### Course Selection Parent/Guardian and Student Information Evening Welcome



### Goals for the Evening

- •Review Graduation Requirements
- •Provide overview of how course selections affects various program pathways after high school
- •Present available student supports
- •Raise awareness of course selection process and procedures
- •Inform of new online parent approval process

#### What Are the Graduation Requirements?

ONTARIO SECONDARY SCHOOL DIPLOMA (OSSD)

**30 Credits** 

**18** compulsory **12** elective

# + 40 hours of community involvement + Literacy Requirement (OSSLT) + \*The online learning graduation requirement (2 online learning credits)

\*\*Beginning with students that entered Grade 9 in the 2020-21 \*\*\*Opt Out Form Available in Guidance Office

### What Kinds of Programs Are Available to High School Students?

As part of our pathways initiatives, Northview provides a wide range of course types and programs to meet the needs of all learners.

#### Some examples at Northview include:

- Specialist High Skills Majors (SHSM)
  - 1. ICT
  - 2. Hospitality & Tourism
  - 3. Arts & Culture
- CyberArts/ HMST/ APGA
- Dual Credit Programs
- Cooperative Education (Co-op)
- Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Program (OYAP)



### Understanding 'Destinations'



TDSB is committed to removing systemic barriers and offering inclusive and equitable learning opportunities for all students

- All students will study at the academic level in grades 9 and 10 as studies have shown:
  - 1. experience higher achievement in courses beyond Grade 10;

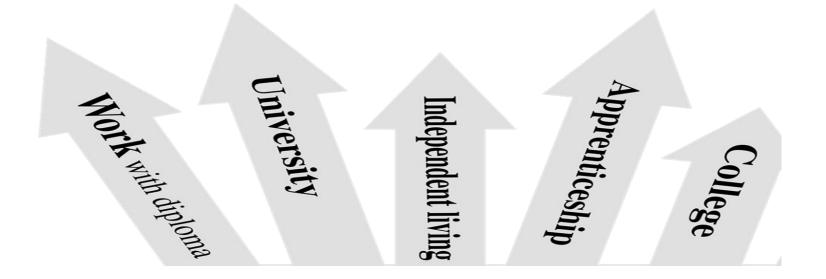
2. have access to increased post-secondary pathway options (college, university, apprenticeship and workplace); and,

3. achieve greater success in post-secondary programs

### Do Students' Course Choices Have an Impact on Postsecondary Options?

- Yes!
- Many grade 11 courses are pre-requisites for grade 12 courses
- It is important to research programs and consult with your guidance counsellor, as needed

#### Where do students go after high school?



#### **Pathways are Flexible!**

**Research is KEY to making the well informed choices** 

### Importance of Research in Making Course Choices

### The earlier students start their research:

The better informed they will be

The more aware they will be of program pre-requisites, and possible other entrance requirements,

#### University Program Worksheet

University	Program Name	Program Degree	OUAC Program Code	Brief Program Description Things to Consider: - Location of campus - What do you like about the program? - Does the program have co-op opportunities? - What are your career opportunities after graduating from this program?	<u>Strong</u> <u>Recommendation</u> : Go to the Fall Open Houses (Oct/Nov) and the Spring Open Houses (March/April)	Requirements: Pre-requisite & Recommended Courses Six 4U/M average (Remember, this can vary. Do your best! Then, no regrets!!)	List any other entrance requirements (ex. Portfolio, supplementary application form, interview, additional language requirements / English proficiency, etc)
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<u>www.OntarioUniversitiesInfo.ca</u> (Also, check ONTransfer.ca for alternative pathways to university)

### **College Research**

#### Grade 12: Search & Apply to College Worksheet

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www.ontariocolleges.ca / www.ontransfer.ca (Transfer Guide)



### Apprenticeship

#### Which OYAP program is right for you?



I want to give it a try and see if I like working in the skilled trades before I really commit to a career as a tradesperson. I'd like a skilled trade placement in co-op where I learn from a qualified tradesperson. This is a great place to start your journey.



I want to go to a Technical High School and get more credits towards graduation. I'd be learning about the trade that I'm really interested in from a licensed tradesperson as well as some time spent learning on the job at a co-op placement.

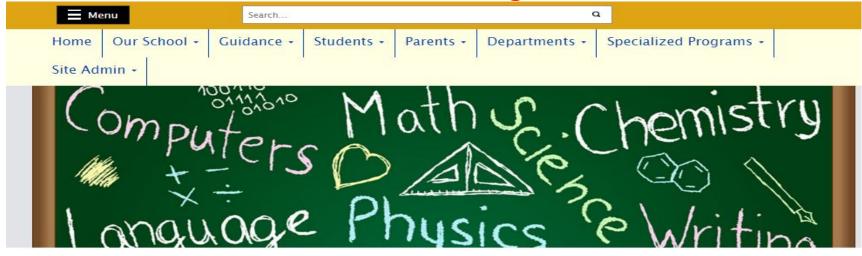


I want to start my apprenticeship while I'm still in high school. I'll learn on the Job from a licensed tradesperson. I'd also like to go to College or a Union training centre to get my Level 1 training in the trade that I am sure I want to pursue.



For more information contact the CO-OP Department

#### Northview Heights 2023-24 Webpage www.northviewheights.ca



### Course Selection 2023-2024

Course selection for the 2023-2024 school year will begin in February 2023, at the start of semester 1. A Course Selection Calendar will be provided to students and parents/guardians closer to the course selection month. Building and maintaining strong relationships with our school community is a priority as we want to ensure that parents/guardians are well informed about their student's learning and in turn, able to support in their learning and well-being. Feedback from the school community is always welcomed. THe Northview Guidance department will hold a Course Selection Parent/Guardian information evening on Wednesday January 25, 2023 from 6-7pm, via zoom. More information regarding this event will be communicated closer to the event date.

#### MyBlueprint and Individual Pathway Planning

In addition to choosing courses on MyBlueprint (<u>www.myblueprint.ca/tdsb</u>), students must complete their Individual Pathways Plans (IPP) The IPP survey questions allow students to Resources/Links

Course Selection Calendar

#### Need Help?

If you have any questions or concerns please contact your Guidance Counsellor!



Intensive Support Program (ISP) Message for Parents/Guardians

### **Course Selection Calendar**

POIN	ANT DATES		ection Feb		PLEAS	- POST
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 *Semester 1 marks review day Parent /Guardian Course Selection Information Evening via Zoom	2 P.A. DAY	3 Semester 2 Begins	
5	6 <u>Course Selection</u> <u>Assemblies:</u> P.1 Gr. 9 & 10 P.2 Gr. 11 & 12 Course Selection Fairs At lunch front foyer OCAS Transmission	7 Course Selection Fairs At lunch front foyer ESL A-	8 Course Selection Fairs At lunch front foyer D Class Visits / Spec	9 Course Selection Fairs At lunch front foyer ial Education Suppor	10 Course Selection Fairs At lunch front foyer	
12	13 OUAC Transmission	14	15 Late Start	16	17 P.A. DAY	
		ESL A-D Class Visits	s / Special Education	Supports		
19	20 Family Day	21	22 ** Course Selection Deadline myBlueprint disabled at 3:00pm Late Start	23	24	
26	27	28				

#### **Extra Supports for ASD & MID Students**

- Individual meetings with students during class
- Courses selected with students will be sent home for parent/guardian signature of approval
- Forms will be returned to their classroom teacher
- Assistance will be provided with entering course into MyBlueprint

We look forward to working with you

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### **Extra Supports for ESL Students**



- Target students at ESL A, B and C levels
- Visit classes to facilitate the course selection process
- Support students to choose courses
- Offering ESL level supported in multiple disciplines

### Student Supports for Course Selection

NHSS Course Selecti...

Home Grade 9 Grade 10

Grade 11 Grade 12

Not Returning Students ASD/MI

ASD/MID ISP programs More

### NHSS Course Selection

#### Welcome to the Guidance Course Selection Student Support Page!

This page contains everything you will need to successfully complete and submit course selections for next school year !

I'm returning to Northview Heights!

#### **Returning Students**

Grade 9

Grade 10

Grade 11

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Grade 12 (returning)

ISPs: ASD & MID



Not returning Students including Grads

Grades 9-11

2022 Graduates

Site only available to students via their @student.tdsb.on.ca email address

### 2023-24 Course Selection Worksheet



- Think of your plan
- Think of your future

Students must choose 8 courses and 3 alternatives

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Remember, Timetables will be generated according to these choices. If you wish to make any changes to the courses chosen during the Course Selections Process, you <u>MUST</u> contact your Guidance Counsellor <u>prior to June 1, 2021</u> for these changes to be considered.

#### COURSE SELECTION PROCESS

Course Selection Sheets are used for educational planning and are required each year. Please note that changes to a student's program will only be made in consultation with parents for sound educational reasons, timetable conflicts and where enrolment is insufficient to warrant a course being offered.

### **Course Offerings**

#### NHSS Course Offerings 2023 - 2024

#### GRADE 10

(Students MUST take 8 courses and CHOOSE 3 Alternate Courses) Students can find course decriptions and pre-requisites in www.MyBlueprint.ca/tdsb

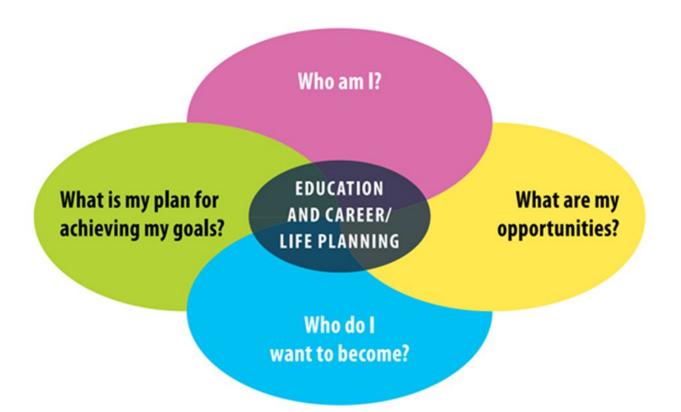
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English	Arts - Group 2
ENG2D1 Academic - English	ADA201 Open - Drama
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SLAO8 Open - ESL Level A	AMV201 Open - Vocal/ Choral Music
SLBO8 Open - ESL Level B	ATC201 Open - Dance
SLCO8 Open - ESL Level C	AVI201 Open - Visual Arts
SLDO8 Open - ESL Level D	AWI2O1 Open - Fashion Design
SLEO8 Open - ESL Level E	
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CHC2D8 Academic - Canadian History - ESL Supports	GLE209 Open - Learning Strategies - For any student with an IEP
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APGA10 CHC2DP - Canadian History (Lunch class)	TEJ201 Open - Computer Engineering Technology
PPL2OP - Healthy Active Living (Biended Learning)	TFJ201 Open - Cooking & Baking
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SNC2DP - Science	BTT108 Open - Information Technology - Group 2
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Special Education Additional Classes	EPS308 Open - Presentation & Speaking Skills - Group 1
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AWA2O9 Open - Crafts - Group 2	GLS108 Open - Learning Strategies - Group 1
BTT209 Open - Information Technology - Group 2	HIF108 Open - Individual & Family Living - Group 1
PAF2O9 Open - Personal Fitness (All-genered) - Group 2	MTH1W8 De-Streamed - Mathematics
RSE109 Resource (non-credit)	SNC1W8 De-Streamed - Science
FJ2O9 Open - Cooking & Baking - Group 3	* Guidance Approval Requi

#### Want to know more about what the courses we offer?

#### Students can:

- Read course descriptions and • prerequisites in MyBlueprint
- Attend the lunch-time Course Selection Fair during the week of Feb 6 - 10th (schedule will be posted)
- Ask teachers
- See their guidance counsellor

### **Know Your Child**

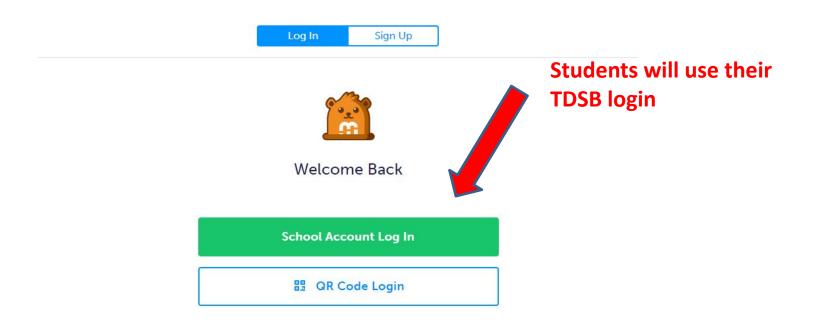


### **MyBlueprint Education Planner**

### myBlueprint

#### www.myblueprint.ca/tdsb

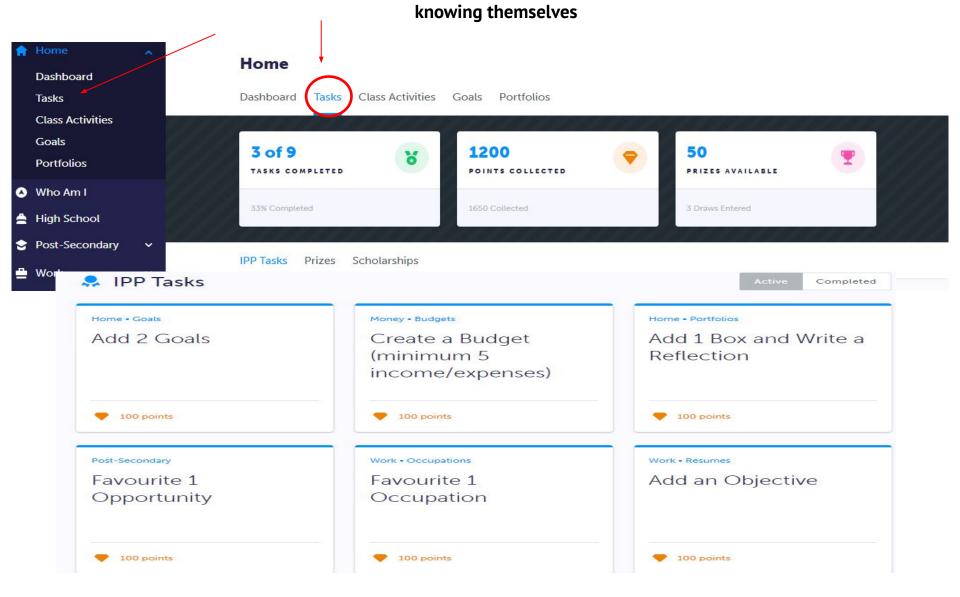
#### **Online educational & career planning tool for students and parents**



•Parents may have their own myBlueprint account, or be linked to their child's account for planning and conversation purposes

•Tutorials and videos available

#### myBlueprint Individual Pathways Plan (IPP) The Students



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### **Entering Courses in MyBlueprint**

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### Important Notes:

### Reach Ahead Courses

- Grade 10 students are not permitted to reach ahead for Grade 11 courses
- Grade 11 students may reach ahead for only 1 grade
   12 course subject to availability

### Spare Periods

- Grade 11 students ARE NOT permitted to have spares, even if they have extra credits
- Grade 12 students may have only 1 spare per semester.

### **After Course Submission**

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How students send email approval
requests to a parent/guardian

In myBlueprint, once students submit their courses they are prompted with a Send Approval Email option. Once dicked, a parent or guardian's email address can be added.

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After entering an email address and clicking Send Approval Email, the parent/guardian receives a course selection approval request email, including:

- a. The student's course requests
- b. Alternate course requests, if any
- c. Issues with course submission, If any (e.g. missing prerequisite, etc.)
- d. Student comments, if any
- e. Course guidance messages, if any

#### Course Selection Approval Email as seen by Parents/Guardians

#### Sample Parent Email



#### **Course Selections approval request**

#### н,

First102 Last102 has requested you approve their Course Selections.

To approve these choices, you must review the information below and click 'Approve Course Selections'.

Name: First102 Last102 School: Demo High School 2

#### Courses Submitted:

- English (ENG4C1)
- Chemistry (SCH4CC)
- Interdisciplinary Studies (IDC4U1)
- Visual Arts (AV(201))
- Introduction to Business (BBI201)

#### Alternate Courses Submitted:

Guitar Music (AMG201)

In the course selection approval request email, the parent/guardian has the option to Approve or Reject the student's selections by clicking a button or link in the email.

### Approve Course Selections

Approval Process

Don't approve of these Course Selections? Reject Request. If you reject this request, please follow up with your school's guidance coursellor about next steps.

## **Course Selections and** Parent Approvals are due by Wed. February 22

### WE ARE HERE TO HELP



Every student at Northview Heights is assigned to a guidance counsellor with whom he/she can discuss personal issues.

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#### Student Last Name

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