

SPARTS Course Planning Information Night



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Indigenous Land 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

SPARTS students take these highlighted courses in school

Gr.8-9 Courses

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

Gr. 10-12 (graduation credit years)

- 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: 15x4=60 + 20 from SPARTS Credits (5 courses) for 80 credits TOTAL!

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 requests for semester placement, block order, or teacher preferences are not accepted.
 - There is NO ADVANTAGE TO SUBMITTING 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 MYEDBC window is open Feb 3 14th
- \bullet Gr. 11 MYEDBC window is open from now until Feb 14th 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 MYEDBC Student + Family Portal 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 that includes online courses or summer school, you will need to indicate this on your Course Planning Form and chool in with your Grade School Counsellor to confirm!

Gr.10-12 Credits/Courses

What is required for Dogwood Graduation

- 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
- Indigenous-Focused Graduation Requirement (ENG/SS)

Graduation Programming

REQUIRED COURSES				
GRADUATION PROGRAM				
	Subject Area	Course Title	Credits	
	Career Life Education 10		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.			52	
	ELECTIVE CF	REDITS		
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
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	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 10, 11, or 12 Elective		4	
	Grade 12 Elective		4	
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TOTAL ELECTIVE CREDITS				
OVERALL CREDITS			80	
GRADUATION ASSESSMENTS				
	Numeracy Assessment 10			
	Literacy Assessment 10			
	Literacy Assessment 12			

Course Recommendations

Physical Education Courses

- SPARTS PE10
- SPARTS CLE10
- These are remote courses through Magee teacher on MS Teams

Early Morning Offerings

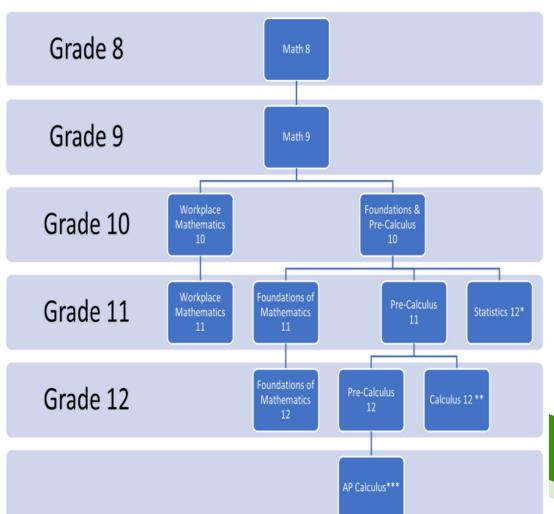
- Early Morning English 9
- Early Morning English 10
- These have limited availability and must have required number of students to run.
- Students will be enrolled into regular classes if space not available.

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		Period 1	FIT
8:35 -9:55	Period 1	8:35 - 9:15	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	break	9:20 - 10:20	Break		9:20 - 10:20
		Break 10:20 - 10:30	Period 2	Period 2	Break 10:20 - 10:30
10:10 - 11:30	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		Break 1:57-2:00	Break 1:57-2:00	David d	
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
- <u>Settlement Worker</u> 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 - SPARTS included

- 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