

## COURSE REQUESTS – Grades 8 to 10

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Requested School: \_\_\_\_\_

Students entering grade 8, 9, or 10 will study 8 courses over 2 semesters, 4 courses each semester:

English 8, 9, 10 (or English Language Learning ELL) Social Studies 8, 9, 10 Physical Education 8, 9, 10 Language or elective 8, 9, 10	Mathematics 8, 9, 10 Science 8, 9, 10 Applied Skills / Fine Arts 8, 9 1-2 elective courses, depending on grade level
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**\*Note:** While every effort will be made to give each student some requested courses, there is no guarantee that students will receive their preferred courses. Choices may be limited, courses may not be offered or available at your school due to lack of enrollment, timetabling conflicts, staffing, or other issues beyond the control of the school. Some courses require students to have adequate language ability. Some courses are only offered in one of the two semesters.

**Deadline for requests:** May 1 for Sept entry; Nov 1 for Feb entry

**You may indicate preferences for 4 elective (choice) subject areas:** (e.g. write '1' beside your first choice, '2' for your second choice, etc). If you are not sure about the choices below, your school counsellor will help you after you arrive. You will be placed into English courses according to your assessment results.

1 = first preference,    2 = second preference,    3 = third preference,    4 = fourth preference			
	Art 8, 9, 10		Business Education 9, 10
	Drama 9, 10		Information & Communication Technology 9, 10
	Music (Band or orchestra) 8, 9, 10		Food Studies (cooking) 9, 10
	Choir (singing) 8, 9, 10		Textiles (design, sewing) 10
	French 8, 9, 10		Technology Education – Woodwork 8, 9, 10, Automotive Technology, <u>if</u> offered at your school
	Other language, <u>if</u> offered at your school  Please rank:    Spanish Mandarin Beginning Japanese		Technology Education - Electronics, Robotics, <u>if</u> offered at your school

**To be completed by students returning to home country after 1 semester only:**

Short-term students will study **4 courses only**. Please indicate which **4 courses** you prefer to take.

English: Y    N                    Math: Y    N                    Social Studies: Y    N                    Science: Y    N

*Please rank*                    \_\_\_ Biology  
*In order of*                    \_\_\_ Chemistry  
*preference*                    \_\_\_ Physics

Other (refer to elective course subject areas below: use the course planning guide\*\*\*  
to indicate specific courses of interest): \_\_\_\_\_

My school in my home country requires me to study these courses: \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*Note: Check your requested school's **Course Planning Guide** for specific **elective** courses offered at that school. Locate the Course Planning Guide by looking under the "Guidance and Support" tab of the school's website. There is no guarantee the listed elective courses will be offered.

