

# SPARTS Course Planning Information Night



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### Indigenous Acknowledgement

- •xwməθkwəyəm (Musqueam)
- •Skwxwú7mesh (Squamish)
- •səlilwəta (Tsleil-Waututh) Nations



# SPARTS Performances



- •Showcase?
- •Market Fair?
- •PAC Welcome?
- •SPARTS Info Night?
- •Parent support (PAC)?

# SPARTS "Credits" and Verification

#### Previous Credit System (inequitable)

- Athlete Active Living 11/12, Fitness & Conditioning 11/12
- Dance + Gymnastics Dance 10, Active Living 11/12, Dance Choreography 11/12
- Music Music 10, Music 11, Music 12
- Credits adjudicated for being in SPARTS

#### \*SPARTS Credits only for Gr. 10-12!

#### New Credit System (5 courses each)

- Athletes Gr. 10 (1), Gr. 11 (2), Gr. 12 (2) Physical Education Course Credits
  - Gr. 10 credit will be Outdoor Education 11
- Performing Arts Gr. 10 (1), Gr. 11 (2), Gr. 12 (2) Fine Arts Course Credits
- Verification from coach/association required annually in May/June for adjudication of all SPARTS CREDITS



Athletes will need (1) Art or ADST Course in Gr. 10, 11, or 12 to graduate!

ALL SPARTS students will still need to complete PE10 and CLE remotely!

# Courses: Magee SPARTS

Highlighted courses are what SPARTS students usually cover

#### Gr.8-9 Courses

- GR.8
  - English, Math, Science, Socials Studies, French, PE, ADST, ART, Careers (remote)
- Gr.9
  - English, Math, Science, Socials Studies, PE, Elective x3, Careers (remote)

#### Gr. 10-12 (only these count towards grad)

- Gr.10
  - English, Math, Science, Socials Studies, and PE + CLE (remote), Elective x2
- Gr.11
  - English, Math, Science, Socials Studies 11/12, Elective x4
- Gr.12
  - English, Elective x3, Career Life Connections 12 (remote), Elective x4,

- SPARTS STUDENTS MUST TAKE 4 COURSES AT MAGEE TO MAINTAIN SPARTS STATUS!
- Graduation Credits: 16x4=60 + 20 from SPARTS Credits (5 courses) for 80 credits TOTAL!

Available Transfer Standing Credits (TS): Credentials

Please see your school counsellor if you qualify for any additional External Sport Programs (Athlete 10-12), Organizations Offering Approved External Credits (ICBC Drivers Ed., Cechetti, RAD, Royal Conservatory of Music, etc.)

### Course Planning 101

- All students will submit Course Requests MYEDBC and return Course Selection Forms to Grade School Counsellor (backup).
- All students are encouraged to select alternative options too!
- Course Requests are not guaranteed and do not impact semester placement, block order, or teacher.
  - NO ADVANTAGE TO SUBMIT FIRST!

 Visit Magee webpage to view 2025-26 Course Planning Booklet (PDF), MYEDBC entering Course Requests (PDF), and Grade Course Selection Form (PDF)

### MYEDBC Course Requests Submission

- Gr. 8, 9, & 10 window open Feb 3 14<sup>th</sup>
- Gr. 11 window open from now until Feb 14<sup>th</sup> with School Counsellors visiting Math courses in S1/2
- Gr. 8 10 class presentations on Feb 3 in different blocks (P2: Gr.10, P3: Gr.9, P4: Gr.8)
- Computer Lab support Feb 12 during FIT
- Log-in to <u>MYEDBC Student + Family Portal</u> and make sure to read instructions before POSTING.
   You can POST multiple times, but it must be done before the window closes.

 Students will only have access to grade level courses. If you have a plan for advancement through online or summer school, you will need to indicate this on your Course Planning Form and check in with your Grade School Counsellor to confirm!

### Gr.10-12 Credits/Courses

#### What do all students need to graduate?

- 80 credits total (4 credits per successful course)
  - 52 required Gr. 10-12 core academic courses, CLE, CLC, and PE10
  - 28 elective credits (7 courses), one ADST or Arts Education course required
  - At least 4 Gr. 12 courses (EN12 +3)
- Provincial Literacy/Numeracy Assessments
- <u>Indigenous-Focused Graduation</u> <u>Requirement</u>

#### **Graduation Programming**

	GRADUAT Subject Area Career Life Education 10	ION PROGRAM  Course Title		
	,	Course Title		
	Career Life Education 10		Credits	
-			4	
	Career Life Connections & Capstone		4	
	a Language Arts 10		4	
	a Language Arts 11		4	
	a Language Arts 12		4	
	a Math 10		4	
	a Math 11 or 12		4	
	an Arts Education or Applied Design, Skills & Technology 10, 11, or 12		4	
	a Social Studies 10		4	
	a Social Studies 11 or 12		4	
	a Science 10		4	
	a Science 11 or 12		4	
	Physical and Health Education 10		4	
TOTAL REQUIRED CREDITS - One Indigenous Focus course is required for all 2024+ graduates.				
	ELECTIVE CF	REDITS		
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 12 Elective		4	
TOTAL ELECTIVE CREDITS			28	
OVERALL CREDITS			80	
GRADUATION ASSESSMENTS				
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$\overline{}$	Literacy Assessment 10			
	Literacy Assessment 12			

# Course Recommendations

#### Physical Education Courses

- SPARTS PE10
- SPARTS CLE10
- Remote courses through Magee teacher
- Extra-curricular activity counted and only theory required

#### Early Morning Offerings

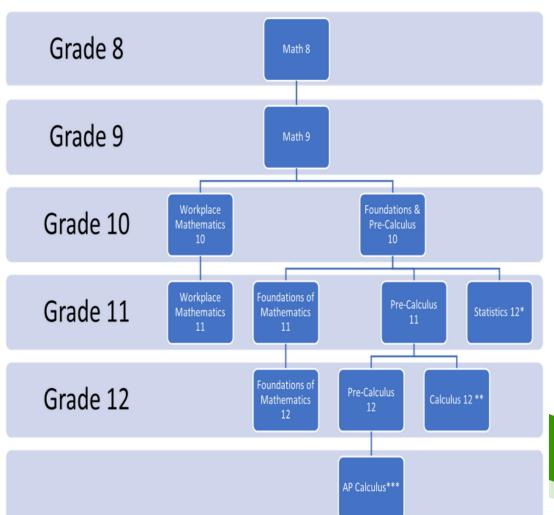
- Early Morning English 9
- Early Morning English 10
- Limited availability, must have enough students to run.
- Students will be enrolled into regular classes if space not available.

## Evaluate Your Options

#### Indigenous Graduation Requirement

- English First Peoples 11
  - English OptionOR
- •BC First Peoples 12
  - Social Studies Option

#### Magee Mathematics Choices by Grade



### PSI Website Hubs

#### Canadian Schools

- Education Planner BC (BC)
- Ontario Universities (OUAC)
- Individual School Websites
- Canadian Universities Events

#### Bonus Links!

- UBC Programs by Interest
- SFU Gr.11/12 Course List

#### Schools Abroad

- Common App (US)
- NCAA Eligibility Center
- UCASS (UK)

- Make sure to check prerequisites and deadlines for application.
- Most schools compose Academic Average (Gr.11-12).
- Gr. 12 course DO NOT need to be completed before applying.
- · Advanced Placement courses or exams are not required.
- There is no advantage to applying to universities first!

# SPARTS Schedule (sample)

#### Bell Schedule

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
7:30 - 8:30	Early Morning Class				
8:30- 8:35	Break	Break	Break	Break	Break
		FIT			FIT
8:35 -9:55	Period 1	8:35 - 9:15	Period 1	Period 1	8:35 - 9:15
		Break 9:15 - 9:20			Break 9:15 - 9:20
9:55- 10:10	Break	Period 1	Break	Break	Period 1
9.55- 10:10	DIEdk	9:20 - 10:20	DIEdk		9:20 - 10:20
		Break 10:20 - 10:30		Period 2	Break 10:20 - 10:30
10:10 - 11:30	Period 2	Period 2	Period 2		Period 2
		10:30 - 11:30			10:30 - 11:30
11:30 - 12:15	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
		Period 3	Period 3	Period 3	Period 3
12:15 - 1:35	Period 3		12:15 - 1:15	12:15 - 1:15	
			Break 1:15 - 1:17	Break 1:15 - 1:17	
1:35 - 1:40	Break	Break	FIT	FIT	Break
	Period 4 Period 4		1:17-1:57	1:17-1:57	
4:40 2:00		David d	Break 1:57-2:00	Break 1:57-2:00	Doubed 4
1:40 - 3:00		Period 4	Period 4	Period 4	Period 4
			2:00 - 3:00	2:00 - 3:00	

SPARTS students are required to take 4 courses (2 per semester) either in the AM or PM. The SPARTS off-timetable blocks are when these students are off-campus training or practicing. SPARTS students can use FIT to stay on top of their courses/assessments.

Sample Full Year Schedule for SPARTS AM student (morning classes only):				
	S1 DAY 1	S1 DAY 2	S2 DAY 1	SD DAY 2
P1	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS
P2	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS
Р3	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ART 8	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ART 8	SOCIAL STUDIES 8	SOCIAL STUDIES 8
P4	SCIENCE 8	SCIENCE 8	MATHEMATICS 8	MATHEMATICS 8
		CAREER EDUCATION 8 (OFF TT)		CAREER EDUCATION 8 (OFF TT)

Sample Full Year Schedule for SPARTS PM student (afternoon classes only):				
	S1 DAY 1	S1 DAY 2	S2 DAY 1	SD DAY 2
P1	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ART 8	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ART 8	SOCIAL STUDIES 8	SOCIAL STUDIES 8
P2	SCIENCE 8	SCIENCE 8	MATHEMATICS 8	MATHEMATICS 8
Р3	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS
P4	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS	OFF SITE SPARTS
		CAREER EDUCATION 8 (OFF TT)		CAREER EDUCATION 8 (OFF TT)

### School Support

#### SPARTS Coordinator

- Mr. Lin dlin@vsb.bc.ca
- Information dissemination
- School programming, expectations, and review
- Training organization/school/academy check-ins
- Attendance, academic, and behaviour concerns
- SPARTS Absence Forms
- Admission and applications

#### **Additional Support**

- Resource Teacher Mr. Thrift
- Settlement Worker Ms. Chan
- Safe & Caring School Worker Jamie K.
- SACY Worker Hailey O.

Individual classroom teachers are the best place to seek out support first and they may each have different expectations. Please make sure you know what is needed for you to be successful, ask for help, and communicate your needs.

#### School Counsellors

- Gr. 9, Gr. 8 (A-H) Ms. McNeill (amcneill@vsb.bc.ca)
- Gr. 10, Gr. 8 (I-R) Ms. Nordman (<u>Inordman@vsb.bc.ca</u>)
   / Ms. Tanner (<u>ktanner@vsb.bc.ca</u>)
- Gr. 11, Gr. 8 (S-Z) Ms. Miladinovic (<u>pmiladinov@vsb.bc.ca</u>) / Ms. Tanabe (<u>stanabe@vsb.bc.ca</u>)
- Social-emotional support
- Scheduling and course changes
- · Course selection
- Graduation pathway and credits
- Post-secondary planning