

# OJSH Gr 9 to Gr 10 Student /Parent Meeting

## Thursday April 26, 2018

### Welcome Class of 2021



- 3 years from now , in June 2021 , most of you will be well on your way to fulfilling the requirements for Graduation from High School
  - The secret to meeting the requirements are NOT MAGIC



# 4 ways to leave High School 3 are good !!!!



- 1) Certificate of Competition –Inclusive Education students
- 2) Certificate of Achievement – Knowledge and Employability Program  
80 credits –focused on work
- 3) High School Diploma – 100 credits -most students will earn this
  - 4) Drop out - for a variety of reasons

# 100 credits – 56 required credits

## Without these you will not get your diploma

- 56 required credits
- 15 credits in English Gr 10/11/12 and Gr 12 English diploma
- 15 credits in Social Studies -Gr 10/11/12 and a Gr 12 Social diploma
- 10 credits in Math Gr 10/11
- 10 credits in Science Gr 10/11
- 3 credits in Physical Education P.Ed 10
- 3 credits in CALM 20

# 44 optional credits

There is a lot of choice in how you earn these requirements

- 10 more credits, usually 2 more classes at the gr 12 level- the 30 level – you need 4 grade 12 classes for a HS diploma
- 10 credits in CTS – Career and Technology Studies
- 22 credits in anything else you choose to do !!
- We have SO MUCH CHOICE for a small High school
- CTS/Fine Arts/P.Ed/ Languages
- Off campus-Work experience, RAP, Dual Credit
- Independent Studies

# How to get to 100 credits

- Gr 10 – no spares
- 8 classes, 4 /semester
- each class is 5 credits
- pass all classes  $8 \times 5 = 40$  credits
- So 40 credits minimum by the end of Gr 10
  - Gr 11- no spares
  - 8 classes, 4 /semester
  - each class is 5 credits
  - pass all classes  $8 \times 5 = 40$  credits
- So 80 credits minimum by the end of Gr 11

# How to get to 100 credits

- Gr 12 – one spare per semester
- 6 classes, each class is 5 credits = 30 credits
  - 3/semester , pass all classes
  - So  $40 + 40 + 30 = 110$  credits
- Lots of credits, the right credits and some room to breathe!!
- **NO CHAOTIC RUN, IN SEMESTER 2, TO GET ENROLLED IN CLASSES REQUIRED SO YOU CAN GRAD WITH YOUR FRIENDS**

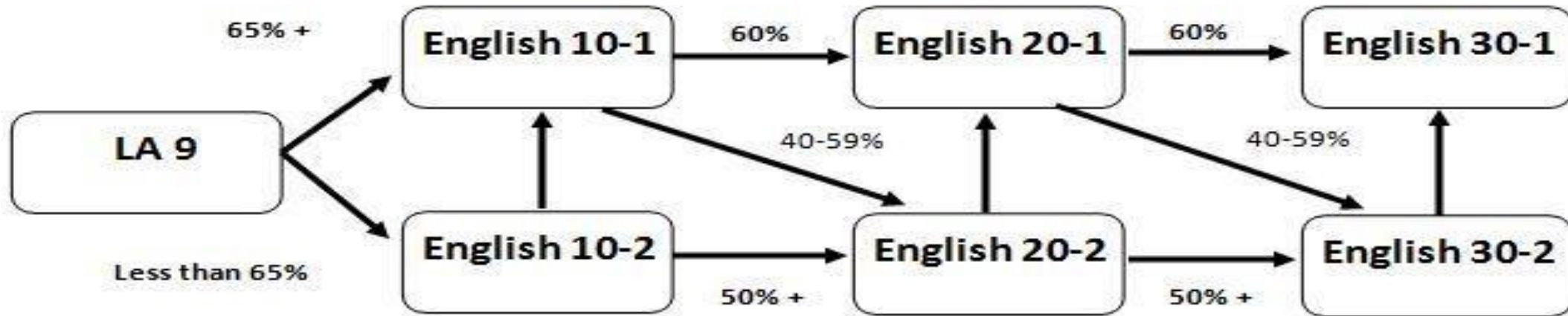
# REALLY TRY HARD TO PASS YOUR CLASSES

- Attend classes regularly and punctually
- Do your assigned work and HAND IT IN !!!
- Work with teachers if you are having difficulty.
- If you don't pass a class, you have to redo it until you pass.
- **If you don't pass a class, you have to redo it until you pass.**
- The 56 required classes, many need to be done in sequence, so if you fail - the timetable may not fit your needs!!!

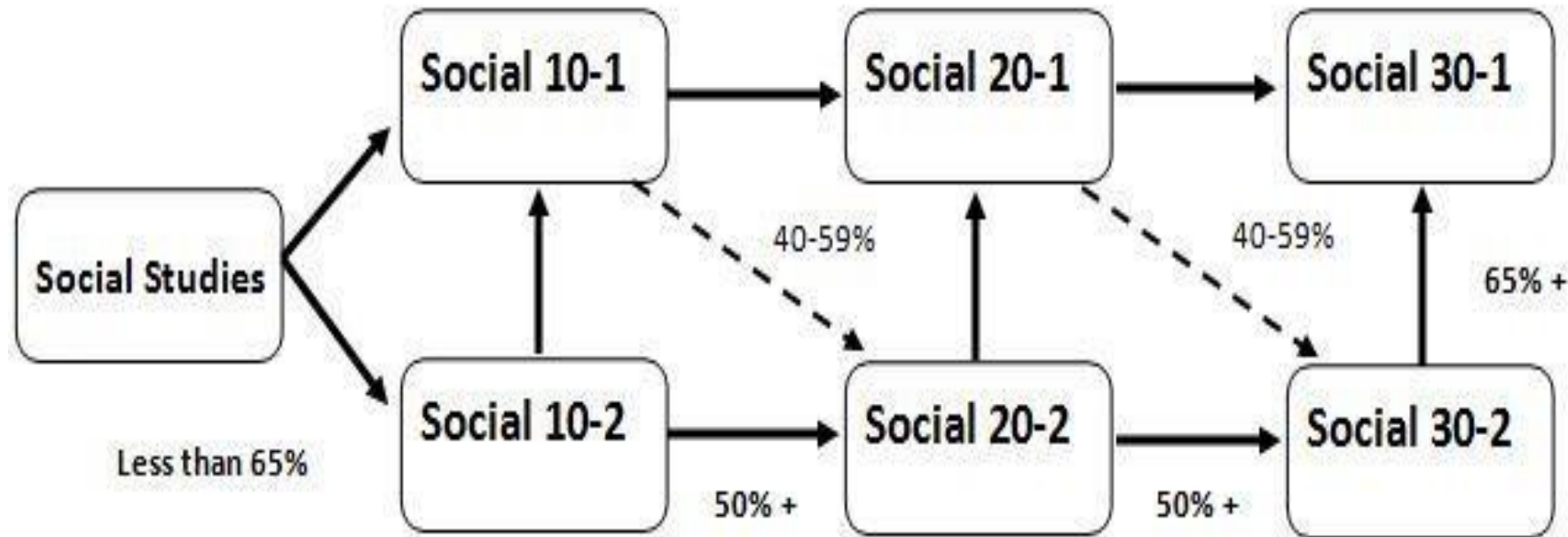




# Sr High English – 15 credits = 3 Classes

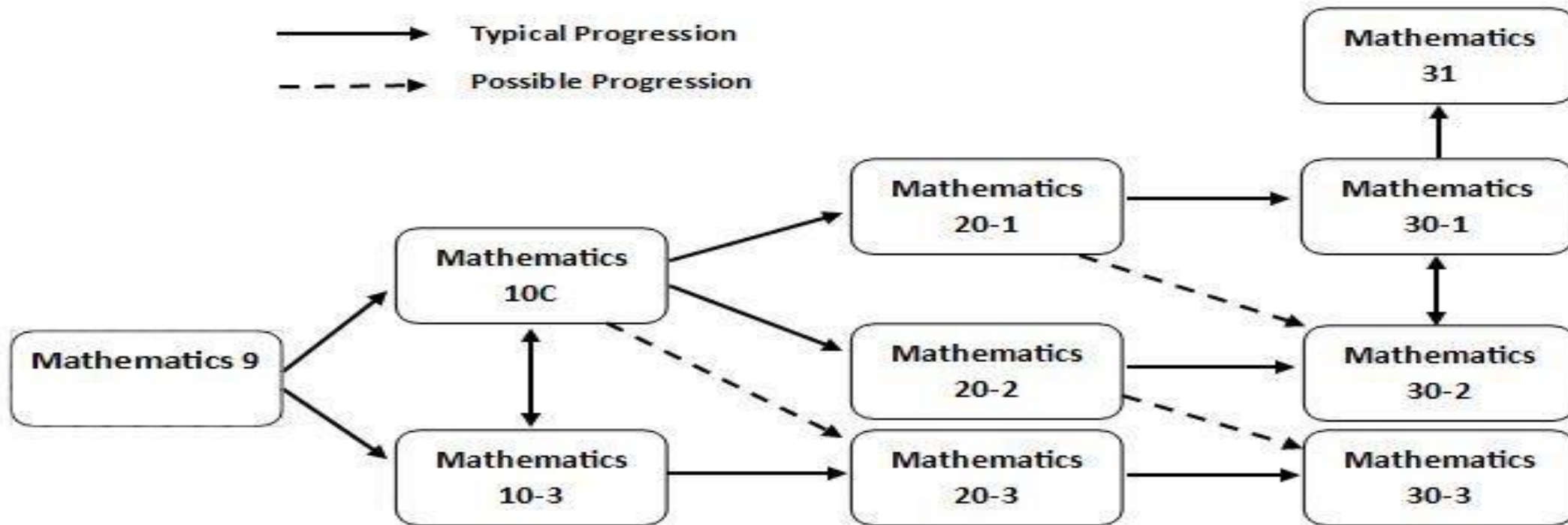


# Sr High Social – 15 credits = 3 classes



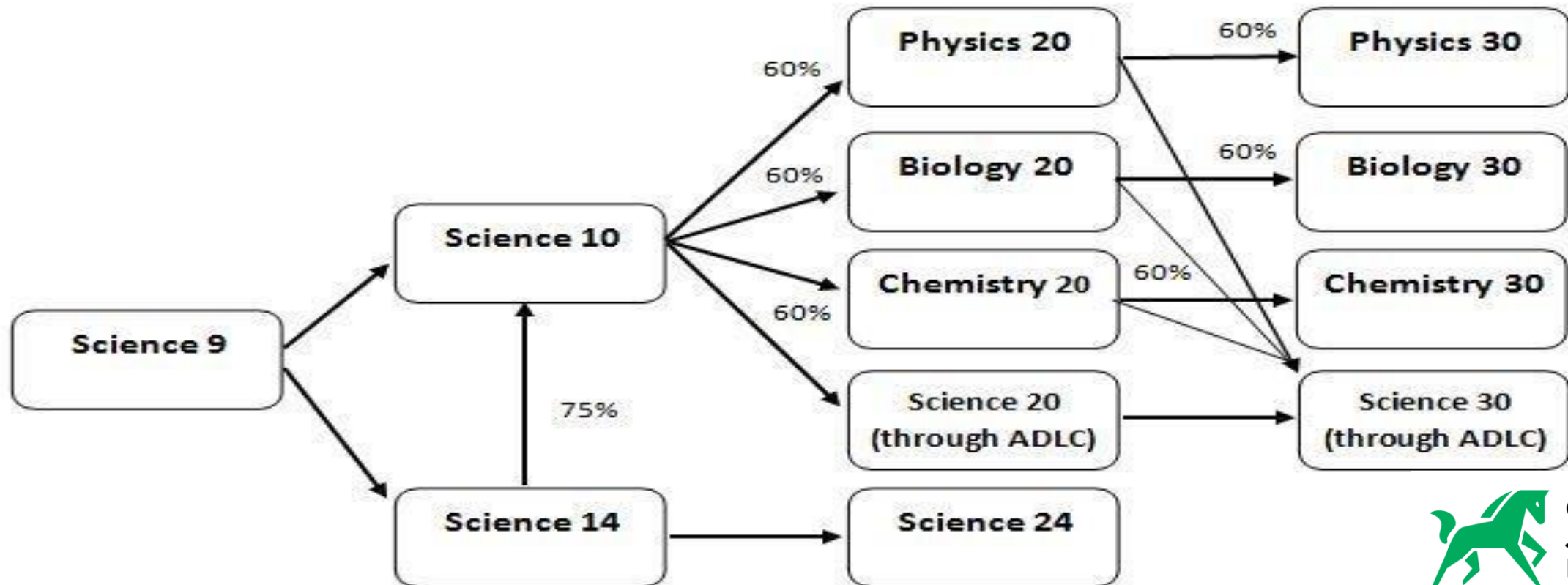
# Sr High Math = 10 credits min= 2 classes

- Dependant on what you want to do after high school and courses needed, you can take MORE than 2 math classes

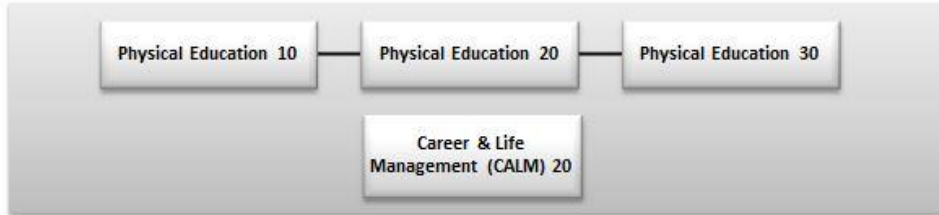


# Sr High Science – 10 credits min=2 classes

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# Calm/ PEd /44 other optional credits



- Career and Life Management 20- required
- PEd 10- required
- OPTIONS – in the Course guide
- Independent Studies – ADLC courses
- Fine arts- Music/Honours / Drama/Art
- Career and Technology Studies
- Off Campus-Work Experience/RAPP/ Dual credit

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- Extra Sr high math
- Extra Sr high Science
- Extra Sr high P Ed.
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- Career and Technology Studies
- Off Campus-Work Experience/RAPP/
- Dual credit – with norquest and other post secondary

# Working with Students in class- Grade 9

- Take Your Kid to Work Day – Nov.
- Learning Clicks presentation - March
- ALIS (Alberta Learning Information Service) and/or myBlueprint - each student has an account
  - Students complete interest inventories – they are matched with various occupations which they can then investigate on the site
- Class Presentations
- Investigate a career assignment
- Create a Resume assignment

# Scholarships

- [www.yconic.com](http://www.yconic.com)
- [www.scholarshipscanada.com](http://www.scholarshipscanada.com)
- [www.studentscholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org)
- Local scholarships
- Program specific scholarships
- Alexander Rutherford Scholarship
  - 75% + average grades 10/11/12
  - 80% + average grades 10/11/12
- Studentaid.alberta.ca - student loan website
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# Questions

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THANK YOU For coming to this session .

