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Academic

The Ontario Curriculum Grade 10

Extended French and French Immersion Program – Department of Guidance

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Credit Value: 0.5

Equity Statement

Malvern CI stands together for human rights. Our school community stands together to recognize that we are all entitled to a life of equality, dignity, and respect — a life free from discrimination.

Course Content

Description

This course gives students the opportunity to develop the skills, knowledge, and habits that will support them in their education and career/life planning. Students will learn about global work trends and seek opportunities within the school and community to expand and strengthen their transferable skills and their ability to adapt to the changing world of work. On the basis of exploration, reflective practice, and decision-making processes, students will make connections between their skills, interests, and values and their postsecondary options

Prerequisite

None

Resource **Materials**

1. Teacher handouts, a French-English dictionary and Bescherelle (or a similar verb

conjugation book)

Strands

Each course in Grade 10 careers has three strands.

The three strands are as follows:

A: Developing Skills and Habits

B: Exploring and Preparing for the World of Work

C: Planning and Financial Management

Assessment, Evaluation and Reporting

Direct and explicit instruction; independent research, project-based and inquiry-based activities; discussion; group work; presentation; self-assessment; peer assessment; teacher assessment; written evaluations; oral evaluations; opportunity to learn and be assessed before evaluations

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Lates Policy / or details regarding the following policies, refer to the Malvern student agenda and TDSB ebsite.

Honesty and **Plagiarism**

ates Policy:

Students are expected to submit their work on time. Mark deduction, as a consequence of late and missed assignments, may be used. For each evaluation, Ms. Turcotte will inform students of the due date(s) when the assignment is given.

Continued failure to submit work according to due dates may result in a deduction of up to the value of the assignment.

Note: A teacher may grant an extension prior to the assignment due date extenuating circumstances such as illness. It is the **student's** responsibility to speak to the teacher prior to the assignment due date.

Academic Honesty and Plagiarism:

The success of students is built upon the development of learning skills and strategies. Assignments are planned to ensure students have the opportunity to consult a variety of resources, select appropriate and authentic examples, and most importantly, contribute their own understanding of the given topic. The use of information or ideas without due credit to the author is a serious offense because it breaches an ethical code of honesty within the academic community. It is easily avoided when appropriate citation conventions are used, and students are expected to honour these conventions consistently. Using a translation site, like Google Translate to translate sentences, cheating on a test, assignment or other evaluation are examples of academic dishonesty. Students are expected to demonstrate their own learning in order for assessment and evaluation to be considered valid.

The penalty for plagiarism or academic dishonesty **may result in a zero** for that assignment. Teachers *may* provide an opportunity at another time for the student to demonstrate evidence of proper research skills and alert the student's other teachers. A repeated pattern of academic dishonesty may result in an escalating severity of consequences.

Achievement Category Weightings

Knowledge/Understanding (25%); Thinking (25%); Communication (25%); Application (25%)

Term Grades throughout the Year

The grade for each reporting period is based on evaluations that have been conducted to that point in the course and will be preliminary and tentative. They will be based on the most consistent level of achievement to that point in time, but some of the overall expectations, strands, and units will not have been addressed. The student's grades will most likely change when his/her entire work is evaluated at the end of the course.

Course Work 80%

Components of evaluations during the course. These may change or be accommodated depending on students' needs and learning:

A variety of diagnostic and formative assessment for and as learning techniques may be used including but not limited to tests, projects, peer and self-assessments.

Missed or incomplete assignments will have an impact on the final grade when a significant number of curriculum expectations have not been evaluated. Major assignments in later units will be given a slightly higher weight in the calculation of the final mark.

Course-Culminating Activities 20%

In-class Course Culminating Activities (Details TBD) (10%) x2 or (20% x1)

All students must take part in the culminating and summative activities. Attendance is absolutely mandatory.

Learning Skills

Learning skills play a critical role in the achievement of curriculum expectations and student success.

Students are expected to be academically honest by submitting their own original work. The marks they receive are intended to reflect their own academic achievement.

Communication

Consultation

Students may approach Ms. Turcotte \boldsymbol{prior} to \boldsymbol{or} \boldsymbol{during} classes in room

309. Parent/guardians may also reach Ms. Turcotte by email. Email is the preferred method of communication.

Phone number: 416-393-1480 ext. 20036 **Office**: room 306A

Email: LisaAngela.Turcotte@tdsb.on.ca

Marks will be available at the end of each mark reporting period.

Help

Extra help is available when mutually-convenient times can be scheduled by arrangement with Ms. Turcotte.

ONLINE LEARNING: Students are expected to attend all of their classes. This includes in-person, synchronous (online in the afternoon) and asynchronous (at home in the morning). Attendance will be taken and students are responsible for all work that is assigned during these times.