

Grade 9 to 12 Course Prerequisites / Co-requisites

A number of courses at St. Maurice School have prerequisites and/or co-requisites for entry. These requirements are listed with each course description in the Course Description Booklet for each level. Such requirements are established by the administration and are based on expectations of background knowledge and ability demonstrated in previous courses.

Student and parents are advised to plan carefully beginning right from the Grade 9 level in order to choose a course path which will prepare the student for the option courses they may wish to follow in their senior years and/or into their post-secondary education. The St. Maurice School counsellor and administrators are available to answer general questions about program planning. Please also consult the universities and colleges directly regarding their specific admission requirements and the prerequisites they may have for particular programs.

Note: Changes to these guidelines and the stated requirements may be made at the discretion of the administration, as required.

For entry into Grade 9:

French 10G

Prerequisite: Grade 8 French

Transitional Mathematics 10F

Students for whom the final mark for Grade 8 Mathematics is anticipated to be lower than 60% are strongly advised to select Transitional Math 10F as their Grade 9 option course. It is suggested that parents consult their child's Grade 8 Math teacher for guidance in selecting this course.

For entry into Grade 10:

Introduction to Applied and
Pre-Calculus Mathematics 20S

Prerequisite: A minimum of 60% in Mathematics 10F

Print Communications 25S
and Web Design 35S

Prerequisite: Applying ICT 1 15G, or credit in a
Computer Studies or Keyboarding Course

Start Your Own Business 25G
(2nd term Grade 10 ½ credit)

Prerequisite: Futures in Business 15G
(1st term Grade 10 ½ credit)

For entry into Grade 11:

Accounting Principles 30S	Prerequisite:	Credit in a Grade 10 Mathematics course
Visual Arts 30S	Prerequisite:	Visual Arts 10S OR Visual Arts 20S, or Prior Written Permission of Instructor
Biology 30S	Prerequisite:	Credit in Science 20F
Chemistry 30S	Prerequisite: Co-requisite:	A minimum of 60% in Science 20F, AND Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S
Computer Science 30S	Prerequisites:	A minimum average of 60% over the two Grade 10 ICT courses (Print Communications 25S and Web Design 35S) [2 x ½ credit], AND Credit in Introduction to Applied and Pre- Calculus Mathematics 20S or A minimum of 60% in Essential Math 20S
Essential Mathematics 30S	Prerequisite:	Credit in a Grade 10 Mathematics course
ELA: Literary Focus 30S	Prerequisite:	A minimum of 60% in English Language Arts 20F
Physics 30S	Prerequisite: Co-requisite:	A minimum of 60% in Science 20F, AND Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S
Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S	Prerequisite:	A minimum of 60% in Introduction to Applied and Pre-Calculus Mathematics 20S

For entry into Grade 12:

Accounting Systems 40S	Prerequisite:	Accounting Principles 30S
Visual Arts 40S	Prerequisite:	Visual Arts 10S AND Visual Arts 20S, OR Prior Written Permission of Instructor
Biology 40S	Prerequisite:	Biology 30S
Calculus 42S (AB) AP (Advanced Placement)	Prerequisite: Co-requisite:	A minimum of 85% in Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S, AND Pre-Calculus Mathematics 40S
Chemistry 40S	Prerequisite: Co-requisite:	A minimum of 60% in Chemistry 30S, AND Pre-Calculus Mathematics 40S

Computer Science 30S	Prerequisites: A minimum average of 60% over the two Grade 10 ICT courses (Print Communications 25S and Web Design 35S) [2 x ½ credit], AND Credit in Introduction to Applied and Pre-Calculus Mathematics 20S or Credit in Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S or A minimum of 60% in Essential Math 20S or A minimum of 60% in Essential Math 30S
Computer Science 40S	Prerequisites: A minimum of 60% Computer Science 30S, AND Credit in Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S or A minimum of 60% in Essential Math 30S
Computer Science 42S (A) AP (Advanced Placement)	Prerequisite: A minimum of 85% Computer Science 30S, AND Co-requisite: Pre-Calculus Mathematics 40S
ELA: Literary Focus 40S	Prerequisite: Credit in ELA: Literary Focus 30S, or A minimum of 60% in ELA: Comprehensive Focus 30S Note: Should space be limited for the Grade 12 course ELA: Literary Focus 40S, preference is given to students who achieved the pre-requisite from Literary Focus 30S.
English Literature and Composition 42S AP (Advanced Placement)	Prerequisite: A minimum of 85% in ELA: Comprehensive Focus 30S, or A minimum of 80% in ELA: Literary Focus 30S AND Co-requisite: ELA: Literary Focus 40S
Essential Mathematics 40S	Prerequisite: Credit in a Grade 11 Mathematics course
Pre-Calculus Mathematics 40S	Prerequisite: A minimum of 60% in Pre-Calculus Mathematics 30S
Physics 40S	Prerequisite: A minimum of 60% in Physics 30S, AND Co-requisite: Pre-Calculus Mathematics 40S