

GRADE 9 - English

2022/23 Course Request Form

DUE to your Gr. 8/Core Teacher by: **February 4th, 2022**Gr 8 Parent Info. Night is Thursday, January 27th, 2022 @ 7:00pm Via TEAMS*Dr. Charles Best Secondary School*

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Legal Last Name _____ Legal First Name _____
 Preferred/Called Name _____ Birthdate: (dd/mm/yy) _____ / _____ / _____
 Address: _____ Postal Code _____
 Home Phone: _____ Parent's Cell: _____ Student's cell: _____
 Parent's email: _____ School attended in Grade 8: _____
 Student's personal email: _____ Core teacher: _____

Grade 9 Program PlanningAll students must take a minimum of 8 scheduled courses. Music courses **may** be scheduled outside of the timetable.

Career Education 9 (CE9) and **Digital Learning 10**, will be incorporated into the grade 9 school year but are not scheduled as regular courses. Please refer to the Course Calendar online for a full description of the programs.

English Program **EAL Student**

Required Courses - Students in the English program are required to take 5 courses at the grade 9 level and must choose 3 additional electives for a total of 8 courses.

1) English 9 (MEN--09)	2) Mathematics 9 (MMA--09)	3) Science 9 (MSC--09)	4) Social Studies 9 (MSS--09)
5) Physical and Health Education 9 (MPHE-09)	6) Elective*	7) Elective	8) Elective

Elective Requests - BEFORE you begin selecting your electives, please read this:

The course request form is an agreement between the student and Dr. Charles Best Secondary School.

The school is staffed and scheduled for the following September based on the information provided through this form. Only those courses with sufficient student requests will be scheduled. At times, we may have to refer to your alternate elective(s) if we cannot schedule you into your first request. Therefore, when choosing electives, it is in the student's best interest to be very thoughtful about their choices. It is unlikely that we will be able to accommodate course change requests in the fall.

Instructions: A) Request 3 Elective courses numbered in order of priority [1 = most important; 3 = least important]

MVA--09	Visual Arts 9	
XCER-09	Ceramics 9	
XG---09	Graphics 9	
MADEM09	ADST – Ent and Marketing 9	
MADIT09	ADST – Info & Tech 9	
MADFS09	ADST - Food Studies 9	
MADT-09	ADST - Textiles 9	
MADD-09	ADST - Drafting 9	

MADW-09	ADST - Woodwork 9	
MADER09	ADST - Electronics and Robotics 9	
MADGE09	ADST – General Trades Foundations 9	
MFR--09	French 9*	
MSP--09	Spanish 9 *	
MDR--09	Drama 9	
XGUIT09	Guitar 9	
MIDS-0B	IDS – Social Responsibility 9 – Inquiry & Action 1 (Butterfly Effect) outside timetable	

B) List Alternate Elective Requests: (to be referred to in the case where we cannot accommodate your preferred selections)

Alternate Elective 1: _____ Alternate Elective 2: _____

Music Courses: The following music courses may be scheduled during lunch and/or outside of the regular school day and are a full year in length. These elective courses could be considered part of your 8 courses or taken as additional courses

Note: To sign up for **Jazz Band 9 (recommendation required)**, you must sign up for **Concert Band 9**To sign up for **Vocal Jazz 9 (recommendation required)**, you must sign up for **Concert Choir 9**

Check one or more:

XBA--09	Concert Band 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
XBA--09JB	Jazz Band 9	<input type="checkbox"/>

XC---09	Concert Choir 9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
XC---09VJ	Vocal Jazz 9	<input type="checkbox"/>

***Language Choices:** An additional language is **not required** for Secondary School (High School) Graduation. An additional language is **not a requirement** for general admission to college. However; a Language 11 or Beginner's Language 11 may be required for direct entry to some universities (please check the requirements for the individual institutions). If students do not wish to take a language in grade 9, they may opt to take a Beginner's Spanish 11 in grade 10, 11 or 12. Students wishing to continue with French are advised to continue with French 9 in Gr 9.

Parent Signature: _____ Student Signature: _____

Students Please See Over

Print Parent Name: _____ Date: _____

Middle and Secondary School Counsellor/Teacher Use ONLY: Math 9 – currently taking Learning Support LRC (IEP) Language Arts: Reading, Writing, Comprehension Math Bridge Socials Science 1701 Category: _____ EAL Level _____ EPIC Other: _____

CONFIDENTIAL STUDENT SURVEY

1. Going to Charles Best next year, the thing I look forward to the most is _____
2. I enjoy school the most when I am _____
3. I learn best when the teacher _____
4. The thing(s) that I struggle with at school is/are _____
5. One thing I worry about for next year is _____
6. When I get stressed I cope by _____
7. At lunch, I usually hang out with _____
8. With my peers (friends), I have had some challenges with _____
9. The clubs/extracurricular activities I'd like to join are: _____
10. The sports teams I'd like to tryout for are: _____
11. At home I live with _____
12. After my schooling is complete, my dream job would be _____
13. Other things you should know about me:
