

Focus High School: Standards and Procedures

Subject: Visual Arts

Teacher: Eden Shiveck

Cycle and Level Taught: Cycle 1, Secondary 2

School Year: 2017-2018

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Creates personal and media images | 70% |
| | Competency 2: Appreciates images | 30% |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 | 20% |
| | Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 | 20% |
| | Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term | Participation: in-class work, contribution to class | 20% |
| | Portfolio: mini projects and major assignments | 80% |
| Course information: | Projects may include: drawing, painting, collage, printing, modelling shaping and assembling, photography, as well as creative use of the computer. | |

Subject: English Language Arts

Teacher: Eden Shiveck

Cycle and Level Taught: Cycle 1, Secondary 2

School Year: 2017-2018

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Uses language to communicate and learn | 33% |
| | Competency 2: Reads and listens to texts | 33% |
| | Competency 3: Produces spoken, written and media texts | 34% |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 | 20% |
| | Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 | 20% |
| | Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term | Participation: in-class work, contribution to class | 15% |
| | Writing journal: weekly journal entries throughout the year | 20% |
| | Major written assignments: articles, creative writing, essays, literary responses | 50% |
| | Oral presentations: public speaking, debates | 15% |
| Course objectives: | -Develop analytical skills through reading a variety of | |

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| | <p>texts (novels, short stories, poetry, etc.)</p> <p>-Develop written skills (journals, descriptive and narrative essays, letters, etc.)</p> <p>-Improve oral skills and expand appreciation of English literature</p> | |
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Subject: Mathematics

Teacher: Eden Shiveck

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School Year: 2017-2018

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Solves a situational problem | 30% |
| | Competency 2: Uses mathematical reasoning | 70% |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 | 20% |
| | Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 | 20% |
| | Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term There will be a written mid-term and final exam for this course. | Participation | 10% |
| | In-class work | 15% |
| | Assignments | 25% |
| | Tests | 50% |
| Course concepts: | -Rates, ratios & proportions -Geometry -Algebra -Probability | |

Subject: Science and Technology

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Seeks answers or solutions to scientific or technological problems. Communicates in the languages used in science and technology. Competency 2: Makes the most of his/her knowledge of science and technology. Communicates in the languages used in science and technology. | 40% 60% |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 20% 20% 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term Students will have a final exam in June. | Participation Assignments Tests | 10% 60% 30% |
| Course themes: | <i>-Energy & Machines:</i> motion & forces, energy transformation, machines, renewable and non-renewable energy sources, kinetic & potential energy. | |

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| | <p><i>-The Adventures of Living Things:</i> plants & animal cells, genes & chromosomes, reproduction, photosynthesis.</p> <p><i>-The Ingredients of Everything:</i> the periodic table, atoms & molecules, elements, mixtures, solutions.</p> | |
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Subject: History

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Examines social phenomena from a historical perspective | 35% |
| | Competency 2: Interprets social phenomena using the historical method | 35% |
| | Competency 3: Constructs his/her consciousness of citizenship through the study of history | 30 % |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 | 20% |
| | Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 | 20% |
| | Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term | Participation: in-class work, contribution to class discussion | 20% |
| | Assignments | 50% |
| | Tests | 30% |
| Course description: | Throughout the course, students will learn about major “turning point” events in human history. They will | |

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| | <p>develop skills to analyze the social phenomena that brought on these events and how these turning points have affected the world today. Topics will include empire building, democracy, urban expansion, revolution and change</p> | |
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Subject: Geography

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Understands the organization of a territory | 35% |
| | Competency 2: Interprets a territorial issue | 35% |
| | Competency 3: Constructs his/her consciousness of global citizenship | 30% |
| Timeline: | Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 | 40% |
| | Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 60% |
| Evaluation: The marking scheme will vary from term to term | Participation: in-class work, contribution to class discussion | 20% |
| | Assignments | 50% |
| | Tests | 30% |
| Course description: | Students will learn about different territories and how human activities affect and are affected by physical environments. | |

Subject: Physical Education

Teacher: Eden Shiveck

Cycle and Level Taught: Cycle 1, Secondary 2

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| Competencies targeted: | Competency 1: Performs movement skills in different physical activity settings Competency 2: Interacts with others in different physical activity settings Competency 3: Adopts a healthy active lifestyle | 35% 35% 30% |
| Timeline: | Term 1: August 30, 2017 – November 3, 2017 Term 2: November 7, 2016 – February 16, 2018 Term 3: February 19, 2018 – June 22, 2018 | 20% 20% 60% |
| Evaluation: | Sportsmanship: Participation: Health awareness: | 30% 50% 20% |
| Course objectives: | -Participating in various sports -Learning to cooperate within the setting of a team and sport | |

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| | -Appreciating a healthy life-style | |
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