



# Grade 10

Course Selection Grade Meeting



# Welcome Vikes !!!



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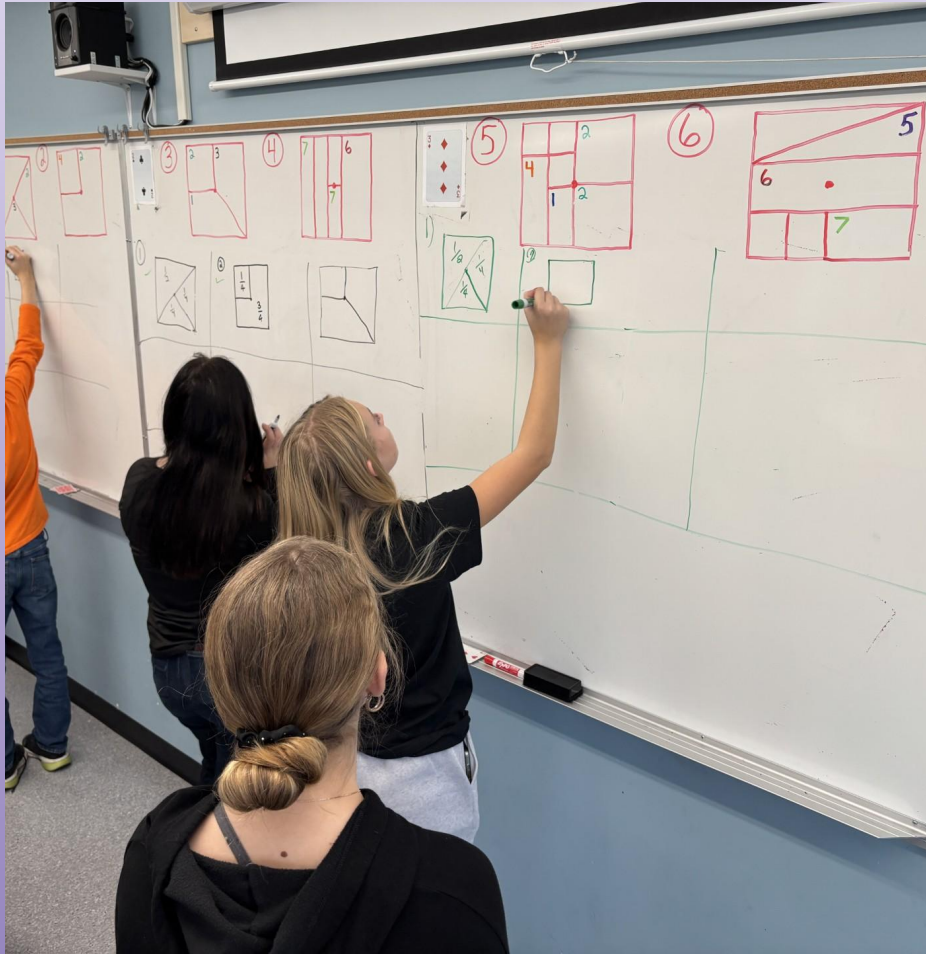
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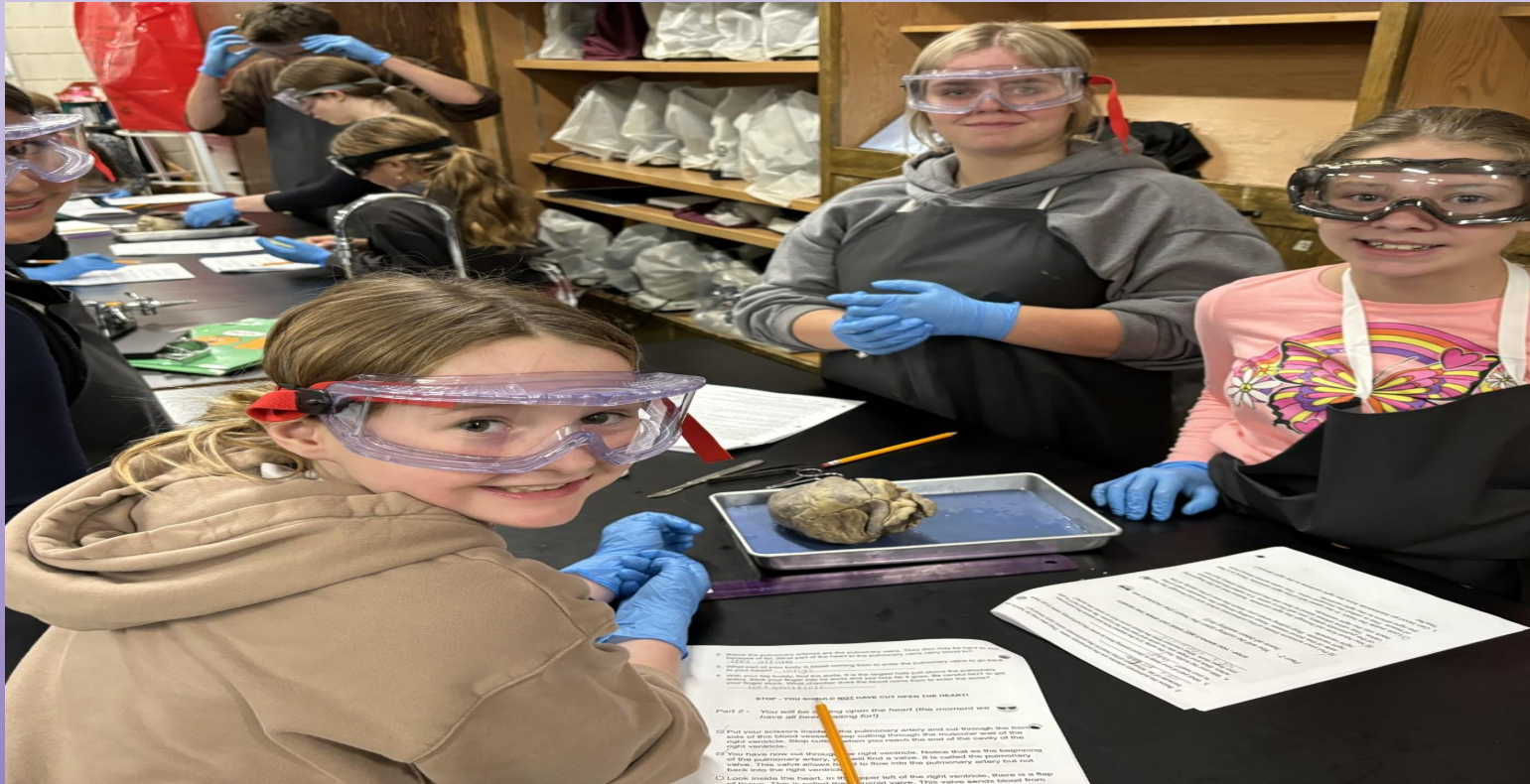








# Future Vikes Scientists



## Taking care of our house...

- Garbage in our halls and on our campus
- Targeted vandalism
- We are all in this together and we all need to do better :)





# V.I.K.E.S. Digital Device Guidelines

## V

### ALUE LEARNING

Use devices only when your teacher directs you for class activity. Focus on your studies by keeping devices off and put away unless they're part of the lesson.

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### NDIVIDUALIZED PLANS

Is it in your **Individualized Education Plan** (or ELL Annual Instruction Plan) and it is being used for an educational or learning purpose? Talk to your teacher then you're good to go!

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### EEP DEVICES SAFE

**You're responsible** if your device gets lost or broken. You need to store your device securely because the school isn't responsible for the phone if you choose not to secure it appropriately.

## E

### NGAGE RESPECTFULLY

By silencing your devices and keeping it out of sight during instructional time to help everyone focus. This includes **hallways, washrooms, and any other space** on school grounds.

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### TAY FOCUSED

We value a distraction-free environment (i.e. classroom, hallways , etc) to help everyone learn better. Keep devices put away to help you and your classmates stay focused during instructional time.

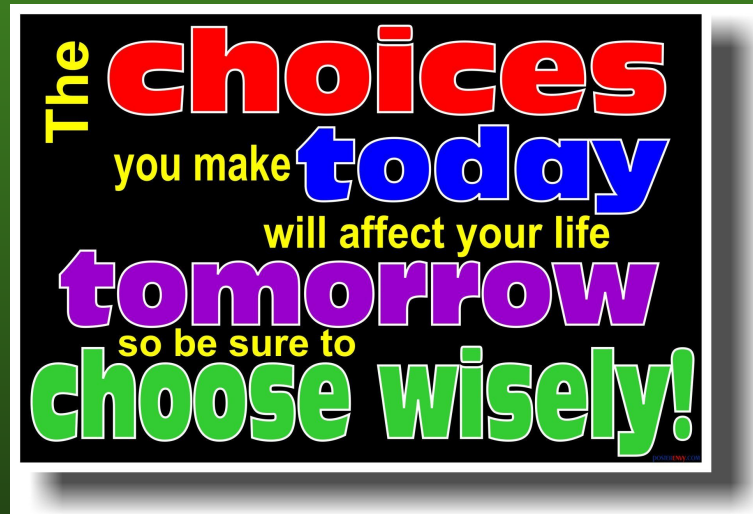
**Remember:** Our goal is to have a safe and caring school where everyone can learn without distractions. By embracing the **VIKES** guidelines, we become responsible digital citizens and make our school a better place!

**Let us not forget Vikes.....**





# Grade 10 Course Choices



If you are in Grade 10 in the Fall, there are certain courses you need in order to work your way to graduation.

# You will still need...

- English 10
- Socials 10
- Math 10
- PHED 10
- Science 10
- Career 10



# English 10



***All grade 10 students will take First Peoples Writing and then have a choice of:***

- ***English First Peoples Literary Studies;***
- ***English First Peoples New Media; or***
- ***English First Peoples Spoken Language***

# Socials 10

Canada and the World: 1919 to the Present...



- Economics
- Politics
- Canadian Identity
- Government
- International Involvement
- Truth & Reconciliation

# Science 10

This course includes:

- Biology: DNA, genetics
- Chemistry: reactions
- Physics: energy, law of conservation
- First People's Perspectives: nuclear energy/radiation and the formation of the universe



# Physical Health Education 10

Options for PHE 10 include:

- PHE 10
- Human Performance 10
- FITT for Life 10 Level One
- FITT for Life 10 Level Two
- Sport Specific Skills 10





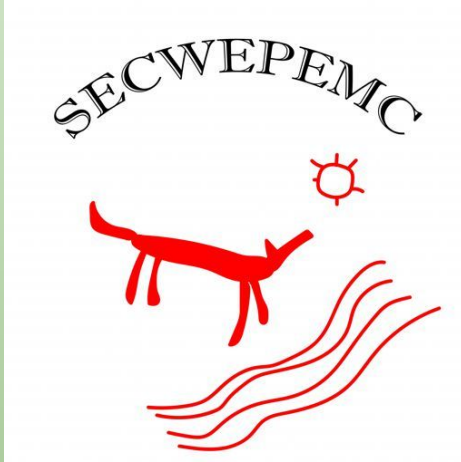
# Career & Life Education 10

- Personal Development
- Connections to Community
- Career Life Plan



**And 2 electives of choice...**

# Language Choices



- French
- Spanish
- Secwepemctsin
- Japanese

# Applied Design, Skills and Technology (ADST) Choices

- Textiles 10
- Computer Studies 10
- Media Design 10 - Blender Animation
- Metalwork 10
- Art Metal 10
- Woodwork 10
- Foods 10
- Engineering 11 - Intro



# Fine Arts Choices

- Drama
- Concert Band
- Jazz Band
- Art Studio
- Guitar
- Photography
- *Concert Choir (possibly off timetable)*
- Yearbook



# Cross-disciplinary and Interdisciplinary Choices



- Leadership 10
- Psychology 11



# Why International Baccalaureate?

IB students on average:

- Earn higher scholarships
- Achieve higher marks in university\*
- Have higher acceptance rates for prestigious institutions around the world
- Graduate sooner



THREE Provincial Assessments you must write by the end of your grade 12 year:

*Numeracy Assessment 10*

*Literacy Assessment 10*

*Grade 12 Literacy Assessment*

**VALLEYVIEW SECONDARY COURSE SELECTION - GRADE 10**



Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Grade: 9

**You must have 8 courses selected AND 2 Alternatives.**

A In this section you must select one (1) required course in each category.	B #7 and #8 - In this section you must select two (2) courses.
<p><b>#1: Language Arts - Required</b></p> <p>Every student must choose:                      ___ English First Peoples Writing (MEFWR10)</p> <p>AND one of:                      ___ English First Peoples Literary Studies (MEFLS10)                      ___ English First Peoples New Media (MEFNM10)                      ___ English First Peoples Spoken Language (MEFSL10)</p> <p><i>** Make sure you choose an alternate course in case you are unable to get your first choice.                      Alternate: _____</i></p>	<p><b>Languages - Electives</b>                      ___ French 10 (MFR--10)                      ___ Introductory Japanese 11 (MBJA-11)  <i>** Japanese 11 can be taken after Introductory 11 and will meet the language 11 requirement at some universities.</i>                      ___ Secwepemctsin 10 (MSWP-10)                      ___ Spanish 10 (MSP--10)</p> <p><b>Applied Design (ADST) - Electives</b>                      ___ Art Metal 10 (YIA--0A)                      ___ Computer Studies 10 (MCSTU10)                      ___ Foods 10 (MFOOD10)                      ___ Media Design 10 (MMEDD10)                      ___ Metalwork 10 (MTMET10)                      ___ Engineering 11 - Intro (MENR-11)                      ___ Textiles 10 (MTXT-10)                      ___ Woodwork 10 (MWWK-10)</p>
<p><b>#2: Social Studies - Required</b></p> <p>___ Social Studies 10 (MSS--10)</p>	<p><b>Fine Arts - Electives</b>                      ___ Art 10 (MVAS10)                      ___ Band 10 (MMUCB10)                      ___ Drama 10 (MDRM-10)                      ___ Introduction to Photography 10 (MVAPH10)                      ___ Guitar 10 (MMUGT10)                      ___ Yearbook 11 (MGRPR11)                      ___ Foundations Choir 10 (MMUCC10BEG)</p>
<p><b>#3: Science - Required</b></p> <p>___ Science 10 (MSC--10)</p>	<p><b>Other Electives</b>                      ___ Leadership 10 (YIPS-0A)                      ___ Psychology 11 (YPSYC1A)</p>
<p><b>#4: Math (Please choose one) - Required</b></p> <p>___ Foundations &amp; Precalculus Math 10 (MFMP-10)                      ___ Workplace Math 10 (MWPM-10)</p> <p><i>** Refer to Math Pathways chart on course selection website to select the correct course for your chosen career path.</i></p>	<p><b>OFF Timetable Courses</b>                      ___ Advanced Choir 10 (MMUCC10)                      ___ Jazz Band 10 (MMJUB10)</p> <p><i>** These courses will run off timetable all year long.</i></p>
<p><b>#5: Career Education - Required</b></p> <p>___ Career Life Education 10 (MCLE-10)</p>	<p><b>Alternate Courses:</b>                      1) _____                      2) _____</p>
<p><b>#6: Physical Health Education - Required</b>                      ___ FITT 4 Life - Level 1 (MPHED10EFL)                      ___ FITT 4 Life - Level 2 (MPHED10GIV)                      ___ Human Performance (MPHED10-HP)                      ___ PE 10 (MPHED10)                      ___ Sport Specific Training (MPHED10SST)                      ___ PE10, YL with Band (MPHED10FY)</p>	<p>Total number of courses in Column B = _____</p>
<p>Total number of courses in Column A = _____</p>	<p>TOTAL = _____                      (Column A + Column B = 8 Courses)</p>

Parent's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Course selection sheet for Grade 10s:

Use this to help you organize your choices before doing course selection on the computer.

\*\*\*Note: where you have multiple choices please choose an alternate if you do not get into your first choice.

To find course catalogue visit the Valleyview  
website at: [vss.sd73.bc.ca](http://vss.sd73.bc.ca)



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# Important Dates:

**February 16:** Complete your course pick sheet using the course selection website on the Valleyview website.

**February 17/18:** in class, students will choose their courses through the MyEd website.

Have your course selection sheet with you when entering your courses.



# IMPORTANT