



WELCOME!

Program Planning 2025-26

FUTURE GRADE 10s

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WE ACKNOWLEDGE AND THANK THE FIRST PEOPLES
OF THE HƏN'Q'ƏMIN'ƏM' LANGUAGE GROUP
ON WHOSE TRADITIONAL AND UNCEDED
TERRITORIES WE TEACH, LEARN AND LIVE

PROGRAM PLANNING

- Graduation requirements
- Course planning process
- Course offerings
- MyEducation selection
- Summer school
- Timetable process



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS - COURSES

GRADE 10	GRADE 11	GRADE 12
an English 10	an English 11	an English 12
a Math 10	a Math 11	Grade 12 Elective
Social Studies 10	a Social Studies 11 or 12	Grade 12 Elective
Science 10	a Science 11 or 12	Grade 12 Elective
Physical Education 10	Career Life Education 10	(Rec) Grade 12 Elective
Fine Art/Applied Skill 10, 11 or 12	Elective	Elective
Elective	Elective	Elective
Elective	Elective	Elective
		Career Life Connections 12

*an Indigenous Education course is also required

PROVINCIAL GRADUATION ASSESSMENTS

1. Graduation Numeracy Assessment 10
2. Graduation Literacy Assessment 10
3. Graduation Literacy Assessment 12

- mandatory for graduation
- score of 1-4 listed on your official transcript
- November and April

ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNING

<u>ELL 1</u>	<u>ELL 2</u>	<u>ELL 3</u>	<u>ELL 4</u>
ELL 1 Reading	ELL 2 Reading	ELL 3 Reading	ELL 4
ELL 1 Writing	ELL 2 Writing	ELL 3 Writing	an English 10
ELL 1 SS/Science	ELL 2 SS/Science	Social Studies 10	Social Studies 10
a Math 10	a Math 10	a Math 10	a Math 10
Elective	Science 10	Science 10	Science 10
PE 10	PE 10	PE 10	PE 10
Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective
Elective	Elective	Elective	Elective





COURSE PLANNING PROCESS



PROGRAM PLANNING PROCESS

- Read the program planning guide for course descriptions on schools-site under student tab
- Listen to teacher recommendations for suggested courses
- Speak to teachers, counsellors and parents to gather more information.
- Log into myEducation to make your course selections.
- Return your signed program planning form to counselling by **February 13th**.

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Thank you Palmer community for donating so many needed items to the Richmond Food Bank and cash donations!! Happy holidays!



Latest News

Last Day B Bell Sched

To allow our stu an alternate bel an early dismiss [Read more](#)


Door Deco

We have had so Competition bei of Ms. Calacuire [Read more](#)

Spirit Week

Monday – Monc Nike v Adidas D or Palmer) Frida [Read more](#)

A successful Holiday Hope Campaign! Well Done Student Council and our wonderful Palmer Community







Student Daily Notices

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Student Absent?
[604-668-6288](#) (Ext 1)

Quicklinks

Upcoming Events

[Winter Break Locker Clean Out - December 14th @ 2:45pm](#)



COURSE OFFERINGS



ENGLISH OPTIONS

*COMPOSITION & SPOKEN LANGUAGE 10

OR

* LITERARY STUDIES & CREATIVE WRITING 10

OR

*INCENTIVE ENGLISH 10- COMPOSITION & LITERARY STUDIES

MATHEMATICS 10 CHOICES

- Workplace Mathematics

- Majority of Trades and Workforce

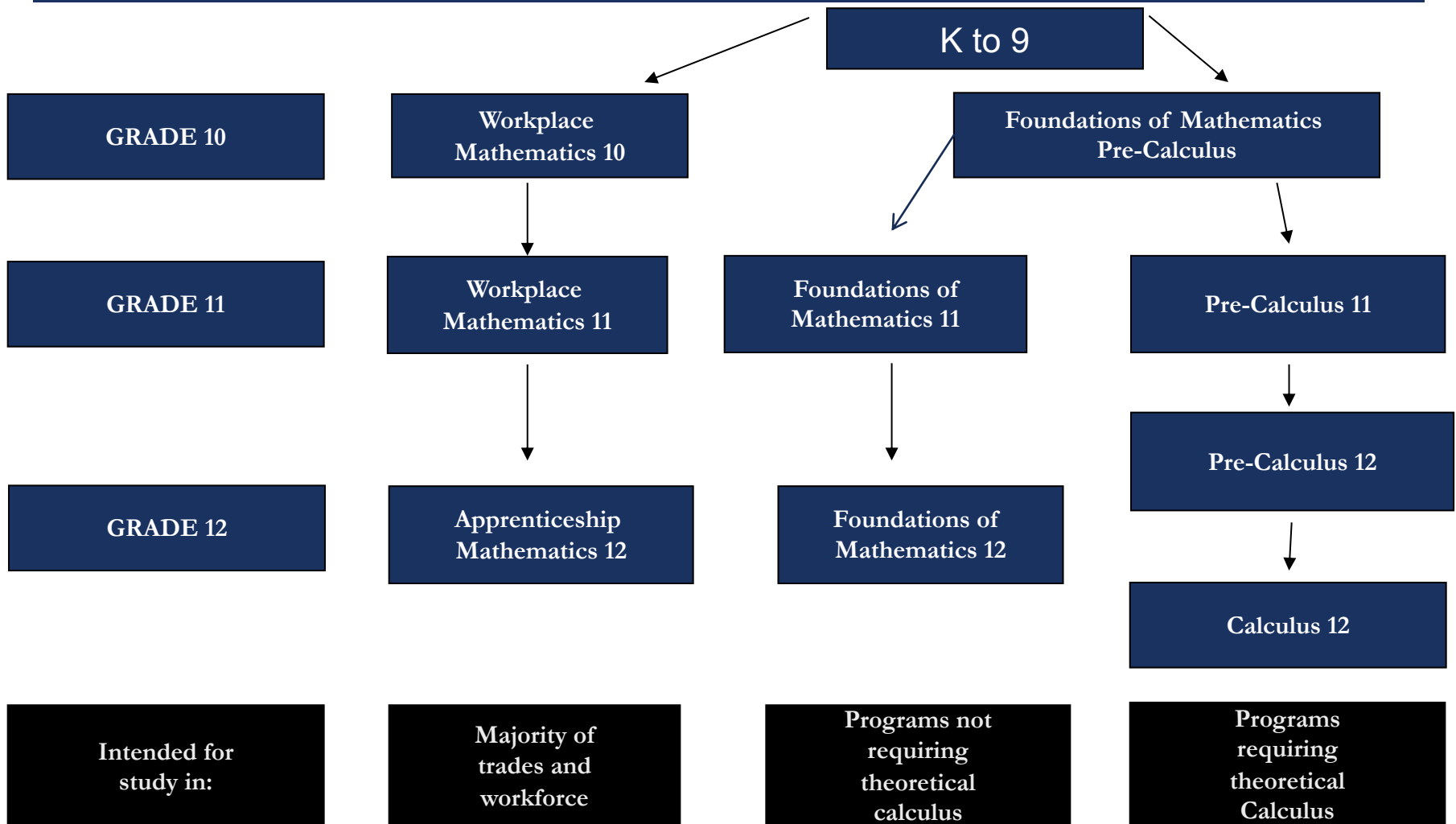
■ OR

- Foundations of Mathematics and Pre-calculus

- College and University path

* Consult with your current Math teacher to find the best placement for you.

MATHEMATICS OVERVIEW



GRADE 10 FINE ARTS

- Art Studio 10
- Yearbook 10
- Photography level 1/2
- Drama 10
- Concert Choir 10
- Guitar 10
- Concert Band 10
- Jazz Band 10

APPLIED SKILLS

- Drafting & Design
- Woodwork
- Metalwork
- Textiles
- Food Studies
- Web Development
- Computer Studies
- Keyboarding
- Entrepreneurship and Marketing

MODERN LANGUAGES

- French 10
- Japanese 10
- Spanish 10
- Introductory Japanese 11
- Introductory Spanish 11

**Course changes aren't typically possible in September or January..
Please plan ahead!**





MYED ENTRY



WWW.MYEDUCATION.GOV.BC.CA/ASPEN/LOGON.DO



MyEducation BC Prod 4

Login ID

Password

[I forgot my password](#)

MYEDUCATION ENTRY

- Students will need to choose courses on a computer or mobile device just like last year
- Please enter all your required courses and first-choice electives
- Enter alternates and list priority
- Counsellors will check your course selections for accuracy
- If you are unable to log into the student myeducation website due to a forgotten password, please request a reset at palmer@sd38.bc.ca



Grade 10 Program Planning 2025–2026

Name _____

Home Phone _____

Student # _____

Student Cell Phone _____

Homeroom _____ Grade _____

Student Email _____

Course Selections for Next Year

All students must be enrolled in a minimum of 8 courses.

Circle the course to select or write correct course name. Students who wish to enrol in incentive courses must complete an application form.

Required Courses

1. EN: Composition/Spoken Language 10 OR Literary Studies/Creative Writing 10 OR English 10 INC
2. SS: Social Studies 10 OR Social Studies 10 INC
3. PE: Physical and Health Education 10 OR Basketball 10
4. SC: Science 10 OR _____
5. MA: Workplace Mathematics 10 OR Foundations of Math and Pre-Calculus 10 OR _____

Elective Courses

Please list in order of preference

6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

Alternative Electives

Please choose three in preference order

- A. _____
- B. _____
- C. _____

Note to Counsellor

My Education BC Login Information

Summer School/Online Courses

Please list any full credit summer school or online course you plan to take during the 2025-26 school year. NOTE: Summer School registration information will be posted on the Palmer website in April.

Enter course selections ONLINE from February 8 to February 13, 2024.

Please review your course selections carefully and sign below indicating your consent to the above course requests.

Please return this form to the Counselling Office by Thursday, February 13, 2025.

Student Signature _____

Parent Signature _____

Parent Email and Cell Phone _____



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GRADE 10 ELL COURSE SELECTION

Name: _____
(Legal Last Name) (Legal First Name) (Usual First Name)
Birthdate (YY/MM/DD): _____ Phone #: _____ Current ELL Level: _____

Current grade 9 courses: _____

Projected ELL level for next year:

Circle the appropriate level and write in your elective choices.

LEVEL 1

LEVEL 2

LEVEL 3

LEVEL 4

ELL 1A	ELL 2A	ELL 3A	ELL 4
ELL 1B	ELL 2B	ELL 3B	LITERARY STUDIES & CREATIVE WRITING 10 OR COMPOSITION & SPOKEN LANGUAGE 10 <small>(circle one Language Arts 10 course)</small>
ELL 1C	ELL 2C	MATH 10	SOCIAL STUDIES 10
MATH 10	MATH 10	SCIENCE 10	MATH 10
PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION 10	PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION 10	PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION 10	SCIENCE 10
ELECTIVE: _____	SCIENCE 10	SOCIAL STUDIES 10	PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION 10
ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____
ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____	ELECTIVE: _____

Alternate elective choices:

- 1) _____ 2) _____ 3) _____
4) _____ 5) _____

Summer School Courses? (Optional) 1) _____ 2) _____ Parent/Guardian
Signature: _____ Date: _____ **DUE JANUARY 24TH**

PROGRAM PLANNING DEADLINE

- Complete your myEd entry AND submit your completed and signed program planning sheet by **FEBRUARY 13TH**





Continuing Education

- Offers **FULL CREDIT** (full curriculum) or PREVIEW courses
- Registration is typically in **May- timeline will be posted on the Palmer website when available**

Students can register at ce.sd38.bc.ca or in person at the school district office

Note that course content must be condensed to accommodate the short amount of contact time over five weeks. Working through material quickly does not serve all learners, especially if you wish to pursue further study in the subject.

Richmond Virtual School

Offers **FULL CREDIT** (full curriculum)

Courses are delivered online with two in-person meetings weekly

Register at rvs.sd38.bc.ca



ONLINE/DISTANCE LEARNING COURSE POLICIES

- Online/DL courses are not included in our honour roll or scholarship calculations. Nor are they included as part of a student's course load for Palmer scholarship eligibility.
- Similarly, Online/DL courses do not count when determining "full-time" or "partial program" status at Palmer. Only 'full-time' students are eligible to participate in our scholarship program and request school-based reference letters. Full-time students also get priority over part-time students for extracurriculars like leadership, sports and clubs. (full time Grades 8-9-10-11 students must enrol in 8 classes at Palmer. Full time Grade 12s must take at least 6 courses at Palmer).
- Online/DL course marks may or may not be noted on the Palmer report card. As these are not Palmer classes, our school does not supervise nor monitor the progress of students. Due to the independent and self-paced nature of these courses, students themselves need to ensure they complete a course when expected and that the course appears on the student's transcript (TVR). Questions about courses not showing up on a transcript must be made directly with the online/DL provider.
- **Please contact your Palmer counsellor before you enrol in an DL/Online course to ensure you and your family fully understand your options.**

TIMETABLING PROCESS

- Counsellors review course selections to make sure students have made appropriate course selections
- Course request numbers are generated (how many students chose each class)
- Administration make decisions about which classes will run (considering required vs. elective, staff availability, projected new students)
- Administration make a timetable with the least amount of conflicts possible (eg: Sc 9 INC and Eng 9 INC will not be placed in the same block)
- Counsellors look for students with an incomplete schedule and select alternates (counsellors only contact students if a significant change is being made)
- Counsellors update requests in May/June (eg: failures, repeating ELL, not registered in planned summer course)
- Preliminary schedules are distributed in June (changes may still be required)

QUESTIONS?

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R-Z: Ms. White
Career Advisor: Ms. Mayer

Library Lunch Time Q & A: Feb 7, 10, 11
PLT Tech Support in Library: Feb 12, 13