal for learners who wish to take responsibility for establishing their own timelines and require flexible learning.

Many course options available for:

- PHE 10
- English 10, 11, and 12
- Math 10, 11, and 12
- Science 10, 11, and 12
- Social Studies 10, 11, and 12
- Career Education 10 and 12

Option #1: BSS Online Learning Classroom

- included in the student timetable
- The BSS OL classroom is supervised by an online learning teacher who can support students with completing their online course(s).

Option #2: Off-site Distance Learning

 Students complete their online course(s) at home and access teacher support as needed, via email, phone, video meeting or in person by appointment.

Select your courses online through your MyEd student portal

Course selection window open from Feb 13 - 21st.

Click this link for instructions on how to log into your MyEd student portal, and make your course selection requests for next school year.

https://belmont.web.sd62.bc.ca/students/course-selection/

You can make changes to your course request until Feb 21st.

When in MyEd searching for classes, please note...



SeqNo	CourseNumber	CourseDescription		
10 🗏	MCTWR10	CREATIVE WRITING 10 (OPTION B)		
20	MLTST10	LITERARY STUDIES 10 (OPTION A)		
30	MLTST10ISP	LITERARY STUDIES 10: ISP FOR ELL STUDENTS		
40	MFMP-10	FOUNDATIONS OF MATH AND PRE-CALCULUS 10		
50	MWPM-10	WORKPLACE MATHEMATICS 10		
60	MSC10	SCIENCE 10		
70 📃	MSS10	SOCIAL STUDIES 10		
80	MPHED10	PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION 10		
90	MPHED10AL	PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION 10: ACTIVE LIVING		
100	MCMPS10HOL	COMPOSITION 10: ONLINE		
110	MCTWR10HOL	CREATIVE WRITING 10: ONLINE	For English 10 must pick 2 online classes to get full credit for English 10.	
120	MEFLS10HOL	EFP LITERARY STUDIES 10: ONLINE		
130	MEFWR10HOL	EFP WRITING 10: ONLINE		
140	MLTST10HOL	LITERARY STUDIES 10: ONLINE		
150	MNMD-10HOL	NEW MEDIA 10: ONLINE		
160	MSPLG10HOL	SPOKEN LANGUAGE 10: ONLINE		
170	MFMP-10HOL	FOUNDATIONS OF MATH & PRE-CALCULUS 10: ONLINE		
180	MWPM-10HOL	WORKPLACE MATHEMATICS 10: ONLINE		
190	MSC10HOL	SCIENCE 10 ONLINE		
200	MSS-10HOL	SOCIAL STUDIES 10: ONLINE		
210	MPHED10HOL	PHYSICAL AND HEALTH EDUCATION 10: ONLINE		
220	MCLE-10HOL	CAREER LIFE EDUCATION (0: ONLINE)		

If you would like to choose an online version of a course, you must select the one with "online" after the course name.

Any questions:

- Check in with your school counselor
 - https://belmont.web.sd62.bc.ca/resources/counselling/
 - Ms. Pettigrew A to Gh <u>spettigrew@sd62.bc.ca</u>
 - Mr. Robertson will join us in September.
 - Mrs. Kiefert Gi to N <u>mkiefert@sd62.bc.ca</u>
 - Ms. Sandberg O to Z <u>rsandberg@sd62.bc.ca</u>

Also ask your teachers and talk to your parents