GRADE 9 CORE SUBJECTS

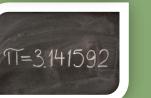
English

Languages









Science

Geography

Math

SELECTING A LEVEL FOR MY STUDENT?



Identification and Encouragement

Fast or Slow

Movement IS possible between levels

Choose for SUCCESS

Carefully consider your recommendation

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTING A LEVEL FOR MY STUDENT



Academic

Short and long term projects

Organization skills more assumed

Work completed in class and out of class

Ability to "self drive" is assumed

Must be a willing reader, writer, and math worker

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTING A LEVEL FOR MY STUDENT



Applied

Short term projects

Organizational skills embedded within assignments

Most work completed in class

Reading and writing skills are taught

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTING A LEVEL FOR MY STUDENT



Essential

Offered in English, Math, Geography, and Science

Continues into Grade 10

Students proceed into Grade 11 and 12 Workplace

District Dxford Vaterle

GUIDELINES FOR SELECTING A LEVEL FOR MY STUDENT



Future Plans

	Academic	Applied	Essential
	College	College	College
	Work	Work	Workplace
•	Apprenticeships	Apprenticeships	
	College to University bridge Programs	College to University Bridge Program	
	University		

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ENGLISH





Reading

Writing



Media

Oral Communication

ENGLISH

COURSE CONTENT



Academic & Applied

Academic	Applied
Class size = at least 30	Class size = approx. 20
Shakespeare, short stories, poetry, non-fiction/media TKAMB	Poetry, short narratives, student selected young adult novel, short Drama
Formal paragraphs	Shorter/chunked assignments and projects
Essays	
Opinion writing	
Presentation	
Large Unit Tests	

LANGUAGES



French

Understanding and speaking French opens doors!

DID YOU KNOW?



Academic and applied courses cover the same topics



If you are taking mostly Academic, take Academic French



Most students who take French are on the Honour Roll

You receive a Certificate of Completion after Grade 12

LANGUAGES



French

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DID YOU KNOW?



You can go on exchange after Grade 10 to Europe



Grade 10 French can count as a compulsory course



Speaking French gives you an advantage in the job market

LANGUAGES



International Languages

You can take German or Spanish in Grade 10!

German and Spanish are 3 year programs.

Any student, with any language background may take German or Spanish.

You receive a Certificate of Completion after Grade 12 for each of these languages.

CANADIAN GEOGRAPHY



Interactions in the Physical Environment



Managing Canada's Resources & Industries



Changing Populations



Livable Communities

School School Vaterlo

District Oxford School Waterloo-(Secondary



CANADIAN GEOGRAPHY

District Oxford] Vaterle

SCIENCE





Chemistry

Physics - Electricity



Biology - Ecology

Space

SCIENCE

COURSE CONTENT



Academic Science can Lead to...

University Level Biology, Chemistry and Physics

Environmental Science

Green Industries

Earth, Space and Science

SCIENCE

COURSE CONTENT



Applied Science can Lead to...

College Level Biology, Chemistry and Physics

Environmental Science

Green Industries (Horticulture)

SCIENCE

COURSE CONTENT



Essential Science can Lead to...

Environmental Science

Green Industries



MATH

COURSE CONTENT



Academic & Applied

	Academic	Applied
	Class size approx. 30	Class size approx. 20
l	Usually some homework each evening	MOST homework is done in class
	Academic level EQAO	Applied level EQAO

** IF you are unsure...

Please sign up for Academic Math

It is MUCH easier to move from Academic to Applied

MATH

Apr	blied	Ac	Academic	
Chapter	Content	Chapter	Content	
7 – Polynomials	Add, subtract like terms Product of polynomial and monomial	3 – Polynomials	Same as applied PLUS Distributive property	
6 – Solving Equations	Solving Equations (simple ones)	4 – Equations	Same as applied BUT more multi step equations (and more difficult word problems)	
4 – Proportional Reasoning	Ratios, proportions and applications		Small portion of triangles unit	
5 – Graphing Relations	Scatter plot, line of best fit, interpreting graphs	2 – Relations	Same as applied	
6 – Linear Relations	Rates of Change, Direct and Partial Variation, slope	5 – Modelling with Graphs	Same as applied	
1 – Measuring Figures in Objects	Perimeter, Area, Volume	8 - Measurement Relations	Same as applied PLUS Surface area of Sphere and Cone	
2 – Maximizing Perimeter and Area in Rectangles		9 – Optimizing Measurements	Same as applied PLUS Maximizing and Minimizing Volume and Surface area of Cylinder and Square based prism	
3 – Relationships in Geometry	Properties of Parallel lines and Triangles	7 – Geometric Relationships	Same as applied PLUS Midpoints and Medians and Diagonals in Triangles and Polygons	
		6 – Analyze Linear Relations	Slope y intercept form of lines, Standard Form, Parallel and Perpendicular Equations, Solving Linear Systems	

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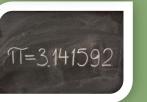
Geography











Science

Math