

GRADE NINE & TEN PROGRAM

Students, with the help of their parents and teachers, will choose courses from one or more of four types: *academic*, *applied*, *locally developed* and *open*.

ACADEMIC:

In an *academic* course, the essential concepts of the subject are covered and related materials are explored. Although knowledge and skills will be developed through both theory and practical applications, the emphasis will be on **theory and abstract thinking**. These courses tend to direct the student towards the Ontario Secondary School Diploma with **university destination**.

APPLIED:

In an *applied* course, the essential concepts of the subject are covered. Although knowledge and skills will be developed through both theory and practical applications, the focus will be on **practical applications** using familiar, real-life, and hands-on situations to illustrate ideas. These courses tend to direct the student towards the Ontario Secondary School Diploma with **college destination**.

LOCALLY DEVELOPED:

A *locally developed* course is intended for students whose educational needs cannot be met by academic or applied courses in the specific disciplines of English, Mathematics, Science or History. These courses provide students who have experienced significant difficulties in these disciplines an opportunity to obtain sufficient background and skill development to take grade 11 and 12 workplace preparation courses. Whenever possible, the ideas will be presented in a real-life context. The length of time required to receive a credit may be extended. Locally Developed courses tend to direct students towards the Ontario Secondary School Certificate (14 credits) or the Ontario Secondary School Diploma with **workplace destination**.

OPEN:

An *open* course comprises a set of expectations that is suitable for all students at a given grade level. Open courses are available in art, business, physical education, technical education, and religious education.

Grade 9 Program
Holy Trinity Catholic Secondary School

Compulsory – Students choose six (6) from the following list. Students are required to pick one (1) course from each of the subject groups and can mix academic and applied streams.

<u>ENGLISH</u>	Students choose one (1) from:	English Academic English Applied English Locally Developed	ENG1D ENG1P ENG1L
<u>MATHEMATICS</u>	Students choose one (1) from:	Principles of Math Academic Foundations of Math Applied Math Locally Developed	MPM1D MF1P MAT1L
<u>SCIENCE</u>	Students choose one (1) from:	Science Academic Science Applied Science Locally Developed	SNC1D SNC1P SNC1L
CANADIAN GEOGRAPHY	Students choose one (1) from:	Geography of Canada Academic Geography of Canada Applied Geography du Canada Academic French Immersion	CGC1D CGC1P CGC1DF
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	Students choose	Christ in Culture Open	HRE1O
FRENCH	Students choose one (1) from:	French Immersion Academic French Core Academic French Core Applied	FIF1DF FSF1D FSF1D

Elective Courses – Students choose any two (2) courses from the following list or from the grade 10 list of courses if prerequisites have been met. Courses will be offered if there is sufficient enrollment.

AMI1O Music, Instrumental	PPF1O Physical Education, Female
AMV1O Music, Vocal	PPM1O Physical Education, Male
AVI1O Visual Arts	PPF1OF Phys. Ed. French Immersion, Female
BTT1O Computer Applications	PPM1OF Phys. Ed. French Immersion, Male
GLE1O Learning Strategies	TTI1O Integrated Technology

Grade 10 Program
Holy Trinity Catholic Secondary School

Compulsory – Students choose six (6) from the following list. Students are required to pick one (1) course from each of the subject groups and can mix academic and applied streams provided they have the proper prerequisites.

<u>ENGLISH</u>	Students choose one (1) from: (Students may also select the Literacy Skills course as an additional English credit)	English Academic English Applied English Locally Developed <hr/> Literacy Skills	ENG2D ENG2P ENG2L ELS3O
<u>MATHEMATICS</u>	Students choose one (1) from:	Principles of Math Academic Foundations of Math Applied Math Locally Developed	MPM2D MF2M2P MAT2L
<u>SCIENCE</u>	Students choose one (1) from:	Science Academic Science Applied Science Locally Developed	SNC2D SNC2P SNC2L
CANADIAN HISTORY	Students choose one (1) from:	Canada in the 20 th Century Academic Canada in the 20 th Century Applied Canada: 20 th Century Locally Developed Histoire du Canada au Xxe siecle Academic French Immersion	CHC2D CHC2P CHC2L CHC2DF
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION	Students choose	Christ in Culture Open	HRE2O
<u>CAREER STUDIES</u> (.5 credit)	Students choose one (1) from:	Career Studies Open Career Studies Open French Immersion	GLC2O GLC2OF
CIVICS (.5 credit)	Students choose one (1) from:	Civics Open Civics Open French Immersion	CHV2O CHV2OF

Elective Courses – Students choose any two (2) courses from the following list or from the grade 10 or grade 11 list of courses if prerequisites have been met. Courses will be offered if there is sufficient enrollment.

ADA2O Dramatic Arts AMI2O Music, Instrumental AMK2O Music, Keyboarding AMV2O Music, Vocal ATC2O Dance AVI2O Visual Arts AWQ2O Visual Arts, Photography BBI2O Introduction to Business FIF2DF French Immersion FSF2P / FSF2D French Core	GLD2O Discovering the Workplace HFN2O Food and Nutrition HFN2OF Food and Nutrition French Imm. PPF2O Physical Education (female) PPF2OF Phys. Ed. (female) French Imm. PPM2O Physical Education (male) PPM2OF Phys. Ed. (Male) French Imm. TCJ2O Construction Technology TGJ2O Communication Technology TIK2O Computer and Information Science
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