



# Ontario Secondary School Graduation Requirements for Students Starting Grade 9 at Dundas Valley in 2025

## WHAT ARE THE 17 REQUIRED CREDITS?

**4 credits in English** (1 per grade)  
**3 credits in math** (grade 9, grade 10, and one in 11 or 12)  
**2 credits in science**  
**1 credit in tech education** (grade 9 or 10)  
**1 credit in Canadian geography** (grade 9)  
**1 credit in Canadian history** (grade 10)  
**1 credit in the arts**  
**1 credit in health and physical education**  
**1 credit in French as a second language**  
**0.5 credit in career studies**  
**0.5 credit in civics and citizenship**

**1 credit from the STEM-related course group**

**To graduate, students must earn 30 credits:**  
**17 are required**  
**13 are optional**

## One credit will be earned from any of the following STEM-related courses:

Business studies  
Computer studies  
Cooperative education  
Mathematics (beyond the 3 required)  
Science (beyond the 2 required)  
Technological education (beyond the 1 required)



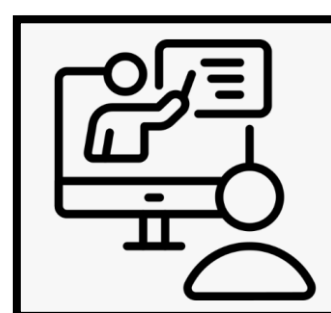
### Ontario Secondary School Literacy Test (OSSLT)

- taken in grade 10 when the student is taking English



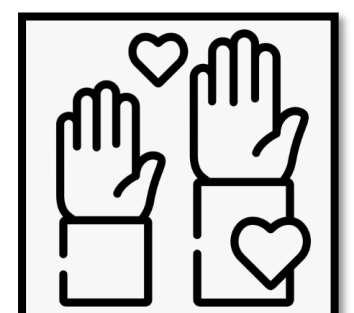
### Grade 10 Financial Literacy Test

- taken in grade 10 math class
- must earn 70%



### 2 eLearning credits

- parents / caregivers can opt the student out of this requirement (in Parent Portal)



### 40 Community Involvement Hours

- Can begin in the summer before grade 9