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INFORMATION FOR NEW GRADE 9 STUDENTS

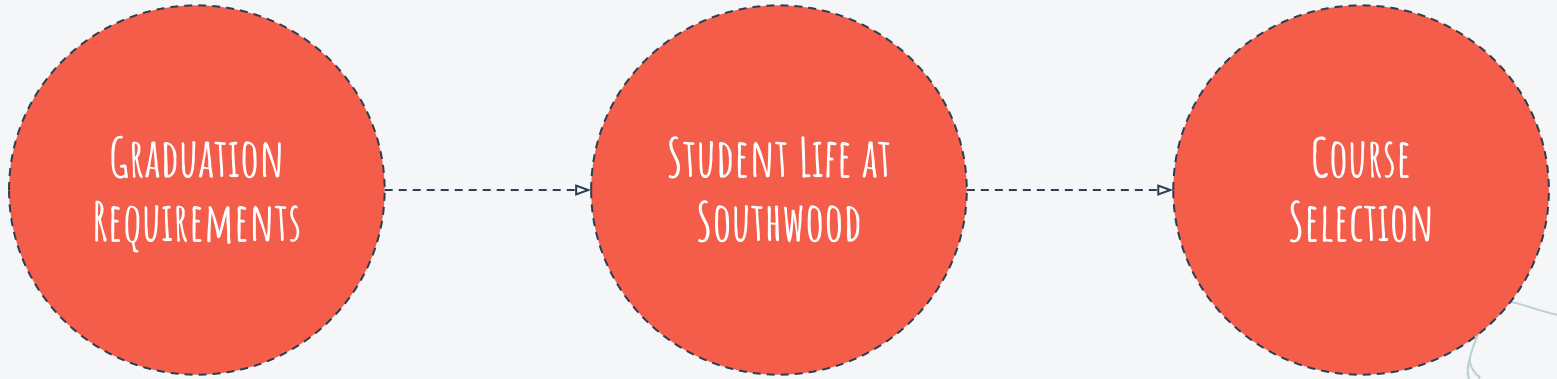


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GRADUATING CLASS OF  
2027-2028



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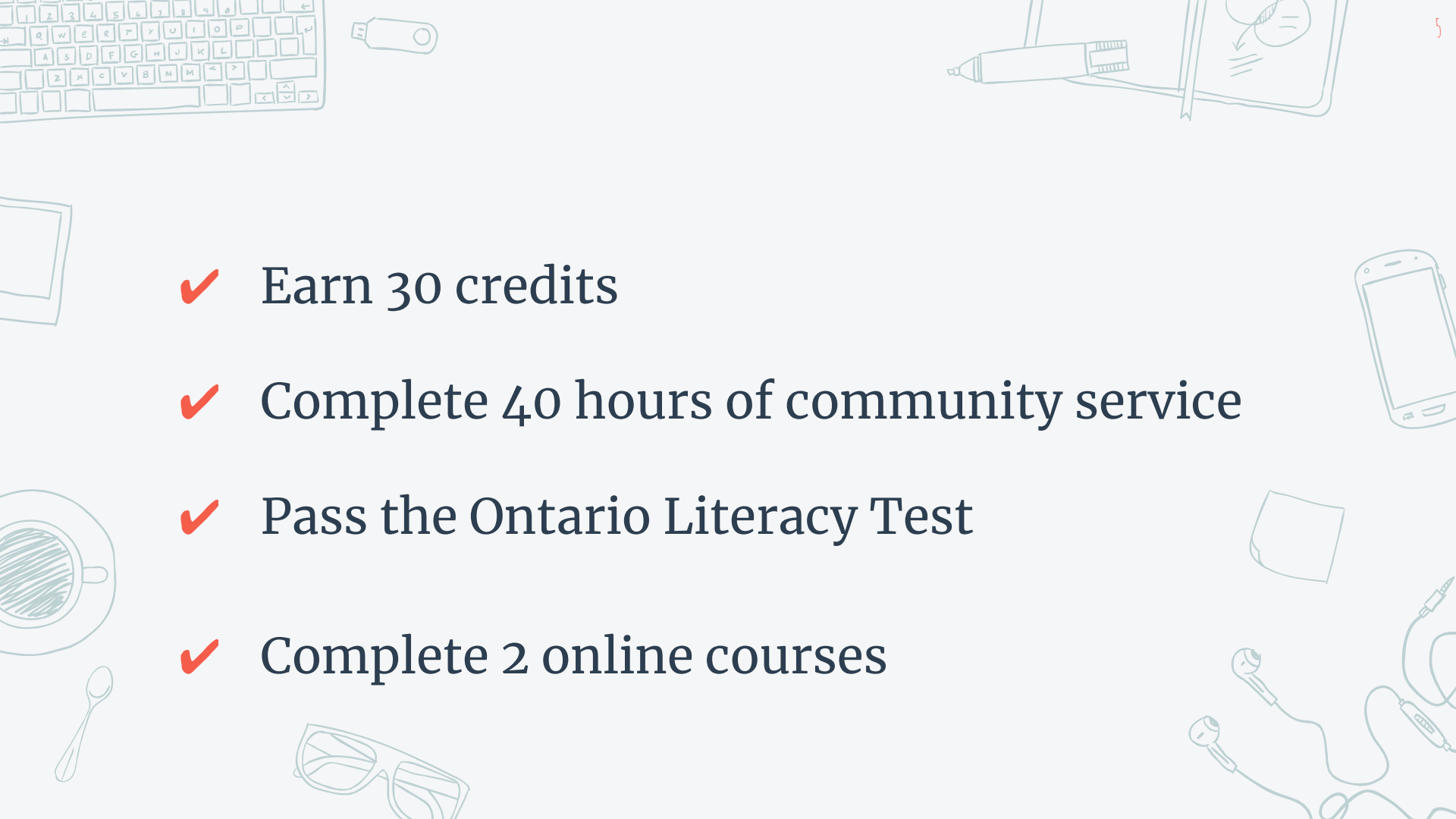




# GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

CREATING LIFELONG LEARNERS!



- 
- ✓ Earn 30 credits
  - ✓ Complete 40 hours of community service
  - ✓ Pass the Ontario Literacy Test
  - ✓ Complete 2 online courses



# 19 COMPULSORY CREDITS

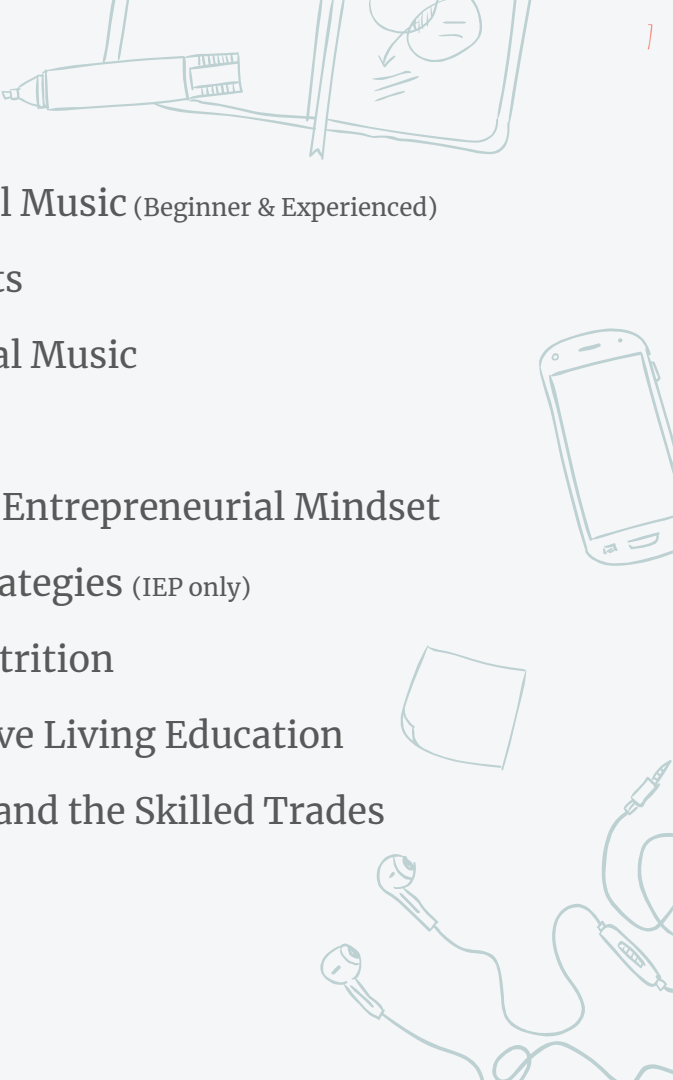
5 COMPULSORY CREDITS  
IN YOUR GRADE 9 YEAR

- ✓ 4 credits in English
- ✓ 3 credits in Mathematics
- ✓ 2 credits in Science
- ✓ 1 credit in French as a Second Language
- ✓ 1 credit in Canadian History
- ✓ 1 credit in Canadian Geography
- ✓ 1 credit in the Arts
- ✓ 1 credit in Health and Physical Education
- ✓ 1 credit in Technology
- ✓ 0.5 credit in Civics
- ✓ 0.5 credit in Career Studies



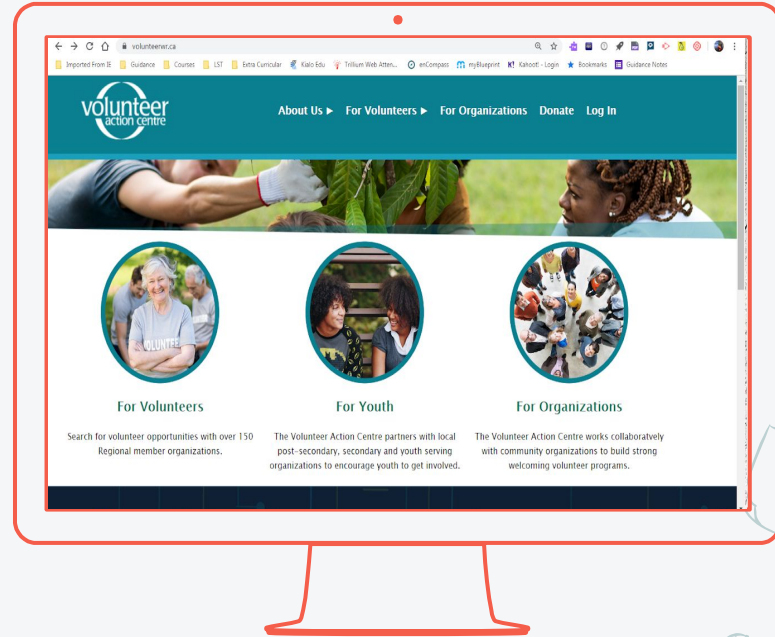
# 11 ELECTIVE CREDITS

3 ELECTIVE CREDITS  
IN YOUR GRADE 9 YEAR

- 
- ✓ Instrumental Music (Beginner & Experienced)
  - ✓ Dramatic Arts
  - ✓ Vocal / Choral Music
  - ✓ Visual Arts
  - ✓ Building the Entrepreneurial Mindset
  - ✓ Learning Strategies (IEP only)
  - ✓ Food and Nutrition
  - ✓ Healthy Active Living Education
  - ✓ Technology and the Skilled Trades

# 40 HOURS OF SERVICE

## COMPLETE BY THE END OF YOUR GRADE 12 YEAR







# ONTARIO LITERACY TEST

WRITTEN IN YOUR  
GRADE 10 YEAR

- ✓ Test-specific training provided.
- ✓ Assesses your reading, writing, and comprehension.
- ✓ Consists of two same-morning sessions.
- ✓ If unsuccessful, you must either...
  - Re-write the test, or...
  - Complete the Ontario Literacy Course

The choice is selected on recommendation by your Guidance Counsellor.

## 2 ONLINE LEARNING CREDITS

Students must complete 2 Online learning credits.

A list of courses will be available during the course selection process.

Parents/Guardians may choose to opt out their child from this requirement.

Please see your child's guidance counselor for more information.

# STUDENT LIFE @ SOUTHWOOD

GET INVOLVED!



# SOUTHWOOD CLUBS

FUN WITH FRIENDS!

- ✓ Art Club
- ✓ JR & SR Concert Bands
- ✓ JR & SR Jazz Bands
- ✓ Best Buddies
- ✓ Chamber Choir
- ✓ Ladies Choir
- ✓ Concert Choir
- ✓ Magic: The Gathering Club
- ✓ Drama Club
- ✓ Global Action Club
- ✓ Fed Prov Simulation
- ✓ Film Club
- ✓ Gay-Straight Alliance
- ✓ Tabletop Gaming Club
- ✓ Tech Crew
- ✓ Yearbook Club
- ✓ And more...

# SOUTHWOOD ATHLETICS REPRESENT!

- ✓ Cross Country Running
- ✓ Field Hockey
- ✓ Golf
- ✓ Volleyball
- ✓ Football
- ✓ Tennis
- ✓ Basketball

- ✓ Curling
- ✓ Girls' Hockey
- ✓ Swimming
- ✓ Triathlon
- ✓ Soccer
- ✓ Rugby
- ✓ Track & Field
- ✓ Slo-Pitch

# COURSE SELECTION

LET'S GET PREPARED!





# COMPULSORY COURSES

## ENGLISH

De-streamed

ENL1W

## FRENCH

Academic

FSF1D

## SCIENCE

De-Streamed

SNC1W

## MATH

De-Streamed

MTW1W

## GEOGRAPHY

De-Streamed

CGC1W

## ELECTIVE COURSES

CHOOSE 3 COURSES FROM THE LIST  
THAT MATCH YOUR INTERESTS.

### Arts

- ADA10 Dramatic Arts
- AMI1OI Instrumental Music (experienced)
- AMI1OX Instrumental Music (beginner)
- AMV10 Vocal / Choir Music
- AVI10 Visual Arts

### Business Studies

- BEM10 Building the Entrepreneurial Mindset

### Social Sciences & the Humanities

- HFN10 Food and Nutrition





# ELECTIVE COURSES

CHOOSE 3 COURSES FROM THE LIST  
THAT MATCH YOUR INTERESTS.

## Health & Physical Education

PPL10X Healthy Active Living (female)

PPL10Y Healthy Active Living (male)

PPL10I Healthy Active Living (co-ed)

## Technological Education

TAS10 Technology and the Skilled Trades

## Guidance

GLE10 Learning Strategies 1

(IEP students only)

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