

## ELL Program (English Language Learning)

Student placement in the English Language Learning (ELL) Program is based upon English language proficiency assessed through testing, years of study and achievement both in the student's home country and Canada.

The ELL department provides a four-level program for students so that they may improve their English language proficiency and receive support when they move into mainstream courses. ELL course placement is determined by the ELL department teachers, not selected by students through MyEd.

**Level 1** – is appropriate for students whose English skills are at the beginning level. Level 1 students have two beginner ELL classes.

**Level 2** – is for students whose English skills are at the intermediate level. Level 2 students have two intermediate ELL classes.

**Level 3** – is for students who have advanced language skills but require support transitioning to mainstream English. Level 3 students have one advanced ELL class.

**Level 4** – is for students who are enrolled in all mainstream classes, including English. Level 4 students receive one block of credit granting English language support through Academic Writing.

**Credits:** Please note that students in grade 10-12 receive credits toward graduation for all level 2, 3 and 4 ELL courses, but these courses count as electives and do not fulfill the English course requirements.

Course	Grade 8/9	Grade 10-12
<b>Level 1</b>		
<a href="#"><u>ELL ENGLISH 1</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08WR1</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>XLDCE09WR1</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>ELL SCIENCE</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08SC1</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>XLDCE09SC1</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>ELL SOCIAL STUDIES</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE09SS1</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>N/A</u></a>	
<b>Level 2</b>		
<a href="#"><u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT 10</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08RE2</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>YESFL0AELL-001</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>ELL SCIENCE</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08SC2</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>XLDCE09SC2</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>ELL SOCIAL STUDIES</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08SS2</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>N/A</u></a>	
<b>Level 3</b>		
<a href="#"><u>ACADEMIC STRATEGIES FOR ELL LEARNERS 10</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08WR3</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>YESFL0B1-001</u></a>	
<a href="#"><u>ENGLISH LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT 11</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08RE3</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>YESFL1B-001</u></a>	
<b>Level 4</b>		
<a href="#"><u>ACADEMIC WRITING 11</u></a>	<a href="#"><u>XLDCE08WR4</u></a> OR <a href="#"><u>YESFL1A-001</u></a>	
<b>Level 5</b>		
<b>Support Off Timetable</b>		<a href="#"><u>XAT10ELL</u></a>