

## **DUNDAS VALLEY SECONDARY SCHOOL COURSE SELECTION INFORMATION 2026-2027**

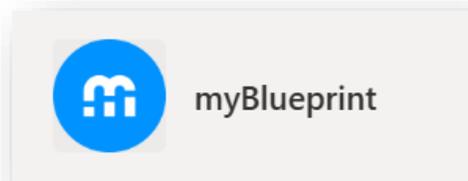
February 23, 2026

Greetings Dundas Valley parents, caregivers and guardians!

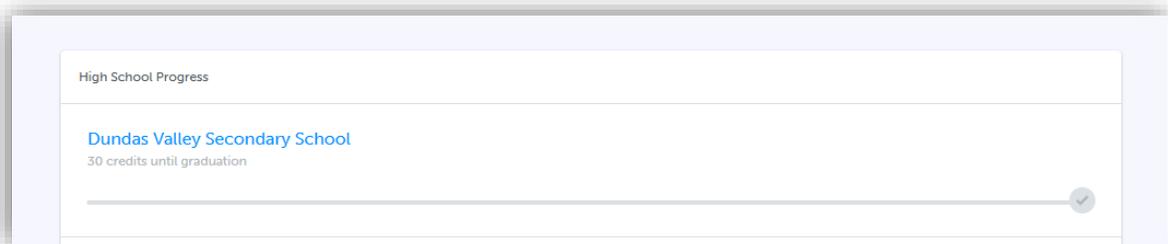
We would like to share information about **course option selection** for the 2026-2027 school year.

Students will be using myBlueprint for their course selections.

Students can access myBlueprint on their HWDSB student main page by going to [HWDSB Students](#), logging in and selecting:



From the landing page, students will scroll down and select “[Dundas Valley Secondary School](#)” under “High School Progress”:



This will open the course selection page, and students can start filling in their courses for next year.

All students must complete their course selections in myBlueprint. Grade 12 students who are not returning will click the “[Not returning next year?](#)” link and follow the prompts.



## **Important dates:**

**March 2nd, 2026**

First day that myBlueprint opens for submissions.

**March 13th, 2026**

myBlueprint closes for submissions.

## **Resources:**

Guidance counsellors presented to each grade during the morning of Tuesday February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026. We have posted those presentations and other helpful resources on the Dundas Valley website:

[DVSS-Course-Offerings-2025-2026-1.pdf](#)

[Researching-Grade-12-Required-Courses-for-College-and-University-Programs.pdf](#)

### **Option presentations for each grade:**

[Dundas Valley S.S. Grade 9 Option Counselling](#) (for selection of grade 10 course)

[Dundas Valley S.S. Grade 10 Option Counselling](#) (for selection of grade 11 courses)

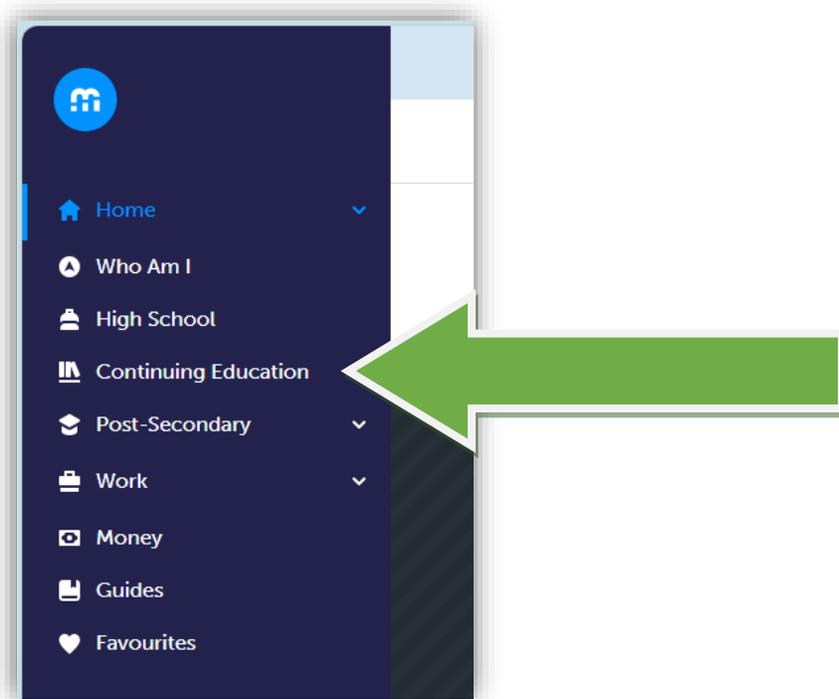
[Dundas Valley S.S. Grade 11 Option Counselling](#) (for selection of grade 12 courses)

[Dundas Valley S.S. Grade 12 Option Counselling](#) (for students not returning after grade 12 or for students returning for a semester/year)

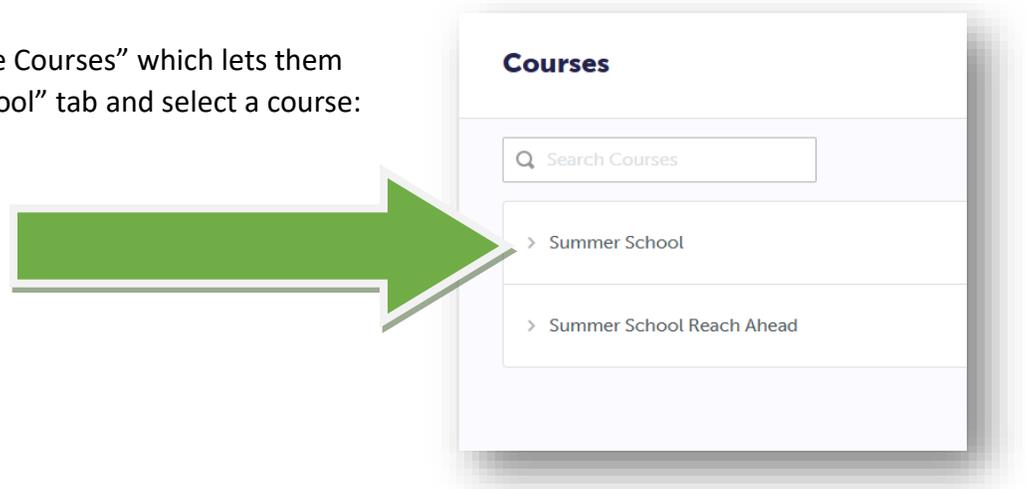
## Summer School Registration

Students can register for one summer school course (or the two half credits of Civics and Careers) any time between March 2<sup>nd</sup> and June 26<sup>th</sup> (closing at 11:00 AM).

From the myBlueprint landing page, students will select “Continuing Education” from the side menu:



They then click “Explore Courses” which lets them open the “Summer School” tab and select a course:



## **Grade 11 English: NBE3E/C/U**

### *HWDSB Celebrates Full Implementation of NBE3 as Grade 11 Graduation Requirement*

*The Hamilton-Wentworth District School Board (HWDSB) is proud to announce the full implementation of **English: Understanding Contemporary First Nations, Métis, and Inuit Voices (NBE3E/C/U)** as the compulsory Grade 11 English credit and graduation requirement, replacing ENG3E/C/U effective September 2026. This milestone reflects our commitment to Reinforcing Indigenous Educational Wellness and Reconciliation, a key strategic pillar in HWDSB's Multi-Year Strategic Plan. HWDSB is pleased to join many other school boards across the province in making this important transition.*

*Importantly, this course will ensure the future preparedness of every HWDSB student across all pathways, whether pursuing apprenticeship, college, university, or entering the workforce, by developing essential literacy, critical thinking, and intercultural competencies needed for success in any post-secondary destination. For example, the NBE3U course is a direct equivalent to the ENG3U course and fulfills the same prerequisite requirement for the Grade 12 compulsory English course. No matter what your child's pathway, NBE will prepare them for post-secondary entry.*

## **QUESTIONS?**

If any students have questions about their course selections, they can book an appointment with their guidance counselor by going to the Guidance HUB course page and using the appointment booking tool.

If you have any questions, please reach out to your student's guidance counselor for help:

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