



Grade 10 Course Selection Sheet: 2009-2010
UNITY Christian High School



Student's name: _____
 By what name do you wish to be called? _____
 Date of birth: D: _____ M: _____ Y: _____
 School currently attending: _____
 Siblings in a Christian school: (name of school): _____ Grade(s): _____

Address:	Street and mailing:	
	City:	
	Postal code:	Phone number:

A. COMPULSORY ACADEMIC AND APPLIED COURSES: Choose either academic or applied for all four subjects. Please circle the courses of your selection (see reverse and the STUDENT HANDBOOK for explanations).

ACADEMIC COURSES	APPLIED COURSES
English (ENG2D)	English (ENG2P)
Mathematics (MPM2D)	Mathematics (MFM2P)
Science (SNC2D)	Science (SNC2P)
History (CHC2D)	History (CHC2P)

B. COMPULSORY OPEN COURSES: You must choose all three of these courses (see reverse and the STUDENT HANDBOOK for explanations).

Career Studies (½ credit, GLC20)
Civics (½ credit, CHV20)
Old Testament Bible (HRE13)

C. ELECTIVE COURSES: Choose one credit from each of the following three rows, circling your choices, for a total of eight and 1/2 or nine courses.

French (FSF2D) OR: Healthy Active Living Education (PPL20)
Technological Education (TDJ20) OR: Visual Art (AVI20) OR: Food and Nutrition (HFN10)

PERIOD 4 OPTIONS:

Dramatic Arts (ADA20)
OR: Learning Strategies and Skills (GLE20); (can also be ½ credit opposite AMV20 or AMI20)
OR: Vocal Music (½ credit, AMV20), **AND/OR:** Instrumental Music (½ credit, AMI20)

Parent signature: _____
 Date: _____

Important facts about Grade 10 at UNITY Christian High School, 2009-2010:

Students are responsible to fulfill the requirements of the UNITY Christian High School diploma and the Ontario Secondary School diploma to graduate. In terms of the grade 10 year, these are (see STUDENT HANDBOOK for more details):

- successful completion of the grade 10 Bible course,
- successfully complete the grade 10 Literacy test (or the grade 12 Literacy course),
- involvement in at least one co-curricular activity throughout the four years,
- complete 40 hours of UNITY FOR CHRIST service throughout the four years, at least 10 hours in grade 10, and
- successful completion of the 30 credit requirement of the OSSD throughout the 4 years, as follows:
 - These compulsory credits:
 - 4 English (1 credit per grade)
 - 1 French-as-a-second-language
 - 3 Mathematics (at least 1 credit in Grade 11 or 12)
 - 2 science
 - 1 of Grade 10, 11 or 12 computer studies, or Grade 11, 12 science, or Grade 9 - 12 technology or cooperative education*
 - 1 Canadian geography
 - 1 Canadian history
 - 1 arts
 - 1 physical and health education
 - 1 of English, or third language, or social science and humanities or Canadian and world studies or guidance and career education or cooperative education*
 - 1 of health physical education, or the arts or business studies or cooperative education*
 - 0.5 civics
 - 0.5 career studies

**a maximum of two credits in cooperative education can count as compulsory credits.*

1. Each grade 10 student will choose either 8 or 9 credits from the list on the reverse of this sheet:
 - Part A: choose either an academic or applied level for each of the subjects,
 - Part B: all three courses are compulsory,
 - Part C: from this list, choose your last two or three credits. You have the option of choosing two or three credits from this list by circling them, for a total of either eight or nine courses in grade 10. Then indicate your alternate choices by writing FIRST ALTERNATE, and SECOND ALTERNATE beside those two other courses.
2. Some courses are semestered, meeting 75 minutes per day (for example: English, history); some courses will be taught through the full year, meeting 35 or 45 minutes day (for example: music, math).
3. Course types: Open courses are designed to enrich your education generally, and to give you additional preparation for grades 11 and 12. These course are designated with a "O".

Applied courses focus on practical applications and concrete examples. They cover the essential concepts of a subject. Knowledge and skills will be developed through both theory and practical applications, but the focus will be on practical applications. In applied courses, familiar, real-life situations will be used to illustrate ideas. These courses are designated with a "P" in the course code.

Academic courses draw more heavily on theory and abstract examples and problems. In an academic course, you will learn the essential concepts of a subject and explore related material as well. The emphasis will be on theory and abstract thinking as a basis for future learning and problem solving. These courses are designated with a "D" in the course codes.

4. Successful completion of an academic course will prepare you go directly into the University or College stream in grade 11. Successful completion of an applied course will prepare you to directly into the College or workplace stream, and the University stream if a transfer course is taken.