

Oak Bay High School

2017 – 2018

Grade 12 Course Selection

Grade 11's into Grade 12 Course Planning

- Listen carefully (it's easy to make a mistake)
- You are NOT making selections today. You will go home and talk to your parents about your courses.
- Signed course forms are due in the office no later than Monday, February 27th
- Any forms turned in after Monday will be “date-stamped and numbered”.
- It is very important to indicate alternative elective choices.
- All course offerings are available on the Oak Bay [Website](#) .



You will receive the following form as you exit today. Fill out the personal information at your first opportunity.

École Secondaire Oak Bay High School: Grade 12 Course Planning		<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> French Immersion <input type="checkbox"/> International <input type="checkbox"/> </div>	12
Student Information (please print)			
Last Name: _____	First Name: _____ <small>(Legal and Common Name)</small>	Student #: _____	
School attended (in 2016/17): _____		Grade (in 2016/17): _____	
Home Address: _____		Postal Code: _____	
Parent/Guardian Name: _____		Phone(H): _____ (W): _____	
Parent/Guardian Email: _____		(Cell): _____	
Email Address belongs to (X): <input type="checkbox"/> Mom <input type="checkbox"/> Dad <input type="checkbox"/> Guardian <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____			
Student Email: _____		Student cell #: _____	
Required Courses (Choose only 4 from each section to meet Graduation Requirements. Additional selections can be added as electives)			
Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12	MEN--12--L	
	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12 AP	MEN--12H-L	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Communications/English Lang. 12 Combo (ELL)	MCOM-12---	
French Immersion	<input type="checkbox"/> Français langue 12 (French Immersion)	FFRAL12--L	
Grad Transitions	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduation Transitions 12 (outside timetable)	MGT---12-L	
Inside the Timetable Elective Courses (Select in order of preference)			
	Course Name	Course Code	

The Graduation Program

- Grades 10, 11 and 12
- Earn 80 credits over 3 years
- Courses have a value of 4 credits each
- 8 courses per year x 4 credits each
= 32 credits per year
- Specific requirements on the Ministry of Education [website](#) ([Graduation Program](#)).





Grade 12 requirements

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(Legal and Common Name)

School attended (in 2016/17): _____ Grade (in 2016/17): _____

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Parent/Guardian Name: _____ Phone(H): _____ (W): _____

Parent/Guardian Email: _____ (Cell): _____

Email Address belongs to (X): ☐ Mom ☐ Dad ☐ Guardian ☐ Other _____

Student Email: _____ Student cell #: _____

Required Courses (Choose only 1 from each section to meet Graduation Requirements. Additional selections can be added as electives)

Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12	MEN--12--L
	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12 AP	MEN--12H-L
	<input type="checkbox"/> Communications/English Lang. 12 Combo (ELL)	MCOM-12---
French Immersion	<input type="checkbox"/> Français langue 12 (French Immersion)	FFRAL12--L
Grad Transitions	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduation Transitions 12 (outside timetable)	MGT---12-L

Make six additional elective choices (select in order of preference)

	Course Name	Course Code
1 st Elective	(12)	
2 nd Elective	(12)	
3 rd Elective	(12)	
4 th Elective		
5 th Elective		
6 th Elective		
7 th Elective		

Back-up Elective Choices (select from "Inside the Timetable" Options)

Select 2 different electives (alternates) in case one of the choices above is not available. Choose in your order of preference; please note these cannot be the same as above.

	Course Name	Course Code
1 st Back-up		

Grade 12 Electives

English

- 1 mandatory Inside TT course:
 - English or Com 12
- GTP (outside TT)
- 7 Electives inside Timetable

Language Arts	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12	MEN-12--L
	<input type="checkbox"/> English 12 AP	MEN-12H-L
	<input type="checkbox"/> Communications/English Lang. 12 Combo (ELL)	MCOM-12---
French Immersion	<input type="checkbox"/> Français langue 12 (French Immersion)	FFRAL12--L
Grad Transitions	<input type="checkbox"/> Graduation Transitions 12 (outside timetable)	MGT---12-L

Inside the Timetable Elective Courses (Select in order of preference)

	Course Name	Course Code
1 st Elective		(12)
2 nd Elective		(12)
3 rd Elective		(12)
4 th Elective		
5 th Elective		
6 th Elective		
7 th Elective		

Back-up Elective Choices (select from "Inside the Timetable" Options)
Select 2 different electives (alternates) in case one of the choices above is not available. Choose in your order of preference; please note these cannot be the same as above.

	Course Name	Course Code
1 st Back-up		
2 nd Back-up		
3 rd Back-up		

Outside the timetable Elective Courses: Optional (If you are not taking electives outside the timetable, please leave the next section blank.)

	Course Name	Course Code
Choice #1		
Choice #2		
Choice #3		
Choice #4		
Choice #5		
Choice #6		

Please indicate anything unique about your timetable/situation (distributed learning courses, UStart, Other)

Message to Parents/Guardians:

Students and parents/guardians have access to information on planning and course selection by reading the Oak Bay High Course Offerings

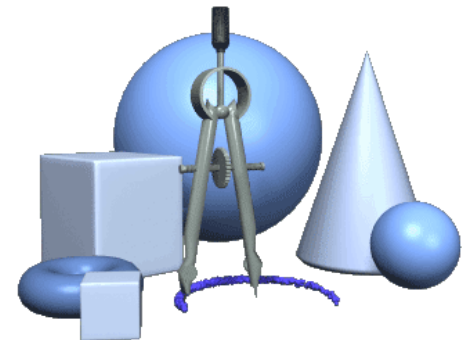
French Immersion

- 2 mandatory inside TT courses:
 - English or Com 12
 - Francais Langue 12
- GTP (outside TT)
- 6 Electives inside Timetable

At least 3 electives
MUST be at the Grade
12 level.

Math Selection Process

- Note: Math is an “elective” in Grade 12
- If you choose Math, see your grade 11 math teacher for guidance/advice
- Discuss the teacher’s guidance with your parents
- Remember that many colleges have math upgrading available, or math upgrading is already built into the program.
- BE HONEST AND REALISTIC WITH YOURSELF



Scholarships & Grad Transitions

Mr. Alexander – Room 211 – [website](#)
Mrs. Giesbrecht – Career Centre

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL findalexander.com/sch-prep/scholarship-spreadsheet/. The browser's address bar and tabs are visible at the top. The website has a dark navigation bar with the following links: Home, History 12, Socials 11, Planning 11, Scholarship Prep (highlighted in blue), and The Graduation Transition Plan. A search icon is located on the right side of the navigation bar. Below the navigation bar, the page title is "Scholarship Spreadsheet". The main content area contains the following text: "Please use Google Sheets to make your spreadsheet. Your spreadsheet should have bet", "Share your Google Sheet or Google Doc with me (salexander@sd61learn.ca).", "Headings:", "Scholarship", "Amount", "Criteria", "Due Date", and "Link". On the right side of the page, there is a vertical menu with the following items: "Scholarship homepage", "Scholarship Spreadsheet", "Scholarship Resumes", "Post Secondary Applications", "Scholarship Paragraphs", "Admission Questions", "First Year", and "Final Assignment".

CAREER CENTRE

University Admission Requirements



Mrs. Giesbrecht

Arts and Humanities

UBC Arts

A minimum final grade
of 70% in English 11 or 12

- English 12
- 3 other approved academic grade 12 courses
- **Second Language 11**
- Pre-Calculus 11 or Foundations Math 12

UVic Social Sciences

- English 12
- 3 other approved academic grade 12 courses
- Pre-Calculus 11 or Foundation Math 11

Sciences

UBC

A minimum final grade of
70% in English 11 or 12

- English 12
- Pre Calculus 12
- Two other approved grade 12 courses – one must be a science
- **Second Language 11**
- Chemistry 11
- Physics 11

UVIC

- English 12
- Pre Calculus 12
- Two approved grade 12 science courses
- Chemistry 11
- Physics 11

University Math Comparisons

These math requirements are subject to change. Please check the university website or view book for your programs specific requirements.

Faculty of Humanities, Arts or Social Sciences

- Differs from school to school
- Please investigate:
 - Some require PC11
 - Some accept Foundations 11
 - Some → Found 11 and Found. 12

Faculty of Science, Business or Engineering

- All require Pre-Calculus 12
- Some require Calculus 12

Points to Consider...

- English 12 and 3 other academic 12 courses
- Some universities require English 12, plus 4 other academic courses. (This is common on the east coast and Alberta)
- Comparative Civilization 12, Law 12 and Social Justice 12 are commonly accepted as academic 12 courses (Make sure you check the university web sites for the acceptance of these 3 courses)
- UBC Approved Courses UVIC Approved Courses

Challenging or Retaking Courses

- Some universities will not accept challenged courses
- When retaking a course the university has the right to use whichever mark they choose

- University Transfer Program =
 - One to two years of transferable courses which allows you to start at university in third year.
- How do you get in?
 - Arts, Business and Education require English 12 with a C+ or better.
 - Sciences require:
 - English 12- C+
 - Pre-Calc 11- C+
 - Science12- C

Camosun College

University Transfer Studies

Dual Credits

- What is a Dual Credit?
 - Double Credits
 - Free Tuition (only), **not other fees & books**
 - Available to grade 11 & 12
- How do I get dual credits?
 - **uStart** (sign up in grade 11 for fall of grade 12)
 - **Camosun** – South Island Partnership (sign up in grade 11 or 12)

Dual Credit Cohorts

You are signing up for the entire year

Psychology 12 DC

- Psychology 130 credits at Camosun
- 8 credits at OB
- University transferable
- Taught at OB by Camosun Prof. and an OB Teacher within the timetable
- Grade 11 or 12 students

Geography 12 DC

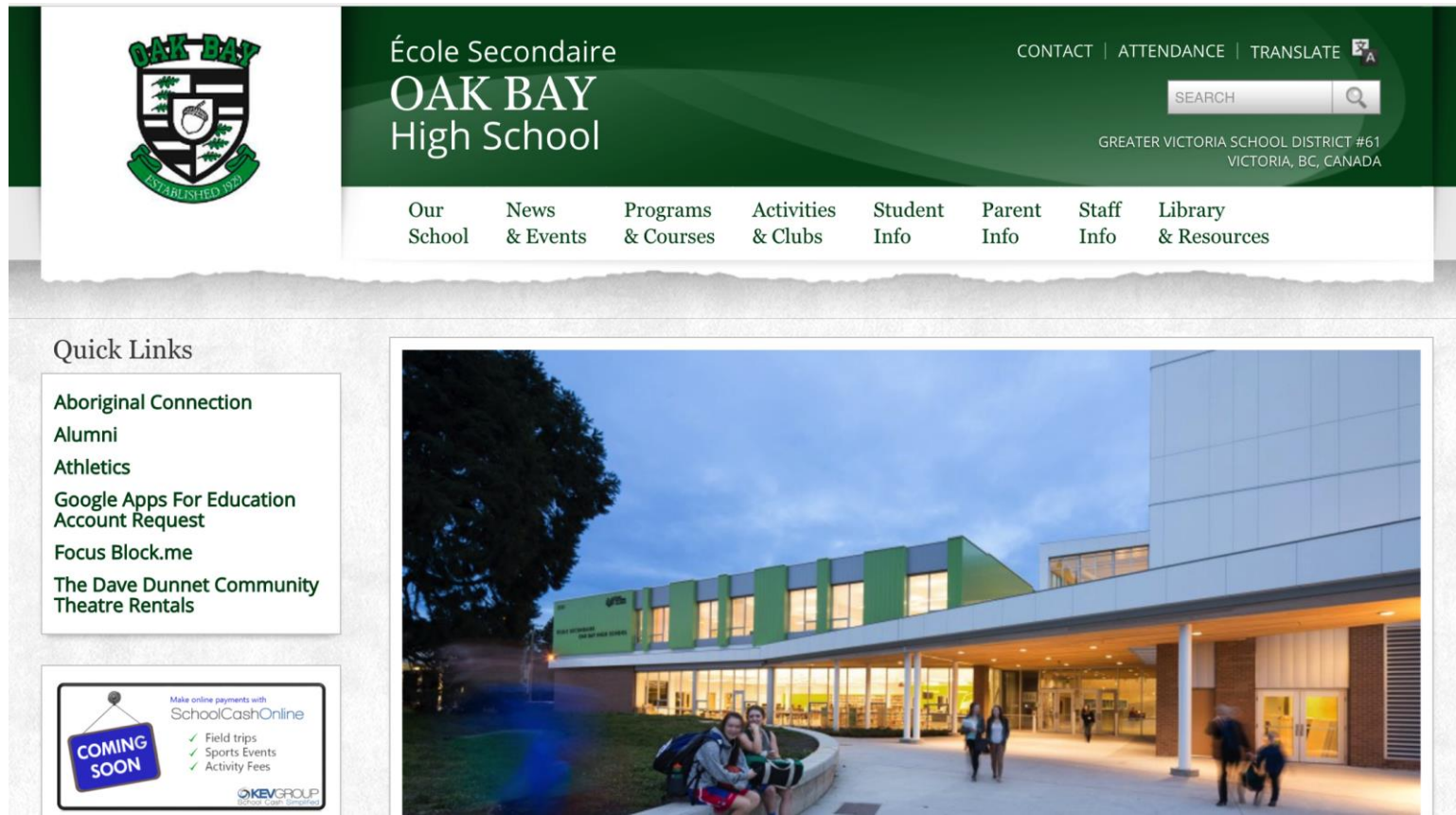
- Geography 111 credits at Camosun
- 8 credits at OB
- University transferable
- Taught at OB by Camosun Prof. and an OB Teacher within the timetable
- Grade 11 or 12 students

- Mrs. Giesbrecht
- Career Centre
- sgiesbrecht@sd61.bc.ca



Any Questions?

Navigating the Website



The screenshot shows the top section of the Oak Bay High School website. On the left is the school's crest, which features a shield with a tree and a book, and the text "OAK BAY" and "ESTABLISHED 1929". To the right of the crest, the school's name "École Secondaire OAK BAY High School" is displayed in white text on a dark green background. Further right, there are links for "CONTACT", "ATTENDANCE", and "TRANSLATE" with a small icon. Below these links is a search bar with the word "SEARCH" and a magnifying glass icon. To the right of the search bar, the text "GREATER VICTORIA SCHOOL DISTRICT #61 VICTORIA, BC, CANADA" is visible. Below the search bar and the school's name, there is a horizontal navigation menu with the following items: "Our School", "News & Events", "Programs & Courses", "Activities & Clubs", "Student Info", "Parent Info", "Staff Info", and "Library & Resources".

Quick Links

- Aboriginal Connection
- Alumni
- Athletics
- Google Apps For Education Account Request
- Focus Block.me
- The Dave Dunnet Community Theatre Rentals


COMING SOON

Make online payments with SchoolCashOnline

- ✓ Field trips
- ✓ Sports Events
- ✓ Activity Fees

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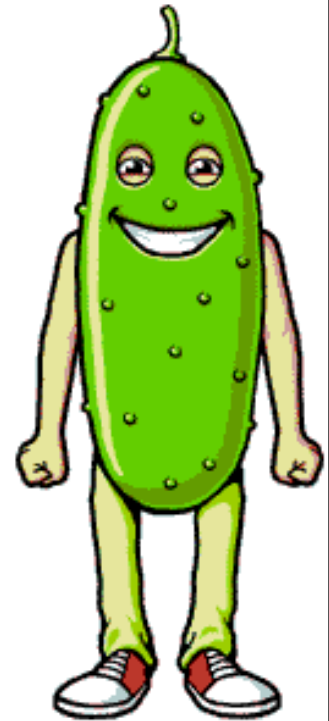
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The image shows the exterior of Oak Bay High School at dusk. The building is a modern, multi-story structure with large windows and a prominent entrance. The sky is dark blue, and the building's lights are on, creating a warm glow. Several people are visible walking on the sidewalk in front of the building. A large tree is on the left side of the frame.

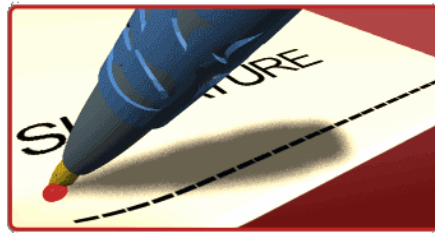
General Guidelines

- Any failed courses should be discussed with a counsellor (you may have some options).
- Make sure you think & plan ahead for post secondary
- If you change your mind later, we can't guarantee you'll get what you need or want...it's likely you'll end up on a **waitlist**.
- **PLEASE PICK AND STICK!** (or you may be disappointed)
- Ask your teachers for advice.
- These are LINEAR classes, make sure it's what you want.



Making Final Selections

- Discuss selections with your parents
- Read the course book for graduation, university or college entrance requirements
- PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED



- Monday, February 27th