



SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

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COURSE PATHWAYS

This chart illustrates suggested pathway guidelines only, based on our experience – it does not depict all possible movements from course to course. An appointment with Student Services, to review and confirm OSSD (diploma) and post-secondary program requirements, is a valuable first step. Remember, choosing the right science course now will improve your chances of success and reduce the number of option changes.

Please note: Applied (P), College (C), Workplace (E) and Open level (O) courses generally direct students to Community College or workplace careers. University level (U) & International Baccalaureate (IB) courses are considered by post-secondary institutions for admission purposes. Please check with a guidance counsellor for your most appropriate pathway selection.

IF YOU TOOK...	AND YOUR MARK WAS...	THEN YOU SHOULD CONSIDER...
GR. 8 SCIENCE	Less than 50%	SNC1L (Locally Developed)
	50-69%	SNC1P (Applied Level)
	70% or higher	SNC1D (Academic Level)
	85% or higher	SNC1D (Westdale IB Pathway)

IF YOU PASSED...	AND YOUR MARK WAS...	THEN YOU SHOULD CONSIDER...	
GRADE 9	SNC1L	50% or higher	SVN3E
	SNC1P	50% or higher	SNC2P or SVN3E
	SNC1D	50-69%	SNC2P
		70% or higher	SNC2D
		85% or higher	SNC2D (Westdale IB Pathway)

IF YOU PASSED...	AND YOUR MARK WAS...	THEN YOU SHOULD CONSIDER...	
GRADE 10	SNC2P	50% or higher	SBI3C or SVN3E
		80% or higher	SBI3C or SVN3E or SCH4C
	SNC2D	50-74%	SBI3C or SVN3E or SCH4C
		75% or higher	SBI3U, SCH3U, and SPH3U
		80% or higher	IB Sciences (SBI3U, SCH3U, and SPH3U)

IF YOU PASSED...	AND YOUR MARK WAS...	THEN YOU SHOULD CONSIDER...	
GRADE 11	SBI3U	75% or higher	SBI4U or you're already in IB (SCH3U strongly recommended)
	SCH3U	75% or higher	SCH4U or you're already in IB
	SPH3U	75% or higher	SPH4U, SES4U, or you're already in IB