## **Porter Creek Secondary**

**Information Session for Course Selection** 

# Grade 9 Required Courses

- English 9
- Mathematics 9
- Science 9
- Social Studies 9
- Physical & Health Education 9
- Elective
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  - Some post-secondary institutes require a second language at the grade 11 level

## **Elective Courses 9/10**

- Food Studies 10
- French 9 /10
- French Cafe
- Band 9/10
- Music Composition 10
- Drama 10
- Athapaskan/Southern Tutchone 9/10
- Esthetics 10
- Hair Styling 10
- Hockey Canada Skills Academy 8/9

- Technology Education 10: Power Technology, Metal Work, Wood Work
- Textiles 10
- Visual Arts 10
- Leadership 10
- Computer Studies 10
- Robotics 10
- Any Grade 10 course required for Graduation

## SASE 9

#### **Science and Socials Experiential 9**

#### **SASE Semester**

- Science 9
- Socials 9
- Physical & Health Education 9
- Outdoor Education 10

#### **PCSS Semester**

- Math 9
- English 9
- Elective/2nd language
- Elective

## Wood Street Programs Grade 9

#### **MAD Semester 1**

- English 9
- Social Studies 9
- Physical Education 9
- Drama 10

#### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS FOR YUKON STUDENTS**

Students must accumulate a minimum of 80 credits at the grade 10, 11 and 12 level, however most students will have accrued 96 or more credits upon graduation. A minimum of 52 credits must be Required courses and 28 credits from Elective courses. The minimum requirements for high school graduation and admission requirements for post-secondary institutions may differ. Students intent on attending post-secondary institutions should check with the schools of their choice or speak to a school counsellor to confirm admission requirements.

#### Required Courses (52 credits)

1. Language Arts 10		4 credits
2. Language Arts 11		4 credits
3. Language Arts 12		4 credits
4. Social Studies 10		4 credits
5. Senior Social Studies		4 credits
6. Mathematics 10	Workplace <i>or</i> Foundations & Pre-Calculus	4 credits
7. Mathematics 11	Foundations, Pre-Calculus, or Workplace	4 credits
8. Science 10		4 credits
9. Science 11 or 12	Science For Citizens, Chemistry,	4 credits
	Physics <i>or</i> Life Science	
10. Physical Education 10 <i>or</i> Active Living		4 credits
11. Fine Arts or Applied Skills grade 10,11 or 12		4 credits
12. Career & Life Planning 10		4 credits
13.Career & Life Connections 12		4 credits

#### **Elective Courses (28 credits)**

1. Grade 12 Course	4 credits
2. Grade 12 Course	4 credits
3. Grade 12 Course	4 credits
4. Grade 10, 11 or 12 course	4 credits
5. Grade 10, 11 or 12 course	4 credits
6. Grade 10, 11 or 12 course	4 credits
7. Grade 10, 11 or 12 course	4 credits
Total Required & Elective Courses	80 credits
Graduation Numeracy Assessment 10	
Graduation Literacy Assessment 10	
Graduation Literacy Assessment 12	

# Grade 10 Required Courses

- Language Arts 10 Literary Studies and New Media or Composition
- Mathematics 10: Foundations of Mathematics and Pre-Calculus or Workplace
- Science 10
- Social Studies 10
- Career & Life Education 10
- Physical & Health Education 10

### **LEAD 10**

#### Leadership, Education, Athlete Development 10

#### **LEAD Semester**

 Morning Classes @ PCSS including 2 required Grade 10 courses, preferably 2 academic.

#### **Alternate Semester**

- 3 required Grade 10 courses
- Elective

- Afternoon LEAD Program
- Physical Education 10
- Fitness & Conditioning 11

### **FADS 10**

#### **FASHION ART DESIGN SCHOOL**

#### **FADS Semester**

- Art Foundations 10
- Studio Arts 3D 10
- Textiles 10
- Socials Studies 10
- 1 Academic required course

#### **PCSS Semester**

- Mathematics 10
- Science 10
- Career Life Education 10
- Language Arts 10
- PE 10

## Wood Street Programs Grade 10

#### **MAD Semester 1**

- English 10
- Social 10
- Physical Education 10
- Drama 10

#### **CHAOS Semester 1**

- Socials 10
- English First Peoples 10
- Ancestral Technology 10
- Outdoor Education/PE 10

#### **ACES Semester 2**

- Science 10
- Socials 10
- Physical Education 10
- Socials 11

# Grade 11 Required Courses

- Language Arts 11 Literary Studies and New Media or Writing
- Math 11 one of: Foundations of Mathematics, Pre-Calculus, or Workplace
- Senior Social Studies: one of: Geography 12, Yukon First Nations 12, 20<sup>th</sup> Century World History, Law 12, Comparative Cultures 12, Philosophy 12
- Science 11 or 12 (one of: Chemistry, Physics, Life Science, Science for Citizens, Anatomy and Physiology 12)

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## **Elective Courses 11/12**

- Esthetics 11
- Anatomy & Physiology (Biology)12
- Applied Digital Communications 11/12
- Athapaskan/Southern Tutchone 11/12
- Art Foundations 11/12
- Automotive Technology 11/12
- Calculus 12
- Woodwork 11/12
- Woodcraft 11/12
- Chemistry 11/12
- Computer Programming 11/12
- Comparative Civilizations 12
- Creative Writing 12
- French 11/12
- Geography (Physical) 12
- Hair Styling 11
- Instrumental Concert Band 11/12
- Law Studies 12

- Leadership 11/12
- Life Science (Biology) 11
- Mathematics 12 (Pre-Calculus, Foundations, Statistics)
- Metal Work 11/12
- Music Composition 11/12
- Philosophy 12
- Physical Education 11/12 (Active Living and Fitness & Conditioning)
- Physics 11/12
- Food Studies 11/12
- Psychology 12
- Robotics 11/12
- Science for Citizens 11
- Textiles 12
- Theatre Performance 11/12
- 20<sup>th</sup> Century World History 12
- Work Experience 12

## WILD 11/12

#### **Alternate Semester 1**

- Math 11
- English 11
- Elective
- Elective

#### **WILD Semester 2**

- Geography 12
- Environmental Science 12
- Outdoor Education 12
- Career Life Connections 12

## **LEAD 11, 12**

#### Leadership, Education, Athlete Development

#### **LEAD Semester**

- Morning Classes @ PCSS
- Grade 11, 12 mandatory/elective classes
- Afternoon LEAD Program
- Active Living 11/12
- Fitness & Conditioning 11/12

#### **Alternate Semester**

 Grade 11 Required and Elective courses

## FADS 11/12

#### **FASHION ART DESIGN SCHOOL 11/12**

#### **PCSS Semester 1**

- Math 11
- English 11
- Science 11
- Elective 11

#### **FADS Semester 2**

- Art Foundations 11/12
- Studio Art 3D 11/12
- Textiles 11/12
- Senior Social Studies
- Grade 11 or 12 Required course

## Wood Street Programs Grade 11

#### ES Semester 1 or 2

- Life Science 11
- Chemistry 11
- Physical Geography 12
- Active Living PE 11
- Fine Arts 11 (2 credits)

#### **CHAOS 11 Semester 2**

- English 11
- Socials 11
- Outdoor Education 11
- Photography 11

#### **MAD Semester 2**

- Language Arts 11
- Senior Social Studies
- Drama 11
- Fine Art/Applied Skill 11

# Grade 12 Required Courses

- Language Arts 12
- Career Life Connections 12
- Grade 12 Course
- Grade 12 Course
- Grade 12 Course

## Courses to Consider for Post-Secondary Admission Requirements

**Most** universities in Canada require 3 or 4 academic grade 12 courses in addition to English 12.

#### **Grade 12 academic courses at PCSS**

Anatomy & Physiology 12

French 12

Athapaskan/Southern Tutchone 12

Calculus 12

Chemistry 12

Foundations of Mathematics 12

Comparative Cultures 12

Statistics 12

**Environmental Science 12** 

Physical Geography 12

20<sup>th</sup> Century World History

Physics 12

Pre-Calculus 12

**Computer Programming 12** 

Law12

Yukon First Nations 12

Courses that meet **some** post-secondary institutes' admission requirements are: Digital Media 12, Psychology 12, Philosophy 12, Creative Writing 12

### **MAD 12**

#### **MUSIC ART DRAMA 12**

#### PCSS 1

- Career Life Connections 12
- Courses Required to Graduate

#### **MAD Semester 2**

- Language Arts 12
- Drama 12
- Fine Arts/Applied Skills 12
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### **External Credits**

- Athlete 10, 11 & 12
- Royal Conservatory Music 10, 11 & 12
- Lifesaving 11 & 12
- Driver's Education
- Open Water Diving
- Pilot's Licence
- Coaching
- Officiating

- Explore Program
- Duke of Edinburgh
- 4H
- Arctics .....
- And many more ....
- Provide documentation to your school counsellor.
- BC External Credentials

### **Dual Credit**

- take courses at YukonU and earn credit at the post-secondary level and the high school level.
- Yukon government pays the tuition.
- Academic or trades options

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