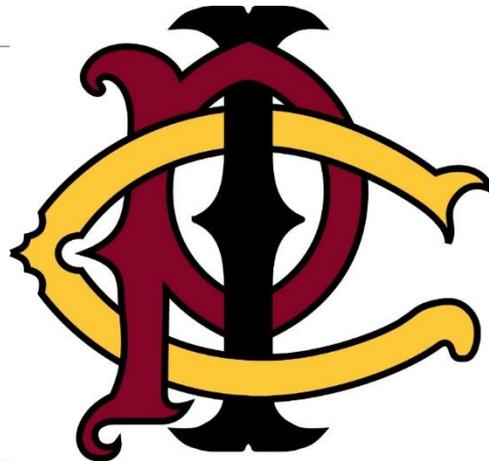


Course Planning at PCI

CURRENT GRADE 9



Ms. Wood
Guidance Counsellor



Graduation

30 credits required: 20 core courses & at least 10 options

	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
CORE 20	English	English	English	English
	Math	Math	Math	Math
	Phys. Ed.	Phys. Ed.	Phys. Ed.	Phys. Ed.
	Social Studies	Geography	History	Gr. 12 Option
	Science	Science	Gr. 11 Option	Gr. 12 Option
PLUS 10 OPTIONS	Career Development (Division Requirement)			

Graduation Requirements

Provincial Diploma = 30 credits from High School

Students can earn a dual diploma – the Manitoba High School Diploma and a Vocational Diploma.

Vocational Diploma = 30 credits, including specific vocational program requirements

Provincial Diploma with Distinction = completing Grade 12 with 32 credits or more

The focus should be on doing well, with a manageable load, being careful not to overload yourself with the number of courses.

Honour Roll Requirements

Students who have maintained an 80% average will be named to the school's honour roll. The awards average is calculated as follows:

Grade	Core Subjects	# of Best Electives
9	5 core courses (Eng., Math, Soc., Sci. P.E.)	2 best electives (at Gr. 9 level)
10	5 core courses (Eng., Math, Sci., Geo., P.E.)	2 best electives (at Gr. 10 level)
11	4 core courses (Eng., Math, History, P.E.)	3 best electives (at Gr. 11 level)
12	3 core courses (Eng., Math, P.E.)	4 best electives (at Gr. 12 level)

Note: Grade 12 Pre-Cal can count twice, as Math + one elective

Grade 10 Core Courses

All Grade 10 Students must take the following 5 core courses to meet graduation requirements, as well as 3 Gr. 10 option courses.

English	ELA20
Math	MAE20 or MAT20S
Phys. Ed	PED20
Geography	GEO20
Science	SCI20

Grade 10 Math Options

Grade 10 students must take at least one of the following courses:

***Math Essentials (MAE20S)**– practical, everyday math, math for life. Topics include: personal finance, analysis of games/numbers, measurement, geometry, consumer decisions.

***Introduction to Applied and Pre-Calculus (MAT20S)**- Suggested mark of 65% or higher in grade 9 math. Intended for students considering post-secondary education. Topics include: graphs, relations and functions; number sense; measurement, areas and volumes; right angle trigonometry; co-ordinate geometry; linear equation and systems; and polynomials.

How do I decide what math to take?

- Talk with your Grade 9 math teacher for a recommendation
- Check post-secondary program requirements. **Changing math streams requires taking the Gr. 10, Gr. 11, and Gr. 12 math credit in that stream.**

Option Courses For Grade 10



Course Selection Challenges

PLEASE NOTE:

The option courses we are offering now could change. We hope to offer all of the courses listed, and will notify you of changes in the most timely manner possible.

Vocational Courses

Applied
Commerce

Hairstyling

Automotive
Technology

Building
Construction
Trades

Photography

Early
Childhood
Education

Tech. Ed./Vocational Programming

Tech. Ed./Vocational Diploma = 30 credits

Students can earn a dual diploma – the Manitoba High School Diploma and a Vocational Diploma. In order to earn a Vocational Diploma, students must take a minimum of 8 courses in their chosen vocational stream:

Applied Commerce

Automotive Technology

Building Construction & Trades

Early Childhood Education (NEW in 2022-23!)

Hairstyling

Photography

Applied Commerce



Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Business Innovations BUS10SV	Creative Promotions PRO20SV	Accounting Essentials ACC30SV	Business Management BUS40SV
	Personal Finance PFI20SV	Retailing Perspectives RET30SV	Economic Principles ECP40SV
		Venture Development VDV30SV	Marketing & Digital Commerce MDC40SV
			Topics and Trends in Business TTB40SV

Automotive Technology

(Power Mechanics)



Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Introduction to Automotive Technology PM110SV	Automotive Electrical Systems PM540SV	Applied Diagnostic Strategies PM440SV
Engine Fundamentals & Service PM230SV	Drive Train Fundamentals PM130SV	Automotive Systems & Service Engine Recondition PM220SV
Chassis Fundamentals & Service PM330SV	Vehicle Systems Part 2: Fuel Systems PM240SV	Vehicle Systems Part 1: Climate Control & Accessories PM340SV
		Applied Heavy Duty Mechanics PM640SV

Building Construction



Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Introduction to Carpentry CAI10SV	Carpentry Fundamentals CAF20SV	Carpentry Tools & Equipment CTE30SV	Applied Carpentry ACP40SV
		Exterior/Interior Finishing EIF30SV	Advanced Framing ADF40SV
		Framing FRM30SV	Carpentry Millwork AML40SV
			Surveying & Concrete SUR40SV

Early Childhood Education

Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Introduction to Early Childhood Education EC120SV	Guiding Children's Behaviour CC130SV	Applied Family Studies FSA40S
Relationships with Children in Early Childhood Education EC230SV	Child Care Techniques (with practicum) CC230SV	Curriculum Planning CC240SV
	Communication Skills CC330SV	Family Dynamics and Child Abuse CC340SV

Hairstyling



Term	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Semester 1 Term 1	Exploration of Hairstyling EHS10SV (Semester and Term TBD)	Intro to Hairstyling HS120SV	Intermediate Haircutting & Barbering Techniques HS130SV	Advanced Hairstyling & Colouring HS140SV
Semester 1 Term 2		Basic Hairstyling HS220SV	Hair Colouring HS230SV	Advanced Haircutting & Chemical Texture Services HS240SV
Semester 2 Term 1		Basic Hairstyling & Thermal Styling HS320SV	Intermediate Hairstyling HS330SV	Salon Operations HS340SV
Semester 2 Term 2		Related Salon Service HS420SV	Chemical Texture Service & Artificial Hair HS430SV	Certificate Preparation HS440SV

Photography



**Grade 9
(Level 1)**

**Grade 10
(Level 2)**

**Grade 11
(Level 3)**

**Grade 12
(Level 4)**

**Exploration of
Photography**
PHO10SV

**Introduction to
Photography**
PHO20SV
(pre-requisite PHO10SV)

Photographic Lighting
PPL30SV
(pre-requisite PHO10SV,
PHO20SV, PHE30SV)

**More courses coming
in 2024-2025!**

**Photographic
Equipment**
PPE30SV
(pre-requisite PHO10SV, and
must be taking PHO20SV)

Digital Darkroom
PDD30SV
(pre-requisite PHO10SV,
PHO20SV, PHE30SV, and
must be taking PPL30SV)



Tech. Ed./Vocational Programming

Level 1 & Professional Certification

If students wish to pursue Hairstyling, Automotive Technology or Building Construction even further, there are additional opportunities as noted below:

Automotive Level 1 Requirements:

- 70% average obtained in 9 out of 10 courses
- Hours requirement met
- Recommendation of the instructor

Hairstyling Certification:

- 70% average obtained in all 12 required courses
- Hours requirement met
- Certification exam

Building Construction Level 1 Requirements:

- 70% average obtained in 10 courses
- Hours requirement met (900 hours)
- Additional 900 hours required through apprenticeship opportunity outside of school/classroom hours

Grade 9-12 Option Courses

(Non-Vocational)

Computer/ Technology Education	Performing Arts	Fine Arts	Human Ecology	Indigenous Studies/Fine Arts	Language Courses	Social Sciences	Sciences
Computer Science CSC20S CSC30S CSC40S	Concert Band BAN10S BAN20S BAN30S BAN40S	Clay/Pottery CLY30S CLY40S	Applied Family Studies FSA40S	Beadwork ABW10S ABW20S ABW30S ABW40S	Basic French FRE10F FRE20F FRE30S FRE40S	Global Issues GIS40S (open to Gr 11- 12 students)	Biology BIO30S BIO40S
Graphic Communications GRC10GV GRC20GV GRC30SV GRC40SV	Choral CHR10S CHR20S CHR30S CHR40S	Visual Arts VAR10S VAR20S VAR30S VAR40S	Foods & Nutrition FDN10S FDN20S FDN30S FDN40S	Indigenous Culture in Canada INC11G (open to Gr. 9 & 10)	English AP - Advanced Placement ENG42S (ENL40S pre- requisite)	History of Rock HRC30 (open to Gr 11- 12 students)	Chemistry CHE30S CHE40S
Video Production Intro: IVP20S Intermediate: IVP30S Advanced: AVP40S	Drama DR110S DR120S DR130S DR140S		Clothing and Textiles TEX10S TEX20S TEX30S TEX40S	Indigenous History INH21G (open to Gr 10 & 11)		History of Western Civilization HIS40S (open to Gr 11- 12 students)	Electronics Technology (Robotics) ELE20G (open to Gr 10 & 11)
Yearbook – Full year YRB40S/PTY40S (open to Gr 10-12 students)	Guitar GUI10S (Level 1) GUI20S (Level 2) GUI30S (Level 3)			First Nations, Métis & Inuit Studies FNM40S (open to Gr 11-12 students)		Law LAW40S (open to Gr 11- 12 students)	Physics PHY30S PHY40S
				Indigenous Art INA40S (open to Gr 11& 12)			Psychology PSY40S (open to Gr 11-12 students) Psychology AP - Advanced Placement PSY42S (Gr. 12)

French Immersion

(14 courses are required for the F.I. Diploma)

Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Français (French Language Arts) FRC10F	Français (French Language Arts) FRC20F	Français (French Language Arts) FRC30S	Français (French Language Arts) FRC40S
Éducation Physique (Phys Ed) PED10FF	Éducation Physique (Phys Ed) PED20FF	Éducation Physique (Phys Ed) PED30FF	Éducation Physique (Phys Ed) PED40FF
Le Canada dans le monde contemporain (Social Studies) SST10FF	Les enjeux géographiques (Geography) GEO20FF	Histoire du Canada (History of Canada) HIS30FF	Les enjeux mondiaux (Global Issues) GIS40SF
Sciences de la nature (Science) SCI10FF	Sciences de la nature (Science) SCI20FF-option	Leadership LDS21GF	
Les innovations commerciales (Business) BUS10SF			

Course Descriptions Online

pci.plpsd.mb.ca



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Courses

Welcome to Portage Collegiate Institute!

We are a semestered high school offering a wide range of courses for Grade 9 to Grade 12 students. As a semestered high school, we divide the school year into two semesters. The first semester runs from September to January with final exams the last week of January. The second semester runs from February to June.

Under the semester system, students take fewer courses in a term but complete them in the same amount of time.

P.C.I. Course Fees 2023-24

Automotive	\$15 per course, 2 workbooks at \$15 each
Band	\$40/year instrument rental for students who don't have their own
Building Construction	\$40 per course
Beading	\$40 per course
Clay/Pottery	\$40 per course
Foods & Nutrition	\$40 per course
Guitar	\$40 per course
Hairstyling	\$80 refundable kit deposit, \$40 per year lab fee, \$30 spring field trip, \$80 for workbook in Gr. 12
Infant Centre	\$20 user fee per semester
Photography	\$40 per course
Resistance Training	\$25 for cross-fit gym field trip
Textile Arts & Design	\$40 per course
Visual Arts	\$40 per course plus \$10 for a paintbrush set
Student Fees	Full Year \$60 (<u>Students pay \$40</u> , Division Office subsidizes \$20)
Graduation Fee	\$80 (Grade 12 Students Only)

Credits from Outside Activities

Eligible to be Used Toward Graduation:

Royal Winnipeg Ballet (RWB):

You can obtain credits if you are registered in the senior levels of the RWB professional program.

Special Language Credit Option:

You can earn credits for mastery of a language other than English or French. This includes the American Sign Language credits. Special examinations are required.

Not Eligible to be Used Toward Graduation:

Private Music Option:

You can acquire music credits if you complete examinations with the Conservatory Canada or The Royal Conservatory of Music programs. However, these credits cannot be included among the 30 credits required for high school graduation.

Cadets:

Participation in the Cadet program allows you to acquire a maximum of two credits. However, these credits cannot be included among the 30 credits required for high school graduation.

See Guidance Department if you feel you may qualify for any of these credits. Specific documentation will be required.

Special Language Credits

Special language exams are written in Fall and Spring through the Winnipeg School Division.

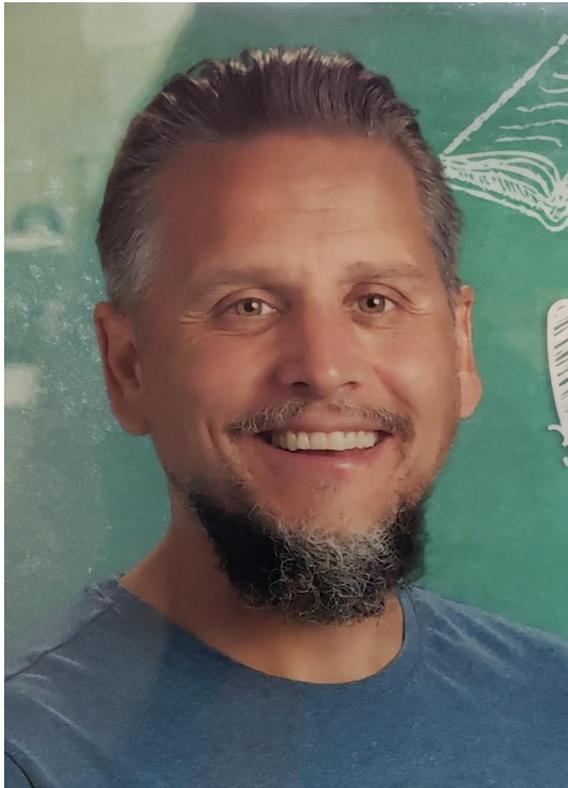
When it is time to register, announcements will be made. Please see Mrs. Tooth to register and have any questions answered.

Mrs. Tooth can be emailed at: kim.tooth@plpsd.net

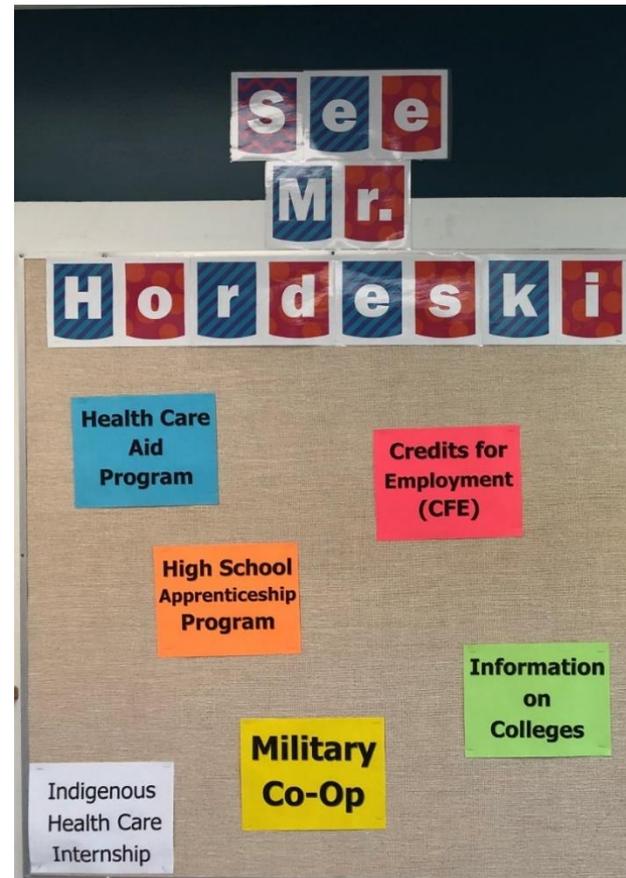
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NON-CURRICULUM BASED Special Language Examinations (CHECK ONLY ONE LANGUAGE AND LEVEL)								
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Career Staff @ PCI



Mr. Hordeski – blair.hordeski@plpsd.net



Credits for Employment

If you have earned a Career Development course credit, which is taken in Grade 9 at PCI, then you have successfully unlocked future credit options once you turn 16.

- Earn while you learn

- Earn up to 2 credits towards high school graduation

- 110 hours of employment equals a high school credit

- Hours can be earned outside of the school day

To register to earn Credits For Employment, connect with Mr. Hordeski, his office is in the Black Building.

High School Apprenticeship Program

Opportunity to earn while you learn

Receive up to 8 credits towards high school graduation

All credits are at the Grade 12 level

Also earn “real-deal” apprenticeship hours towards a certified trade

Flexible - Hours can be earned outside of the school day

Basic Criteria:

Minimum of 16 years of age to participate

Employment in a recognized trade (more than 50 possibilities)

To learn more about this amazing program,
please connect with Mr. Hordeski, his office is in the Black Building.

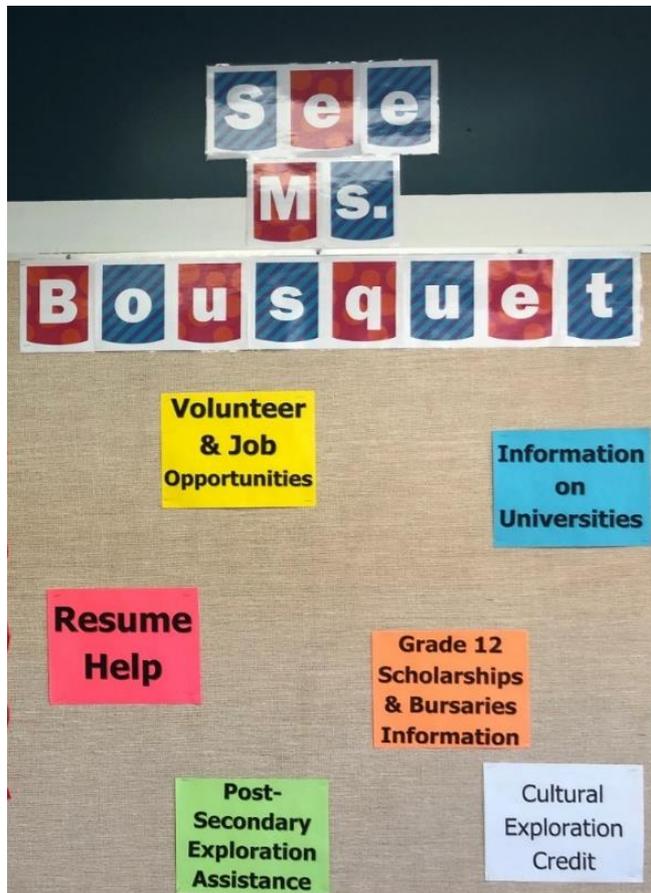
Community Career Credits:

PCI/Red River College Health Care Aide Partnership - This course, offered second semester to graduating Grade 12 students, allows students to gain valuable experience in the field of health care. Students attend Red River College where they not only receive Health Care Aide training, but also get to apply their learning in a work experience practicum. Students earn five 40S credits towards high school graduation as well as Health Care Aide Certification.

Indigenous Health High School Internship Program - This program allows Indigenous students an opportunity to gain experience in the field of health care. During Phase 1, students earn a ½ High School Internship Program credit. During Phase 2, students earn summer employment and 2 CFE credits. This program runs during second semester.

See Mr. Hordeski, in the black building, for more information.

Career Staff @ PCI



Ms Bousquet – kellee.bousquet@plpsd.net

Volunteer Credit

Volunteering in our community can help you earn a high school credit toward graduation:

One volunteer credit can be earned during your time in high school & students have the option of working towards a half or full credit.

Students must register and be approved by Ms Bousquet in the Career Centre **prior** to starting the credit at PCI.

The volunteer credit must have a supervisor that can sign for the hours.

The hours can begin at any point in the school year and can carry over to other years in school.

Check out volunteering options in the Career Centre

55 hours = $\frac{1}{2}$ credit

110 hours = full credit

Culture Exploration Credit

Learn about a culture through community members and cultural organizations:

One culture credit can be earned during your time in high school & students have the option of working towards a half or full credit.

Students must register and be approved by Ms Bousquet at the Career Centre **prior** to starting the culture credit at PCI.

The culture credit must have a supervisor that can sign for the hours.

The hours can begin at any point in the school year and can carry over to other years in school.

55 hours = ½ credit

110 hours = full credit

Visit the Career Centre

If you have any questions,
please connect with Ms Bousquet:

kellee.bousquet@plpsd.net

Phone 204-857-6843 ext. 2013

Room 12 in the West Building

Post-Secondary Preparation

It's very important to keep options open!

Even if you are not sure if you will go on to college or university, you should take time to reflect now on possible career choices for your future.

Many courses have pre-requisites. These pre-requisite courses require planning!

NOTE: Not all 40S courses meet the entrance requirements so it is important to check with Ms Bousquet in the Career Centre!

Considering University

Current requirements in Manitoba:

Brandon University

Graduate from PCI

University of Manitoba

Graduate from PCI with a minimum of 5 credits at the 40S level
(Must include English 40S, Math 40S, 2 academic 40S courses)

Meet minimum average requirement of 70%.

(See Ms Bousquet about Vocational Credits)

University of Winnipeg

Graduate from PCI with a minimum of 5 credits at the 40S level

Meet average requirement

NOTE: Not all 40S courses meet the entrance requirements so it is important to check with Ms Bousquet in the Career Centre!

Preparing to Apply for Scholarships and Bursaries

It is important that you look for all of your important documents that highlight your achievements in high school.

PCI will not be keeping track of this information for you.

Some things to gather include:

- Report cards
- Resume
- Academic awards (including honour roll)
- Sports awards/teams
- Reference letters
- Positive referrals
- Thank you cards/letters
- Community Involvement/Volunteering
(If you have not started volunteering, please see Ms Bousquet)

Course Selection

must be completed through

www.myBlueprint.ca

myBlueprint Course Selection

You will need to use your myBlueprint account, and be prepared to choose your courses (look at descriptions online, know what courses are required, and know what you need for post-secondary)

<https://myblueprint.ca/>

Ex. Login: 2011.106254.@plpsd.net

Password: Hello1234

Go to: High School Plan

If you need your password reset, please email Mrs. Bertholet at mbertholet@plpsd.net

myBlueprint will be open for course selections from

Monday, April 3rd to Friday, April 14th

myBlueprint



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English



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Course Selection is now Closed

Grade 9 Completed	Grade 10 Completed	Grade 11 Current Year	Grade 12 Next Year
English 10F ELA10FW (0001-10F) * 1 Credit * 75%	English 20F ELA20F (0001-20F) * 1 Credit * 95%	English Comprehens... ENC30B (0082-30B) * 1 Credit	+ English Language...
Mathematics 10F MAT10FW (0080-10F) * 1 Credit * 89%	Intro to Applied and... MAT20B (S005-20B) * 1 Credit * 86%	Math Pre-Cal 30S MAP30B (S059-30B) * 1 Credit * 70%	+ Mathematics
Science 10F SC10F (0120-10F) * 1 Credit * 89%	Science 20F SC120F (0120-20F) * 1 Credit * 86%	Physical Education 3... PED30F (0189-30F) * 1 Credit	+ Physical Educatio...
Physical Education... PEF10F (0188-10F) * 1 Credit * 92%	Physical Education 2... PEF20F (0188-20F) * 1 Credit * 82%	History of Canada 30F HI30F (0105-30F) * 1 Credit * 90%	+ Course
Social Studies 10F SS10F (0101-10F) * 1 Credit * 90%	Career Development... CDV20B (0092-20B) * 1 Credit * 94%	Business Manageme... BU340B (0518-40B) * 1 Credit * 89%	+ Course
Food & Nutrition 10G FD10G (1118-10G) * 1 Credit * 92%	Retailing Perspectiv... RET30B (0326-30B) * 1 Credit * 94%	Law 40S LAW40B (0530-40B) * 1 Credit * 89%	+ Course
Business 15G BU15G (1224-15G) * 0.5 Credit * 84%	Food & Nutrition 20G FD20G (1118-20G) * 1 Credit * 99%	Biology 30S BIO30B (0124-30B) * 1 Credit	+ Course
Business 25G BU25G (1225-25G) * 0.5 Credit * 87%	Geography 20F GEO20F (1180-20F) * 1 Credit * 90%	Accounting Essential... AC100B (0309-30B) * 1 Credit	+ Course
Reading is Thinking... REA10B (0788-10B) * 1 Credit	Intro to Broadcast M... IBM20B (9118-20B) * 1 Credit * 92%	Venture Developme... VDV30B (0327-30B) * 1 Credit	+ Course



Graduation Indicator

Planned ————— 3
 Earned ————— 24
 Required ————— 27/30
 Total Credits ————— 29



View Progress

Pathway Eligibility

Apprenticeship ————— 8
 College ————— 453
 University ————— 0
 Workplace ————— 31

When Will Timetables Be Ready?

As of April 2023, we do not have a timeline yet. Timetables are typically ready for students in late June. More information will be shared in late May through your grade level Google Classroom regarding when and how to access your timetable for next year.

If you require course changes after you receive your timetable, you will need to email Ms. Wood.

Timetables

Check for all of your required courses
(graduation and post-secondary)

Semester 2 Timetables often change for various reasons: staffing changes, failures, entire classes being moved to another block, etc.

In Semester 2, you **MUST** use the Homeroom Lists posted outside either office to ensure you receive an accurate Semester 2 timetable.

If you follow the Semester 2 timetable you received in September, you may be missing a class.

CHECK THE HOMEROOM LISTS ON FIRST DAY OF SEMESTER 2!!

If you have any questions
regarding course selections
for next year, please contact
Ms. Wood at:

lori.wood@plpsd.net

Thank you! 😊