



HOLY CROSS COLLEGIATE

2026-2027 School Year

What Is A Credit?

- A **credit** is a value unit
- You can earn 1, 3, or 5 credits for a class
- 50% minimum mark to earn credit



Alberta High School Diploma

Graduation Requirements

100 Credits From The Following:



- English Language Arts – 30 Level



- Social Studies – 30 Level



- Mathematics – 20 Level



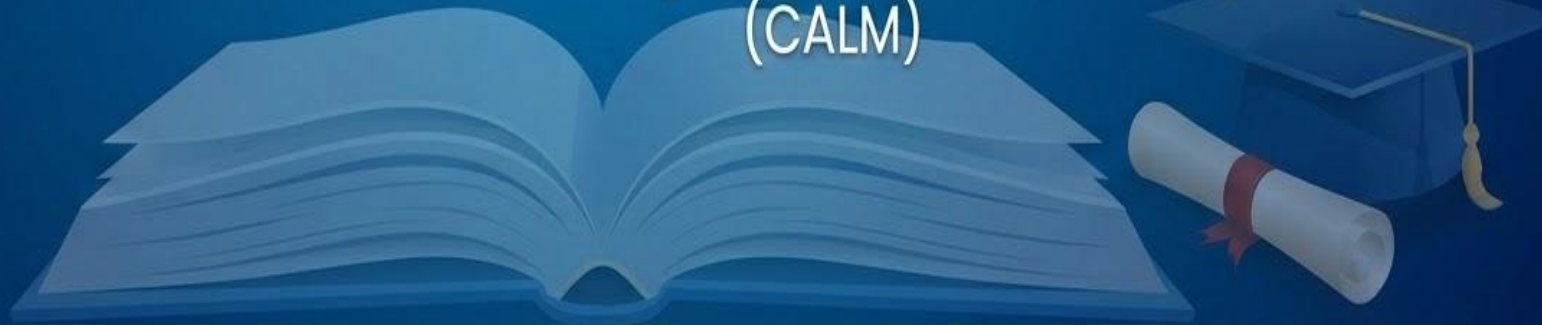
- Science – 20 Level
(Science 24, Biology 20,
Chemistry 20, Physics 20)



- Physical Education
(3 Credits Minimum)



- Career & Life Management
(CALM)



Alberta High School Diploma Graduation Requirements

100 Credits From The Following:

10 Credits In Any Combination From:



Career And Technology
Studies (CTS)



Fine Arts Courses



Second Languages

10 Credits In Any 30-level Courses:



30 Level Math/Science



30 Level CTS



30 Level Fine Art

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Graduation Requirements



Students Enrolled In A Minimum Credit Load

- Grade 10 – 40
- Grade 11 – 40
- Grade 12 – 30



Students Complete Religion

- Religious Studies 15
- Religious Studies 25
- Religious Studies 35



Service Project Hours

Average 10 each year
for a total of 30 hours

Semesters



Students in Grade 10, 11 and 12 complete courses through two semesters.



First semester runs from the start of school in August to the end of January.



Second semester runs from the start of February to the end of June.

Course Numbering/Sequencing

10 Grade 10 Courses (Tens)

- Science 10 or Science 14
- English 10-1 or 10-2

11 Grade 11 Courses (Twenties)


- Mathematics 20-1, 20-2 or 20-3
- English 20-1 or 20-2

12 Grade 12 Courses (Thirties)

- Mathematics 30-1
- English 30-1
- Social 30-2

 Increasingly higher skills, knowledge, and effort as courses progress.

 In most subject areas there are at least two different course sequences.

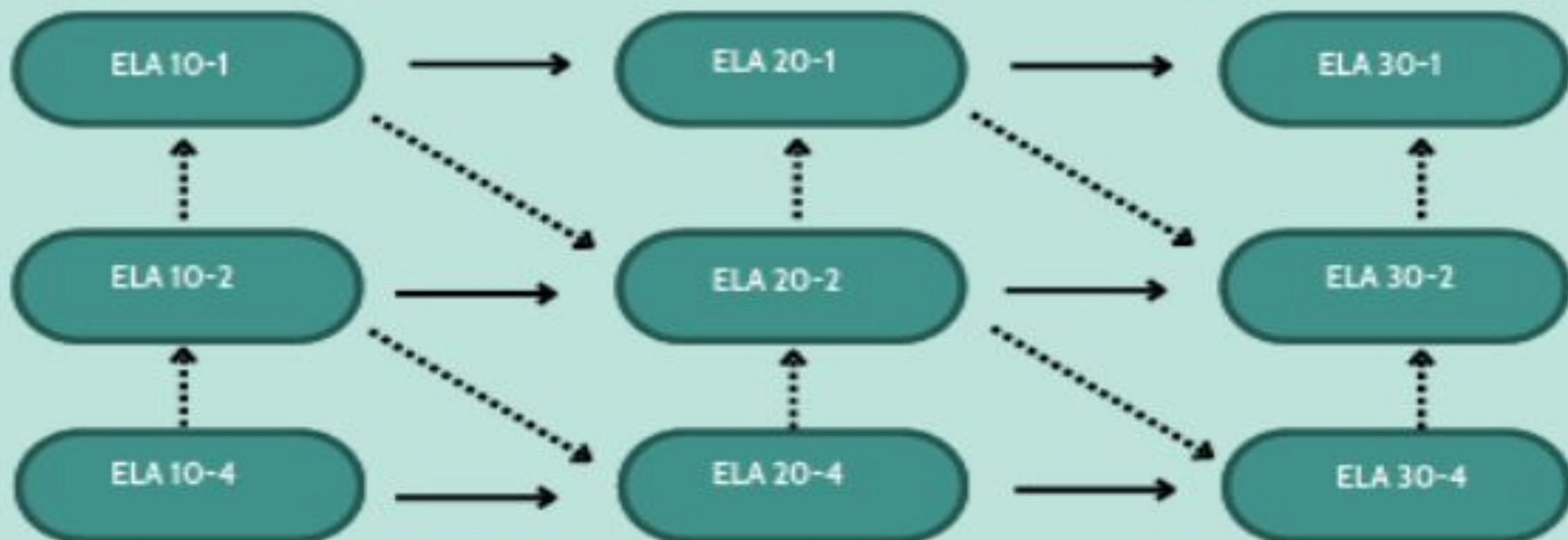
 The lower level courses are the pre-requisites for the higher level courses.



English Language Arts



Always check the most up-to-date information on post-secondary entrance requirements. English 30-1 can often be a requirement at certain post-secondary institutions (i.e. universities). A good place to start is the admissions page of the post-secondary institution that you would like to attend.



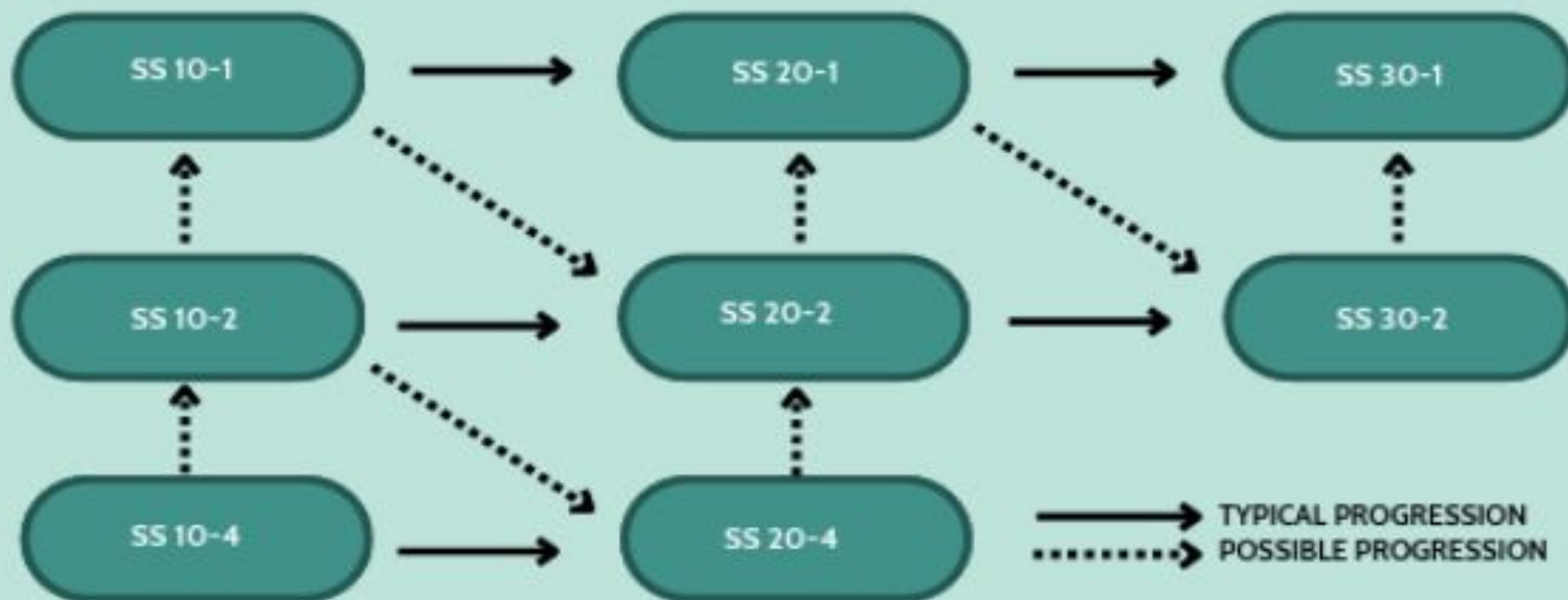
—————> TYPICAL PROGRESSION
.....> POSSIBLE PROGRESSION

The solid lines above indicate course pre-requisites.*



Social Studies

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*See the bottom of page 28 for guidance related to achieving less than 50% in a course.

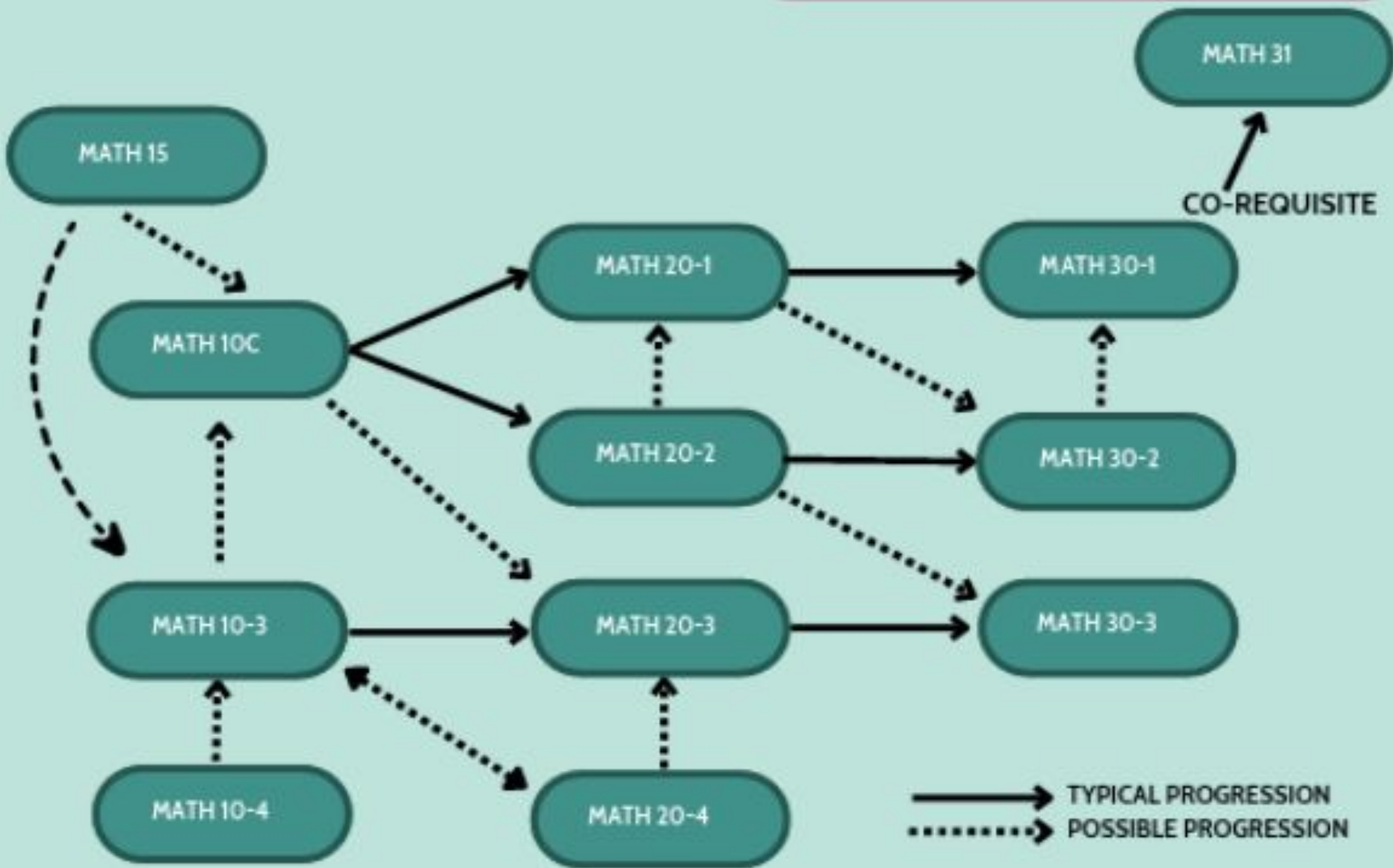


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Mathematics

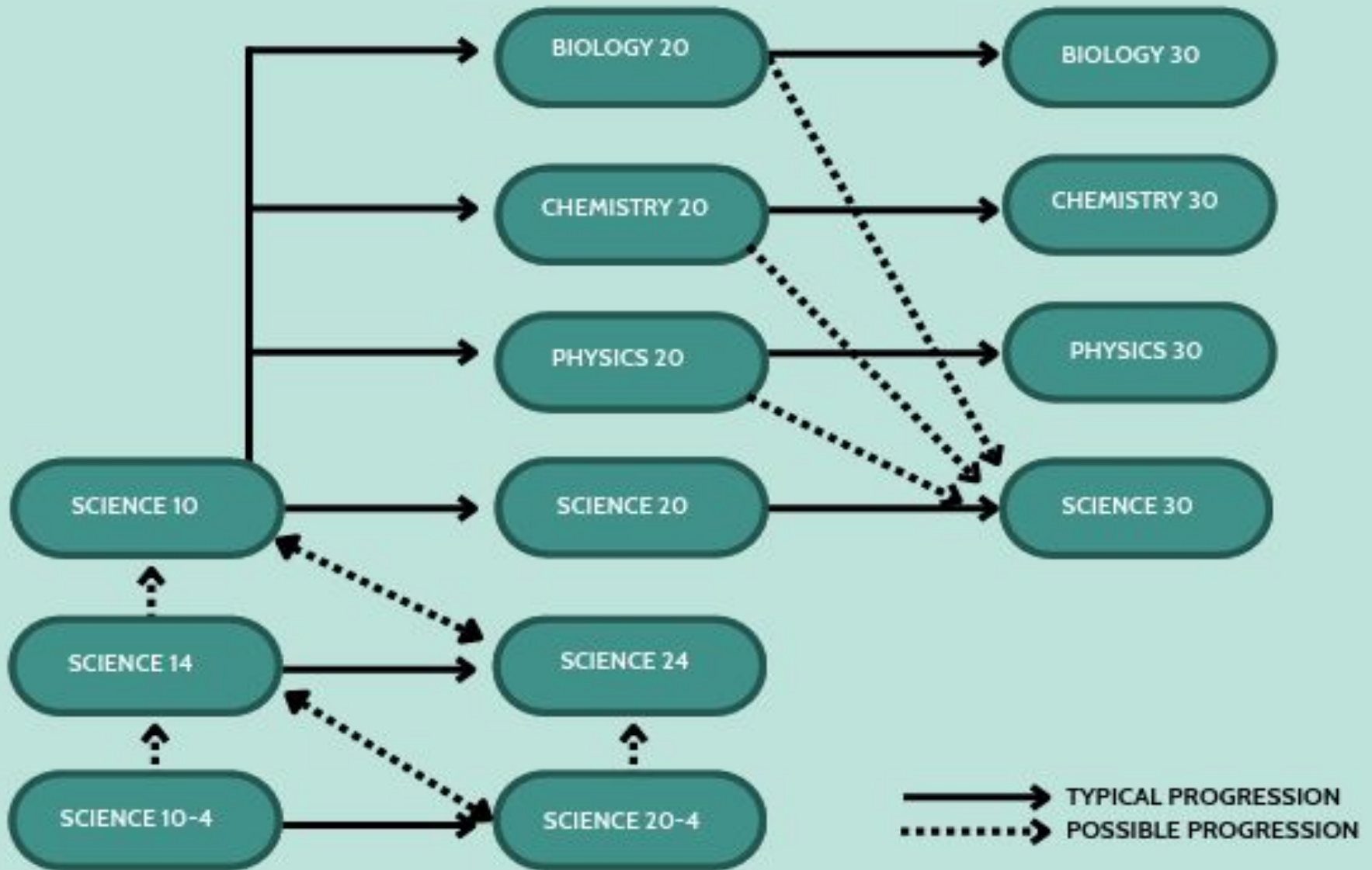
The solid lines below indicate course prerequisites with the exception of Math 31, which has a co-requisite of Math 30-1 (can be taken at the same time as or after Math 30-1).*





Sciences

The solid lines below indicate course pre-requisites.*



	Wednesday 08/28/2024	Thursday 08/29/2024
	Phys Ed Patterson, Daniel	Foods Schmidt, Arthur
08:00 AM	Gym(204) 08:29 AM - 10:02 AM	212 08:29 AM - 10:02 AM
10:00 AM	Student Directed Learning TBA, TBA 10:04 AM - 10:37 AM	Student Directed Learning TBA, TBA 10:04 AM - 10:37 AM
	Religious Studies Roman Catholic 16 Wiley, Brent	Phys Ed Hanson, Art
11:00 AM	156 10:41 AM - 11:56 AM	Gym(204) 10:41 AM - 11:56 AM
12:00 PM		
	Mathematics 10C Schultz, Angela	Mathematics 10C Schultz, Angela
01:00 PM	159 12:41 PM - 01:56 PM	159 12:41 PM - 01:56 PM
	English 10 1 Bisharat, Carla	English 10 1 Bisharat, Carla
02:00 PM	213 02:00 PM - 03:15 PM	213 02:00 PM - 03:15 PM
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	Monday 05/12/2025	Tuesday 05/13/2025
	Phys Ed Patterson, Daniel	CALM 20 Reinhart, John
09:00 AM	Gym(208) 08:29 AM - 10:02 AM	238A (338) 08:29 AM - 10:02 AM
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	Social Studies 10 1 Patterson, Daniel	Social Studies 10 1 Patterson, Daniel
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	Phys Ed Leitner, Michelle	Foods Schmidt, Arthur
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Option Courses



CONSTRUCTION



PHOTOGRAPHY



ARTS (MUSIC & DRAMA)



FOODS

SPARES??



Course Recommendations



Students with \geq 65% in Grade 9:
Recommended for 10-1 academic courses (English 10-1, Social 10-1).



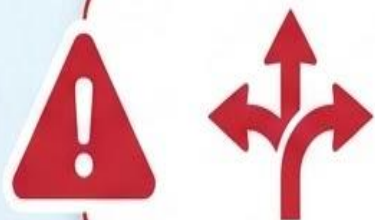
Students with $<$ 65% in Grade 9:
Recommended for 10-2 courses (English 10-2, Social 10-2).



Math/Science 9 mark \geq 65%:
Recommended for Math 10C and Science 10.



Students below 60%:
Recommended for Math 10-3 or Science 14.



Students with some Grade 9 marks $<$ 50%:
May have difficulty with advanced diploma; can benefit from other programs (14-24 stream).

Appeal Process

General Process



1. Receive & Fill Out Google Form

2. Return to Teacher

3. Student Contacts Teacher Directly

Example (Eg. Mrs. Burns)



Recommendation:
English 10-2
(Mrs. Burns)

Appeal:
Complete Form with Parent/Guardian Support

Submit Form Back to Mrs. Burns

Rutherford Scholarships

Tier 1: 80%+ Average



Grade 10: \$400



Grade 11: \$800



Grade 12: \$1300

Total Potential: \$2500!!!

Tier 2: 75% - 79.5% Average



Grade 10: \$300



Grade 11: \$500



Grade 12: \$700

Total Potential: \$1500!!!



Questions