



Sardis
Secondary School

Proud to Be a Falcon

This IS what we stand for:

Respect

Integrity

Perseverance

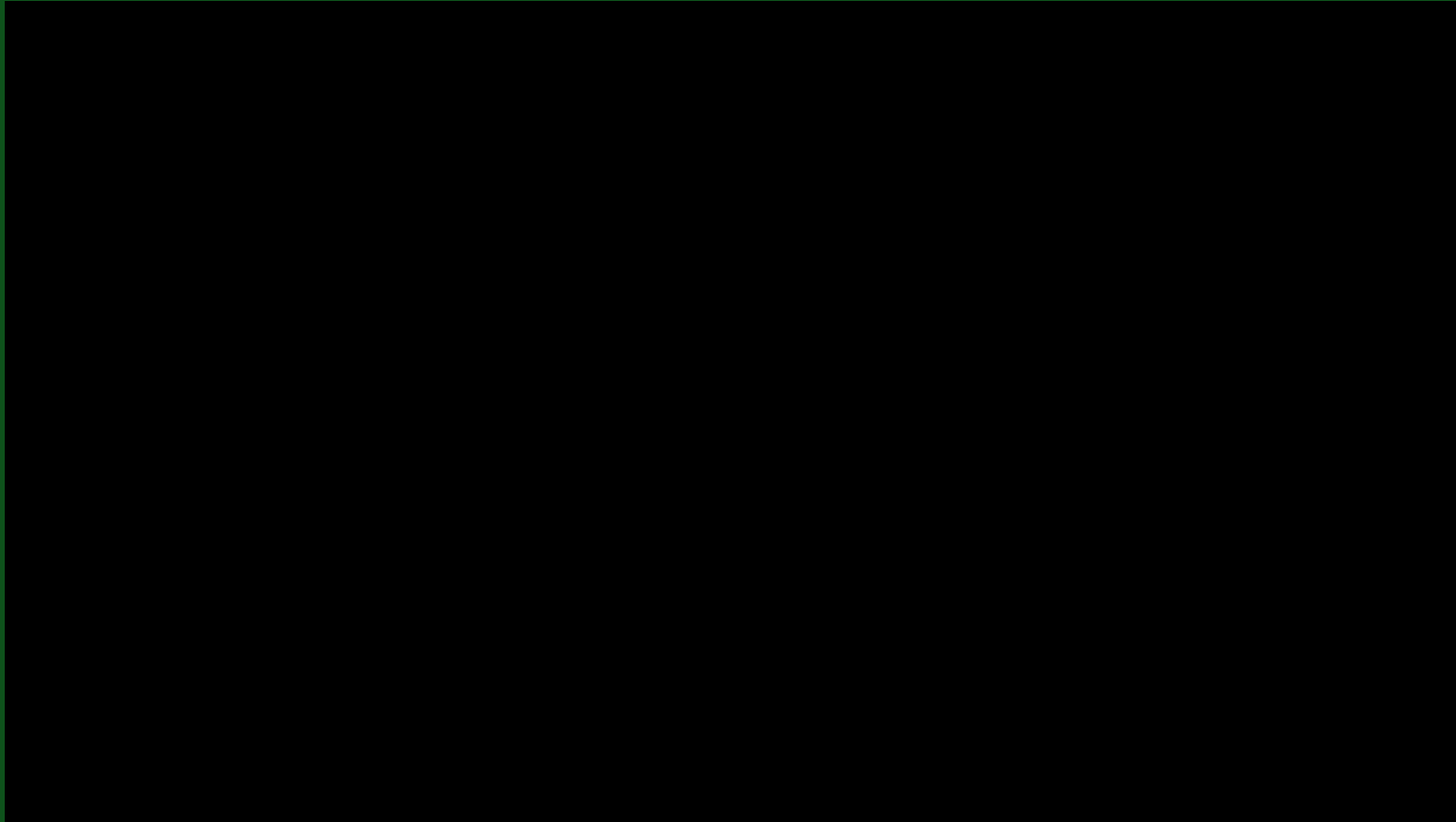
Passion

Empathy

Accountability

Achievement

Welcome to Sardis !



SARDIS SECONDARY
COURSE SELECTION 2017

Decision Making Time!

Grads of 2020!!

TIMELINE

- Jan. 27th - Tech Tours VMS/MSMS
- February 14th - French Immersion Orientation @ SSS
- February 21st - Mrs. Lewis – question and answer time at CMS
- February 28th - Course Selection Form pick up from CMS
- March 2nd - Grade 9 Parent Night @ SSS 6:30pm
- June-August Student timetables are mailed out

(PLEASE ensure your home address is CORRECT)

COURSE SELECTION FORM

This will be collected and used to create your timetable

SARDIS SECONDARY SCHOOL ~ GRADE 10 COURSE SELECTION FORM

Student Name (first and last): _____ Student #: _____

GRADE 10 REQUIRED COURSES

1. Language Arts 10 – Choose ONE

- Composition & Literary Studies
- Composition & Creative Writing
- Composition & Literary Studies Essentials (Teacher Referral)

2. Social Studies 10/Sciences Humaines 10

3. Science 10

4. Mathematics 10

- Workplace Math 10
- Foundations & Pre-Calculus Math 10

5. Planning 10

6. PE 10

7. Elective _____

8. Elective _____

If you have already completed any of the required Grade 10 courses (i.e. Planning 10), you must select additional electives to create a full timetable of 8 classes.

How To Complete This Form:

1. Write down your 8 courses below.
2. List 3 Alternate Courses as not all first choices may be available.
3. You **MUST** keep this form until your choices have been entered with a school counsellor **OR** your form has been collected.
4. If you are submitting a course or Academy application form (as listed below), please check off below and staple completed forms to this document.

COURSE SELECTION ~ PLEASE PRINT IN CLEAR CAPITAL LETTERS

Course Name		Complete Application Forms if selecting:
1.	Composition & Creative Writing 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Student Leadership 10, 11, or 12
2.	Foundations & PreCalc 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Academies: Golf / Hockey 10, 11, or 12
3.	Sciences Humaines 10	<input type="checkbox"/> PE Soccer For Life 10, 11, or 12
4.	Science 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Yearbook 11, 12
5.	FRAL10	<input type="checkbox"/> Science 10 Honours
6.	PE 10	<input type="checkbox"/> Skills Exploration 10 – Summer Agriculture Program
7.	Planification 10	
8.	Textiles 10	
List 3 Alternate Courses Below		List Courses Outside the Timetable Below (i.e. Drumline, Strength & Conditioning Early Morning)
1.	Accounting 11	Drumline 10
2.	Metal Fabrication and Machining 11	
3.	Family Studies 11	

ELECTIVES – HOW DO YOU CHOOSE THEM?

CONSIDER:

- **Explore areas of interest**
 - Finding out what you like and do not like is an essential part of job discovery
 - Electives can also teach you skills for life...you may not be a clothing designer, but learning to sew may be of benefit....
- **Sometimes needed for post secondary studies**
 - Second language requirements at select universities
- **You may choose grade 11 courses, but please ensure you have the pre-requisite.**

COURSE CALENDAR

- **On-line** at www.sardissesecondary.ca or booklet version
- **Review course descriptions**
 - find out what the course is about, how it is graded and make sure you pick the correct courses for you!
- Check that you have **appropriate prerequisites**
 - En 11 before En 12
 - Art Foundations 11 before Studio Arts 11: Drawing & Painting

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Programs & Courses

Course Information

Under each program heading in the left hand menu, you will find a list of courses offered at Sardis Secondary School. Please refer to the Course Selection Booklet for

Recent Tweets:

Come on, sign up for an awesome 25 hour famine being held on Fri, Feb. 22 to Sat, Feb. 23. Check it out and sign up by Thurs, Feb. 21. — 1 day 1 min ago

Grade 12's your Grad Commencement Form is due now!!! Check out the

[Check our website for a electronic version of the course calendar online and extra course selection forms. This presentation is also available for your parents to view.](#)

Course name and code



SCIENCE

SCIENCE 10

Prerequisite: Science 9

Prerequisite: Course needed before you can take this one

MSC 10 (4)

- Core topics: Processes of Science, Genetics, Chemical Processes, Energy, Formation of the Universe
- Typical activities: lectures, projects, demonstrations and labs
- Evaluation: 60% exams, 20% quizzes and 20% labs (may vary by teacher)
- Final Exam: 20% of final mark (may vary by teacher)

SCIENCE 10 HONOURS

Prerequisite: Science 9

MSC 10H (4)

- Students will be selected for admission based upon Science 10 Honours Application Process
- Core topics: Processes of Science, Genetics, Chemical Processes, Energy, Formation of the Universe
- Expanded Honours Topics: Honours students will cover more advanced topics in each of the core topics and participate in enrichment activities such as field trips and guest speakers
- Typical activities: laboratory experiments, lectures, demonstrations, assignments, field trips
- Evaluation: 60% exams, 20% quizzes, 10% labs and 10% assignments (may vary by teacher)
- Final Exam: 20% of final mark (may vary by teacher)

Course Description:
Carefully read through the course content, expectations, marking, etc. CHOOSE A COURSE BASED ON WHAT YOU LIKE AND NEED!

SCIENCE 10/AGRICULTURE 11 (DOUBLE BLOCK-COMBO)

- This course will be offered over both morning blocks for the entire semester, allowing students to complete graduation requirements for both Science 10 and Science 11. This course is created for students who prefer a hands-on approach to learning science. Students will spend a large component of their time in the course working at the SSS Farm learning about field crop production. Science 10 concepts in genetics and chemistry will be taught with an agricultural focus, including topics in genetic selection, GMOs, soil composition and more. Students will also spend time at the SSS Greenhouse and take part in several agricultural field trips. Science 10 concepts will include, genetics, physical chemistry, energy, and space. Science 11 credit will include the sustainability of agriculture, forestry and fisheries in BC.

AGRICULTURE 11 (SUSTAINABLE RESOURCES)

MSR 11 (4)

Prerequisite: Science 10 or teacher recommendation.

- This course is designed to teach concepts around food production using hands-on methods, primarily at the school greenhouse. Students will learn skills in growing food in the SSS Greenhouse (peppers, tomatoes, cucumbers), growing field crops at the SSS Farm, and growing flowers in the SSS Greenhouse. Students will also learn about animal agriculture through field trips and guest speakers. Students can expect roughly 50% theory and 50% doing hands-on activities in the greenhouse or at the farm. Topics will include the sustainability of agriculture, forestry and fisheries in BC.



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

1. MUST HAVE A TOTAL OF 80 CREDITS

- 1 course = 4 credits
- Must complete all required courses at each grade level
- 16 credits must be at the Grade 12 Level

2. MUST HAVE A FINE ARTS OR APPLIED SKILLS COURSE

(almost all elective are one or the other check course calendar)

3. MUST COMPLETE GRAD TRANSITION (GT) IN GRADE 12



High school Assessments

1. Most courses will have a final exam, prepared by the classroom teacher.
2. With the new curriculum changes you will be required to write, and successfully pass, both a numeracy and literacy assessment prior to graduation.

(there are no longer provincial exams)



APPRENTICESHIPS **which one works for you?**

SECONDARY SCHOOL APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM

- **Must be 15 yrs old**
- **Can start in grade 9, 10, 11 or 12**
- **480 hours of paid work in a chosen trade**
 - **(ie: cook/electrician/hairstylist/landscaper)**
- **up to 16 credits (4 courses) towards graduation**
- **Eligible for \$1000 scholarship**
- **Over 140 different trades – check www.itabc.ca**

Contact Colin Mitchell @ 604-798-0797

Summer Opportunity

- Earn 4 high school credits by taking a summer course in Agriculture. 80 hours of participation required.
- Take part in a hands-on course in which you grow food at the SSS Farm and the SSS Greenhouse.
- Learn Skill in:
 - Greenhouse food production
 - Vegetable farming
 - Food Marketing and Sales
- Build up your resume and get course credit at the same time

Course runs in July and August on
Tuesdays and Fridays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

If interested contact Mr. Massie: joe_massie@sd33.bc.ca

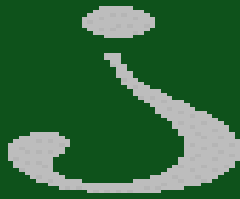
WHERE TO GET MORE INFORMATION

COUNSELLORS

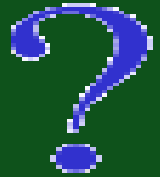
Mr. Shepherd	A-G
Mrs. Lewis	H-N
Mrs. Clayton	O-Z + International
Mrs. Auguste	Career Advisor

Websites to Explore:

- www.educationplanner.ca
- www.careercruising.com
- www.myblueprint.ca
- University/College websites directly



QUESTIONS



COMMENTS



CONCERNS

