

CAREER EDUCATION 9-12

CHILLIWACK SECONDARY SCHOOL

2020/2021

GRADE 9

Students will work with their Career Education teacher for eight blocks from their Humanities Class. Students will learn: how to send a professional email, their keys to happiness, how to follow their passion, best and worst jobs, and a career research assignment. Students will have the option to be added to a volunteer email list, and provided information on trades/education opportunities at CSS.

GRADE 10

Students will work with their Career Education teacher for six blocks from their Math/Science classes to: create a resume, cover letter, learn about career opportunities post-graduation, interview skills, a career interview, work experience, and volunteer opportunities. This is a **two credit** course required for graduation.

GRADE 11

This will be an on block semester course worth **four credits**, required for graduation. Students will be provided with lessons designed to help them with their life after graduation including: Mortgages, taxes, renting, the stock market, cooking skills, car maintenance, illness/first aid training, conflict resolution, workers' rights, post secondary options, and financial awards information. The last month of the course will be to prepare students for their grade 12 capstone projects, and complete the MyBlueprint activities.

GRADE 12

Each grade 12 student will be connected with a mentor teacher from CSS. Students will meet with their mentor teacher a minimum of three times to prepare a presentation on who they were, who they are now, and where they plan to go after graduation. The majority of this assignment will be completed in grade 11, with the mentor teacher helping to piece the project together. The final assessment for the course will take place in March where students will present their information to a panel of three teachers/EA's. This is a **two credit** course required for graduation.



Communication



Thinking



Personal & Social