

# ORANGEVILLE DISTRICT SECONDARY SCHOOL

## Course Planning Guide

2023-2024



Use this guide to plan your classes for  
next year and future years

If you have any questions, contact our  
Guidance Department at 519-941-0491 ext. 221

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# What Courses Should I Choose?

GRADE 9 Choose 8	GRADE 10 Choose 8	GRADE 11 Choose 8	Grade 12 Choose 6, 7 or 8
English	English	English	English
Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Choice 1
Science	Science	Choice 1	Choice 2
French	History	Choice 2	Choice 3
Geography	Civics (.5 credit)	Choice 3	Choice 4
Healthy Active Living	Careers (.5 credit)	Choice 4	Choice 5
Choice 1	Choice 1	Choice 5	Choice 6
Choice 2	Choice 2	Choice 6	Choice 7
	Choice 3		

Use this planner pamphlet to see all the learning opportunities available at O.D.S.S. For full course descriptions, login to your [myBlueprint](#) account and check out the high school planner.

## QUESTIONS?

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# Courses of Study

The 5th character in a course code tells you the course of study, for example PPL1O—the O stands for open

## GRADE 9

<b>D and W</b> Single and De-streamed	<b>O</b> Open	<b>L</b> Locally Developed
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## GRADE 10

<b>D</b> Academic	<b>P</b> Applied	<b>O</b> Open	<b>L</b> Locally Developed
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## GRADES 11 & 12

Choose the course according to your pathway (College, University, Workplace, etc.)

<b>U</b> University	<b>M</b> College or University	<b>C</b> College	<b>O</b> Open	<b>E</b> Workplace
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## BUSINESS PROGRAMS

### Grade 9

- BTT10 Information & Communication Tech- Open

### Grade 10

- BBI20 Introduction to Business - Open

### Grade 11

- BDI3C Entrepreneurship: The Venture - College
- BAF3M Financial Accounting Fundamentals - College/University
- GPP30 Peer Leadership - Open

### Grade 12

- BAT4M Principals of Financial Accounting - College/University
- BBB4M Introduction to International Business - College/University
- BOH4M Business Leadership - College/University
- BOG4E Business Leadership - Workplace

### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) - BUSINESS**

If your post-secondary aspirations are in business – for example, in entrepreneurship, finance, accounting, retail, marketing, international business, economics, management & administration, or event planning — you may want to consider joining the SHSM program for more opportunities. Consult the SHSM chart and ask your teacher or guidance for more details.

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## CANADA & WORLD STUDIES

### Grade 9

- CGC1D Issues in Canadian Geography

### Grade 10

- CHC2L Canadian History since WW1 - Locally Developed
- CHC2D Canadian History Since WW1 - Academic
- CHC2P Canadian History Since WW1 - Applied
- CHV2O Civics - 0.5 credit (taken with GLC2O careers)

### Grade 11

- CGF3M Forces of Nature: Physical Processes and Disasters - College/University
- CHW3M World History to the end of the Fifteenth Century - College/University
- CLU3M Understanding Canadian Law - College/University
- CLU3E Understanding Canadian Law in Everyday Life - Workplace

### Grade 12

- CGW4U World Issues: A Geographic Analysis - University
- CGR4M Environmental & Resource Management - Greenhouse - College/University
- CGR4E Living in a Sustainable World - Greenhouse - Workplace
- CHY4U World History Since the Fifteenth Century - University
- CLN4U Canadian & International Law - University
- CHM4E Adventures in World History - Workplace


### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) - ENVIRONMENT**


If your post-secondary aspirations are in the environment – for example in environmental science, environmental studies, outdoor education related careers — you may want to consider joining the SHSM program for more opportunities. Consult the SHSM chart and ask your teacher or guidance for more details.

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## ENGLISH COURSES

Grade 9	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG1L - Locally Developed combined with 	<input type="checkbox"/> ELS2O Literacy Leadership Part 1 (2-credits when paired with ENG1L)
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG1D	

Grade 10	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG2L - Locally Developed combined with 	<input type="checkbox"/> ESP3O Literacy Leadership Part 2 (2-credits when paired with ENG2L)
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG2P - Applied	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG2D - Academic	

Grade 11	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG3E - Workplace	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG3C - College	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG3U - University	
<input type="checkbox"/> NBE3C - Indigenous Studies - College *Instead of ENG3C	
<input type="checkbox"/> NBE3U - Indigenous Studies -University *Instead of ENG3U	

Grade 12	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG4E - Workplace	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG4C - College	
<input type="checkbox"/> ENG4U - University	

Grade 12 Additional English Courses	
<input type="checkbox"/> OLC40 Literacy Course - Open	
<input type="checkbox"/> EWC4C The Writer's Craft - College	
<input type="checkbox"/> EWC4U The Writer's Craft - University	
<input type="checkbox"/> ETS4C Religion and Literature - College	
<input type="checkbox"/> ETS4U Religion & Literature - University	

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## FINE ARTS PROGRAMME

<b>Grade 9</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ADA10 Drama - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AMU10 Instrumental Music - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AVI10 Art - Open
<b>Grade 10</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ADA20 Drama - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AWS20 Digital Media - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AMG20 Introduction to Guitar and Contemporary Music - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AMU20 Instrumental Music - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AWA20 Arts & Crafts
<input type="checkbox"/> AVI20 Art - Open
<b>Grade 11</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ADA3M Drama - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AWS3M Digital Media - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AMG3O Guitar - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> AMU3M Instrumental Music - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> ATC3M Dance - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AWA3O Arts & Crafts
<input type="checkbox"/> AVI3M Art - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> FTEARTS - Triple Threat: Music Theatre Production
<b>Grade 12</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> ADA4M Drama - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AWS4M Digital Media - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AMG4M Instrumental Music - Guitar - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AMU4M Instrumental Music - Woodwind, Brass, Percussion - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> ATC4M Dance - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> AVI4M Art - College/University

### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) - ARTS & CULTURE**

If your post-secondary aspirations are in arts & culture – for example, in dance, dramatic arts management, technical production, media communications, expressing art, etc. — you may want to consider joining the SHSM program for more opportunities. Consult the SHSM chart and ask your teacher or guidance for more details.

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## GUIDANCE

<b>Grade 9</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> GLE10 Learning Strategies

<b>Grade 10</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> GLC20 Career Studies - 0.5 credit (taken with CHV20 civics)
<input type="checkbox"/> GLE20 Learning Strategies

<b>Grade 11</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> GLE30 Learning Strategies

## Yearbook and Journalism

<b>Grade 11</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> IDC30 Yearbook and Journalism

<b>Grade 12</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> IDP4U1 Yearbook and Journalism



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## Co-op

Grade 11	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FTECO2 Grade 11 2-credit Co-op - Designing Your Future - Spend half the day at co-op placement
<input type="checkbox"/>	FTECO4 Grade 11 4-credit Co-op - Designing Your Future - Spend the full day at co-op placement

Grade 12	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FTECO2T Grade 12 2-credit Co-op - Navigating the Workplace - Spend half the day at co-op placement
<input type="checkbox"/>	FTECO4T Grade 12 4-credit Co-op - Navigating the Workplace - Spend the full day at co-op placement

### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) PROGRAMS**

The SHSM program allows students to focus their learning on a skill-set and area of knowledge in a particular sector specific industry while working toward their Ontario Secondary School Diploma. SHSM students will be provided the opportunity to earn certifications and training, at no cost—such as First Aid, CPR, WHMIS, Working at Heights, Smart Serve, Leadership skills, Customer Service Skills, etc. These opportunities can be added to resumes, to help students be better prepared for the post-secondary destination of their choice. Requirements to receive this special designation are specific to each sector but include completing compulsory credits -including a 2 credit Co-op, certifications, reach-ahead experiences and sector partnered experiences. Students successful in the program will receive a SHSM designation on their diploma.

The sectors offered at ODSS in the SHSM program are;

- **Arts & Culture**
- **Business**
- **Construction**
- **Environment**
- **Health & Wellness**
- **Hospitality & Tourism**
- **Transportation**
- **Manufacturing**

See Guidance for more information

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## HEALTHY ACTIVE LIVING

Grade 9
<input type="checkbox"/> PPL10 Healthy Active Living - Open

Grade 10
<input type="checkbox"/> PPL2OF Healthy Active Living - Female Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PPL2OM Healthy Active Living - Male Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF20 Fitness - Open

Grade 11
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF3OF Fitness - Female Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF3OM Fitness - Male Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF30 Fitness (Sports specific)
<input type="checkbox"/> PAL30 Healthy Active Living - Large Group Activities - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> PAD30 Healthy Active Living - Recreation and Leisure Activities - Open

Grade 12
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF4OF Fitness - Female Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF4OM Fitness - Male Identifying, Gender Diverse
<input type="checkbox"/> PAF40 Fitness (Sports specific)
<input type="checkbox"/> PSK4U Introductory Kinesiology - University
<input type="checkbox"/> PAL40 Healthy Active Living - Large Group Activities - Open
<input type="checkbox"/> PAD40 Healthy Active Living - Recreation and Leisure Activities -Open

### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) -**

#### **ENVIRONMENT or HEALTH & WELLNESS**

If your post-secondary aspirations are in the environment or health & wellness – for example in outdoor education related careers, fitness related careers, etc. — you may want to consider joining the SHSM program for more opportunities. Consult the SHSM chart and ask your teacher or guidance for more details.

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## LANGUAGES

Grade 9	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF1D Core French
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF1O French for Beginners - Open, for students with little or no French experience

Grade 10	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF2D Core French - Academic
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF2P Core French - Applied

Grade 11	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF3U French - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF3O French - Open

Grade 12	
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF4U French - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	FSF4O French - Open

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## MATHEMATICS COURSES

Grade 9	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MTH1W Mathematics
<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT1L Locally Developed Mathematics

Grade 10	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MPM2D Principals of Mathematics - Academic
<input type="checkbox"/>	MFM2P Foundations of Mathematics - Applied
<input type="checkbox"/>	MAT2L Locally Developed Mathematics
<input type="checkbox"/>	ICS2O Introduction to Computer Studies - Open

Grade 11	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MCR3U Functions - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	MCF3M Functions and Applications - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/>	MBF3C Foundations for College Mathematics - College
<input type="checkbox"/>	MEL3E Mathematics for Work and Everyday Life
<input type="checkbox"/>	ICS3U Introduction to Computer Science - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	ICS3C Introduction to Computer Programming - College

Grade 12	
<input type="checkbox"/>	MHF4U Advanced Functions - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	MCV4U Calculus & Vectors - University **The pre-requisite course, MHF4U, can be taken concurrently with MCV4U
<input type="checkbox"/>	MDM4U Mathematics of Data Management - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	MAP4C Foundations for College Mathematics - College
<input type="checkbox"/>	MEL4E Mathematics for Work and Everyday Life
<input type="checkbox"/>	ICS4U Computer Science - University

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## SCIENCE PROGRAMS

Grade 9	
<input type="checkbox"/>	SNC1W Science
<input type="checkbox"/>	SNC1L - Locally Developed

Grade 10	
<input type="checkbox"/>	SNC2D - Academic
<input type="checkbox"/>	SNC2P - Applied
<input type="checkbox"/>	SNC2L - Locally Developed

Grade 11	
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPH3U Physics - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCH3U Chemistry - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SBI3U Biology - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SBI3C Biology - College
<input type="checkbox"/>	SVN3E Environmental Science—Workplace

Grade 12	
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPH4U Physics - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCH4U Chemistry - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SBI4U Biology - University
<input type="checkbox"/>	SCH4C Chemistry - College
<input type="checkbox"/>	SPH4C Physics - College

### **SPECIALIST HIGH SKILLS MAJOR (SHSM) - HEALTH & WELLNESS**

If your post-secondary aspirations are in health & wellness – for example, in health care or wellness related fields, fitness, childcare & family services — you may want to consider joining the SHSM program for more opportunities. Consult the SHSM chart and ask your teacher or guidance for more details.

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## SOCIAL SCIENCE

Grade 11
<input type="checkbox"/> HPW3C Parenting & Working with Infants & Young Children - College
<input type="checkbox"/> HSP3U Introduction to Anthropology, Sociology & Psychology - University
<input type="checkbox"/> HSP3C Introduction to Anthropology, Sociology & Psychology- College
<input type="checkbox"/> HSE3E Equity, Diversity & Social Justice - Workplace
Grade 12
<input type="checkbox"/> HSB4U Challenge & Change in Society - University
<input type="checkbox"/> HHG4M Human Development through the Lifespan - College/University
<input type="checkbox"/> HSC4M World Cultures - College/University

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## TECHNOLOGY COURSES

**\*\*SHSM available for all Tech related courses**

### Grade 9

- TIJ101 Exploring Technologies - Open Package of 4 disciplines: Technical Design, Construction, Cooking, & Welding. Students will spend approximately 4 weeks in each area

### Grade 10

- TTJ201 Transportation Tech - Open
- TDJ201 Tech Design - Open
- TFJ201 Cooking - Open
- TMJ201 Mechanical Manufacturing Tech - Open
- TMJ202 Manufacturing Tech - Welding - Open
- TCJ201 Construction - Open
- TCJ202 Woodworking - Open
- TXJ201 Hairstyling & Aesthetics - Open

### Grade 11

- TTJ3C1 Transportation Tech - College
- TDJ3M1 Tech Design - College/University
- TFJ3C1 Cooking
- TFJ3CD Cooking 2 credit
- TMJ3C1/TMJ3M1 Mechanical Manufacturing - College/University
- TMW3E1 Manufacturing Tech - Welding - Workplace
- TCJ3C1 Construction/Woodworking - College
- TXJ3E1 Hairstyling & Aesthetics - Workplace

### Grade 12

- TTJ4C1 Transportation Tech - College
- TDJ4M1 Tech Design - College/University
- TFJ4C1 Cooking
- TFJ4CD Cooking 2 credit
- TMJ4C1/TMJ4M1 Mechanical Manufacturing - College/University
- TMW4E1 Manufacturing Tech - Welding - Workplace
- TCJ4C1 Construction/Woodworking - College
- TXJ4E1 Hairstyling & Aesthetics - Workplace

## Go to College While You're Still in High School...

Dual Credit programs are programs approved by the Ministry of Education that allow **Grade 12 students** to take college or apprenticeship courses that count towards both their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) and a post-secondary certificate, diploma, or a Certificate of Apprenticeship.

Students may earn credits towards their secondary school diploma through courses delivered by Conestoga, Georgian, Sheridan, or Humber Colleges through our partnerships in the School College Work Initiative. Students may earn up to four optional credits through college-delivered courses.

### POSSIBLE PROGRAM OFFERINGS:

**OYAP Level 1** - Auto, Brick & Stone, Carpenter, Electrician, Machinist, Plumber, Refrigeration, Truck & Coach

**CAPP (College Apprenticeship Preparation Program)** - Automotive Service, Culinary, Truck & Coach, Welding

**Exploring the Trades** - Construction (Electrical/Plumbing), Food Production, Mechanical (Heavy Equip/Welding)

**College Pathway** - Animal Care, Animation, Automation/Robotics, Cabinetmaking, Cosmetology, CNC, Criminal Justice/Crime Scene, Design Foundations, Developmental Disabilities, Early Childhood Education, Entrepreneurial Exploration, Lifestyle Mgt/Success in Health, Photography/ Photoshop, Positive Psych/Group Fitness Leadership, Renewable Energy, Sociology

### Eligibility Requirements:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Grade 12 graduating year (22 - 29 credits);</li> <li>• demonstrates evidence of independent learning skills;</li> <li>• demonstrates an appropriate maturity level;</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• disengaged and underachieving who have the potential to succeed;</li> <li>Or OYAP student;</li> <li>Or SHSM student.</li> </ul> |
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Visit [www.ugdsb.ca/dualcredit](http://www.ugdsb.ca/dualcredit) for additional information.

### Grade 12

- FTEDU4T—Dual Credit—If you choose this, a guidance counselor will be in contact to provide you more information and help you complete the application package.



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## ELEARNING PROGRAMS

Upper Grand District School Board offers courses in an **eLearning format**. Students wishing to take an eLearning course from this chart can choose it directly in **MyBlueprint** during course selection time.

### GRADE 9—12 COURSE OPTIONS Listed below in Chart

GRADE 9	GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12	GRADE 12
AVI1OZ	AWQ2OZ	AWQ3MZ	BAT4MZ	ICS4CZ
BTT1OZ	BBI2OZ	ENG3CZ	CGW4UZ	ICS4UZ
GLS1OZ	CHC2DZ	ENG3UZ	CHI4UZ	MCT4CZ
MTH1WZ	CHC2PZ	GPP3OZ	CLN4UZ	MCV4UZ
	CHV2OZ/GLC2OZ	HSE3EZ	ENG4CZ	MDM4UZ
	ENG2DZ	HSG3MZ	ENG4UZ	MHF4UZ
	ENG2PZ	HSP3UZ	EWC4CZ	OLC4OZ
	ICS2OZ	ICS3CZ	EWC4UZ	PSK4UZ
	MPM2DZ	ICS3UZ	HHS4UZ	SCH4CZ
	MPM2PZ	IDC3OZ	HIP4OZ	SES4UZ
	NAC2OZ	MBF3CZ	HSB4UZ	SPH4CZ
	SNC2PZ	MCF3MZ	HSC4MZ	SPH4UZ
	SNC2DZ	MCR3UZ	HSE4MZ	
		NDA3MZ		
		NDA3MZ F		
		PAI3OZ		
		PPZ3CZ		
		SVN3EZ		

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## ONLINE LEARNING GRADUATION REQUIREMENT

Beginning with the cohort of students who entered Grade 9 in the 2020-21 school year, all students must earn a minimum of two *online learning credits* as part of the [requirements for an Ontario Secondary School Diploma](#) unless they have been opted out. The ministry recognizes the extraordinary circumstances of the COVID-19 pandemic. As a result, this Policy/Program Memorandum recognizes up to one secondary school credit completed by Grade 9 students in the 2020-21 school year during the province-wide school closures (from April 2021 to June 2021) may be counted towards the graduation requirement.

Ontario teacher-led online learning will enable students to:

- access a wider variety of courses no matter where they live or go to school, allowing them to shape their education based on their individual needs and goals
- learn in engaging new ways, such as through hands-on, interactive features, simulations and collaboration with peers across the province
- increase their digital fluency and gain transferable skills to support lifelong learning and employment opportunities

Should parents/guardians, or the student if they are 18 years of age or older or 16 or 17 years of age and have withdrawn from parental control wish to opt-out of online learning, they may contact their school to obtain an Opt-Out form.

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## Requirements for Ontario Secondary School Graduation Diploma (OSSD)

- Completion of 30 credits (includes 18 compulsory credits and 12 optional credits)
- 2 online learning credits (Beginning with Grade 9 students in the 2020-21 school year)
- Completion of 40 hours of Community Service
- Successful completion of the Ontario Secondary Literacy

## 18 Compulsory Credits for OSSD

4	English	1	Healthy Active Living
3	Mathematics	1	Art
2	Science	1	French
1	Canadian Geography	.5	Careers
1	Canadian History	.5	Civics
1	English/French/Social Science/CWS/Guidance/Co-op		
1	Healthy Active Living/Art/Business/French/Co-op		
1	Science/Tech/French/Computer Studies/Co-op		

## The Ontario Secondary School Certificate (OSSC)

The OSSC will be granted, on request, to students who are leaving secondary school upon reaching the age of eighteen without having met the requirements for the OSSD. To be granted the OSSC, a student must have earned a minimum of 14 credits, distributed as follows:

2	English	1	Healthy Active Living
1	Mathematics	1	Arts, computer studies or Tech
1	Science	1	Canadian History or Geography

## Checklist for Students who are new to UGDSB

Please bring the following to your registration appointment:

- proof of residence (i.e. utility bill)
- birth certificate or passport
- transcript/school records from previous school
- completed UGDSB Student Registration Form ([found here on the UGDSB website](#))

**Note: Schools do not collect or submit immunization records.** Parents will be reminded to submit up to date immunization information to Public Health when registering their child for school.