



ÉCOLE RIVERSIDE SECONDARY SCHOOL

2025-2026 Course Selection Planning Organizer

Grade 9 **English** Program

Grade 9 students in the English Program will be automatically enrolled in the following courses:

- ☐ English 9
- ☐ Math 9
- ☐ Science 9
- ☐ Physical Education 9
- ☐ COL – Applications of Digital Learning 10 A full year hybrid course (some online; some in person).

Notes:

- All grade 9 students will be programmed into COL – Applications of Digital Literacy 10.
- Students who are selected for Honours 9 Courses (English, Math, and/or Science), will be placed in the correct classes after offers have been accepted.
- English Language Learners will be placed in academic courses that best meet their level of language acquisition (based on an oral and written language assessment).
- Placement in the following courses is based on consultation with school team and parents/guardians: Math 9 Adapted, Math 9 Support, Learning Centre.

Selecting Elective Courses

Students will select three electives as well as three alternates. For Elective Course Descriptions consult the [Riverside Course Information Website](#) – see next page for overview of elective course choices for grade 9 students. Use the table below to keep track of your choices. You will input your elective selections and alternates into MyEd.

- ☐ **Applying for Hockey Academy?**
 - Complete [application](#) and mark as Elective #1 in the table below

Code	Elective Choice	Code	Alternate Electives
	Elective #1		#1
	Elective #2		#2
	Elective #3		#3

Optional Music Elective(s) taken as 9th and/or 10th course(s):

- ☐ Introduction to Band 9 (wants to learn to play an instrument)
- ☐ Concert Band 9
- ☐ Jazz Band 9
- ☐ Rock Band 9
- ☐ Orchestral Strings 9
- ☐ Concert Choir 9
- ☐ Vocal Jazz 9
- ☐ Theatre Production 10 (PALS)

Riverside Secondary School – English Program Grade 9 Courses

2025-2026

Core Courses			
English		Math	
MEN--09	English 9	MMA--09	Math 9
MEN--09H	English 9 Honours* (Application & Assessment)	MMA--09H	Math 9 Honours* (Application & Assessment)
		MMA--09A	Math 9 Adapted*
English Language Learning*		XSPBK09	Math 9 Support*
XLDEA10EAL	ELL Beginners		
YESFLOA	English Language Development 10	Physical Education	
YESFLOB	Introduction to Academic Language 10	MPHE--09	Physical Education 9
YESFLOC	Academic Strategies for Language Learners 10		
YESFL1B	English Language Development 11	Science	
		MSC--09	Science 9
		MSC--09H	Science 9 Honours* (Application & Assessment)
COL – Digital Literacy 10			
XAT--10--COL10	COL Applications of Digital Literacy 10*	Social Studies	
		MSS--09	Socials 9

* These courses will be added by your counsellor.

Elective Courses			
Art		Languages	
MVAST10	Art Studio 10 : General Art	MFR--09	French 9
MVAC-10	Studio Arts 3D 10 : Sculpture	MBIT-11	Introduction to Italian 11
MVAM-10	Yearbook 10**	MSP--09	Spanish 9
MMEDD10	Media Design 10		
MVAPH10	Photography 10	Music	
		XLDCH09	Introduction to Band 9-12***
Business Education		XBA--09	Concert Band 9***
YBMO-1B	Business Communications 11	XBA--09JB	Jazz Band 9***
MADEM10	Entrepreneurship & Marketing 10	MMU--09RSC	Rock Band 9***
		MMU--09	Orchestral Strings 9***
Performing Arts		MCMCC9	Concert Choir 9***
MDR--09	Drama 9	XC---09VJ	Vocal Jazz 9***
MDCF-10	Dance Foundations 10	MMUGT10	Beginner Guitar 10
Home Economics		Technology Education	
MFOOD10	Food Studies 10	YMR--1A	Bicycle Technology 11
MFAMS10	Family and Society 10	MTDRF10	Drafting & Design Animation 10
MTXT-10	Textiles 10	MTPOW10	Power Technology 10
		MWWK-10	Woodworking 10
Leadership			
YCPA-0A	Leadership 10 (Application required)		
MDRD10	Theatre Production 10 (PALS)**	Information Communication & Technology	
YIPS-1B	Dungeons and Dragons : Adventures and Teamwork 11	MCSTU10-0	Computer Studies 10
		MTEAR10	Electronics and Robotics 10
Physical Education		MTEAR10C	Electronics and Robotics : Competitive 10 (Application required)
YLRA-0A	Weight Training 10	MWBDEV10	Web Development 10
YLRA-0B	Hockey 10 (Application required)		

**This course is offered outside the regular timetable (i.e. in period 1 or after school). Note: PALS = Performing Arts Leadership

***These courses are offered outside the regular timetable (i.e. in period 1 or after school) in addition to your 8 courses.