

Burnaby Central Secondary School Graduation Information Presentation





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Graduation Requirements

Grade 10

- ▶ English 10
- ▶ Social Studies 10
- ▶ Math 10
- ▶ Science 10
- ▶ PHE 10
- ▶ CLE 10

Grade 11

- ▶ English 11
- ▶ Social Studies 11/12
- ▶ Math 11
- ▶ Science 11
- ▶ CLC 11

Grade 12

- ▶ English 12
- ▶ Grade 12 course
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- ▶ CLC 12

- ❖ 1 Applied Skills or Fine Art 10/11/12
- ❖ Numeracy 10 Assessment & Literacy 10 & 12 Assessments
- ❖ Indigenous-focused course
- ❖ 30 hours of work experience
- ❖ Total of 80 Credits worth of grade 10/11/12 courses



Are you taking any Online Courses that you need for graduation?

- ▶ Online courses should be completed by March to allow the Online teacher enough time to mark your work and submit a final mark to the Ministry well before June 30th.

Career Life Connections 12

Are you in a CLC 12 Team?

ASSIGNMENT	ASSIGN DUE DATE	DUE DATE
Assembly #1	Sept 13 @flex in the gym	
SMART Goal	Sept 13	October 1
SMART goal October Evidence	Oct 2	Nov 4
Assembly #2	Nov 29 @ Flex in the gym	
Capstone Project	Dec 6	Jan 6
Capstone Presentation	Dec 6	Jan 10
30 Hours Work Experience Requirement		Jan 6

Language Challenge Exam

- ▶ The purpose of these exams is to allow students who have already acquired the appropriate learning elsewhere to get credit for a Grade 11 or 12 course
- ▶ Spanish 11/12, French 11/12, Punjabi 11/12, Korean 11/12, Mandarin 11/12, Japanese 11/12, Farsi 11/12
- ▶ Application and information found online at

<https://www.deltasd.bc.ca/schools/secondary/challenge-exams>

- ▶ **Application is due October 21st**
- ▶ Cost of exam is \$50 refundable deposit & \$205 non-refundable for International Students
- ▶ Date of the exams are **February 1st & February 2nd, 2025**
- ▶ To apply **please see online application and hand in form and cheque to counsellors**
- ▶ Confirmation email will be sent out by December 15th

Student Transcripts Service (STS)



Student Transcripts Service Information For Students

Student Transcripts Service (STS) is an online application for students to view their school marks, transcripts, scholarships and send transcripts electronically to post secondary institutions and employers.



Get Started

To register for STS students will need:

- Personal Education Number (PEN)
- Full legal name
- Date of birth
- Email address

Step 1 Go to the Ministry of Education's **Transcripts and Certificate website** at <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>.

Step 2 You **must sign up** for a BCeID before you can use the StudentTranscripts Service.
For BCeID signup, you need to:

- Complete the fields to register for a basic BCeID
- Select your password reset questions and answers
(*remember these* as you will need them if you forget your password)
- Follow the system prompts and sign up for StudentTranscripts Service.

Sign Up for a BCeID

Step 3 Log-in to StudentTranscripts Service using your BCeID.

When registering for the Student Transcript Service using your BCeID, you will be prompted to:

- Enter your student information used by your school (see **Get Started** information above)
- Read the personal data collection info and complete the process by clicking "submit"
- An email will be sent to the email address provided and must be activated within 24 hours of receipt or you will need to complete the registration process again
- Once activated, you will be able to log onto STS using your BCeID and password.

Log in with BCeID

Step 4

From your STS Dashboard, you can choose your post-secondary institutions (PSIs) selections, preview, send and order transcripts, view exam and assessment results and view scholarship information. Please note that all transcripts previewed in the STS are considered unofficial, but official transcripts will be sent out when ordered.

You will need to consent to the STS privacy notice which enables the ministry to send your transcripts to your selected PSIs by paper or electronically depending on how the PSI is able to receive transcripts. Printed copies of transcripts may take up to 3 weeks for processing and delivery to your selected PSIs.

Troubleshooting:

For BCeID questions: <https://www.bceid.ca>

For StudentTranscript questions: Studenttranscripts@gov.bc.ca.

** This **MUST** to be done in order for schools to gain access to your transcripts when applying to colleges and universities. **There are deadlines!**

** Do not forget to check the box of the school you are applying to and **allow PSI to access for one year.**

How do you know if you have the required credits to graduate?

- ▶ Go to the Ministry of Education's Transcripts and Certificate website at <http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>
- ▶ You can view your school marks and transcripts there.
- ▶ If you have any concerns about your transcript, please see your counsellor.

Final Transcript

- ▶ Only successfully completed courses are listed on the final transcript
- ▶ If a course has been repeated, the higher mark appears as the final mark on the final transcript
- ▶ Interim transcripts will show all marks



College Requirements

Typical admission is the following

- ▶ High school graduation
- ▶ English language proficiency requirement
- ▶ Some programs have specific course and minimum grade requirements
- ▶ First come, first served. Get applications in soon

University Requirements

Typically, admission averages are based on the following:

1. English 12
2. Academic 12
3. Academic 12
4. Academic 12
5. Academic 12
6. *Academic 12 or Non-academic Grade 12 Courses (UBC)*

Online/Course Work

- ▶ UBC and SFU require all online courses to be completed by the end of June 2025
- ▶ If you are currently taking an online course to meet your application program requirements, please arrange for interim grades (50% complete) to be submitted by March 15 (for UBC).



Additional English Requirements

UBC

- ▶ 4 years of study in English in Canada or 6.5 IELTS/ 90 TOEFL and a minimum of 70% in English 11/12

SFU

- ▶ 3 years of study in English in Canada or 6.5 IELTS/ 88 TOEFL and a minimum grade of 70% in English 11/12



Additional Math Requirements

► SFU

- ✓ Students need to have a minimum of 60% in Foundations of Math 11, Pre-calculus 11 **or Math 12**
- ✓ Students who have 70% in Foundations of Math 11,
- ✓ Pre-calculus 11, **or Math 12 can** avoid having to register in a Q course



Post-Secondary Testing Requirements

IELTS

- ▶ International English Language Testing System required if schooling has not been in an English-speaking environment for the last 3 or 4 years

TOEFL

- ▶ generally required if schooling has not been in an English-speaking environment for the last 3 or 4 years depending on institution

P/SAT

- ▶ required by most American colleges/universities and for SFU Athletics Teams



Program Requirements

It is important that you check overall program specific requirements on the school admissions page

All BC post-secondary/college options - <https://www.educationplannerbc.ca/>

UBC - <https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/requirements/>

SFU- <https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements.html>

**** Requirements can change each year! Please make sure to look because students entering the fall of 2026 vs 2025 can have changes!**



Program Requirements

- *Bachelor of Science Example*

SFU Bachelor of Science

5 approved grade 12 courses

- English 12 Or English First Peoples 12 (70%)
- Pre-Calc 12
- Two of: Bio 12, Chem 12, Phys 12, Calc 12
- One additional academic 12 from List A or B

- English 11
- Physics 11 & Chem 11
- Pre calc 11

UBC Bachelor of Science

6 approved grade 12 courses

- English 12 Or English First Peoples 12 (70%)
- Pre-Calc 12
- One of: Bio 12, Chem 12, Phys 12
- Three additional academic/nonacademic 12 courses
 - Recommended in areas of Language Arts, Mathematics, Computation and Science

- English 11
- Physics 11 & Chem 11
- Language 11
- Pre-calc 11

Program Requirements

- *Douglas College Example*

HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

General College Admission Requirements

- ▶ BC secondary school graduation (or the equivalent in another school system)
- ▶ English Studies 12 - minimum final grade "C" or equivalent

COMPUTING SCIENCE

General College Admission Requirements

- ▶ Pre-calculus 12 with a minimum grade of B (or acceptable substitution)


ACADEMIC FOUNDATIONS FOR POTENTIAL NURSING APPLICANTS

General College Admission Requirements

- ▶ BC secondary school graduation (or the equivalent in another school system)
- ▶ English Studies 12 with a minimum of B
- ▶ Bio 11 or 12 with a minimum of B
- ▶ Foundations of Math 11 or 12 with a minimum of B



BCIT

- ▶ BCIT offers over 300 programs in 6 general areas of study: Sciences, Business and Media, Computing and Information Technology, Engineering, Health Sciences and Trades and Apprenticeships.
 - ▶ BCIT is closely linked with industries around the globe, with programs taught by industry leaders on campus and in the field. BCIT offers certificates and diplomas to bachelor's and master's degrees.
 - ▶ BCIT has a 97% employment rate for degree graduates. Many of their programs are competitive with long wait lists, so consider applying to other post-secondary institutions as well.
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Out of Province Post-Secondary

▶ Information available through:

- Internet
- Viewbooks in student services
- SAT information in student services
- University Virtual Sessions

Check the Student bulletin regularly

- ▶ For Ontario, apply online & send transcript www.ouac.on.ca

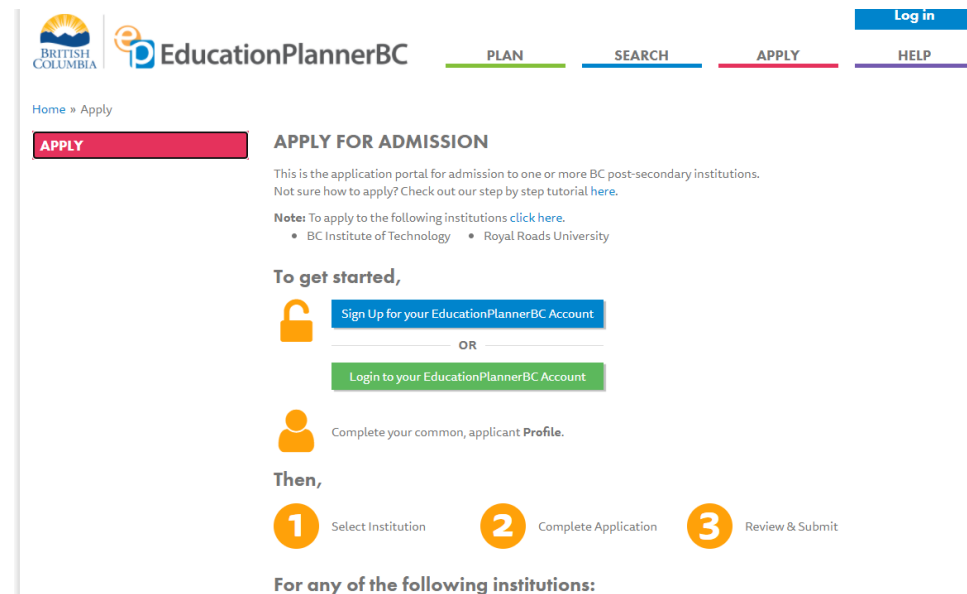


How to apply?!

Applications can be done online through EducationPlannerBC

<https://apply.educationplannerbc.ca>

You will need your **Personal Education Number (PEN)** and **Legal Name**



The screenshot shows the 'APPLY FOR ADMISSION' page on the EducationPlannerBC website. At the top, there are logos for British Columbia and EducationPlannerBC, along with navigation tabs for PLAN, SEARCH, APPLY (highlighted), and HELP. A 'Log in' button is in the top right. Below the navigation, there is a breadcrumb trail 'Home » Apply' and a red 'APPLY' button. The main heading is 'APPLY FOR ADMISSION'. The text explains that this is the application portal for admission to one or more BC post-secondary institutions and provides a link to a step-by-step tutorial. A note lists institutions where the application is accepted: BC Institute of Technology and Royal Roads University. Under 'To get started', there are two options: 'Sign Up for your EducationPlannerBC Account' (with a lock icon) and 'Login to your EducationPlannerBC Account' (with a person icon). Below this, it says 'Complete your common, applicant Profile.' The 'Then,' section shows a three-step process: 1. Select Institution, 2. Complete Application, and 3. Review & Submit. At the bottom, it says 'For any of the following institutions:'.



When to apply?

- ▶ College Application dates
 - ▶ Often a first come, first served basis. Earlier application is important. (Minimum program requirements need to be met).

Langara- applications open in early October

Douglas- applications open in early October

BCIT- Ongoing (often a waitlist for many of their programs)



When to apply?

▶ UBC

Applications open **October 1st**

Early Acceptance & Scholars Entrance Scholarship deadline **December 1st, 2024**

Final Application deadline **January 15th, 2025**

▶ SFU

Early Acceptance & Major Entrance Scholarship deadline **December 15th, 2024**

Final Application deadline **January 31st, 2025**



When to apply?

- ▶ UVIC - January 31st, 2025
- ▶ Emily Carr- January 15th, 2025 (**Portfolio due at the same time)
- ▶ Capilano- April 10th, 2025 (some programs have earlier deadlines)
- ▶ Kwantlen- March 1st, 2025 (some programs have earlier deadlines)
- ▶ Eastern Universities- Usually sometime in January, but early admission and entrance scholarship deadlines likely in December of 2024- Check websites
- ▶ LOOK ON EDUCATION PLANNER BC for more info!!



When do post-secondary institutions get my marks?

*When do I know I
am accepted?*

April's School Report = May final offers



Further information Sessions!

- ▶ PSBC & SFU evening is happening **November 14th at Burnaby Central** from **6:00pm - 8:00pm**
- ▶ UBC has numerous online information evening opportunities
- ▶ Look on admission pages on the post-secondary school websites
- ▶ Go to info sessions at the post-secondary institution (BCIT)



Important Dates

- ▶ October - Set up BCeID so that you can use the Student Transcript Service
REMEMBER PASSWORDS
- ▶ October onward - Apply to colleges and attend information sessions
Apply - <https://apply.educationplannerbc.ca>
- ▶ November -January - Complete Student Transcript Service (STS)
<http://www.StudentTranscripts.gov.bc.ca>
- ▶ December-January - Watch application deadlines
- ▶ February - Begin to self-report grades
- ▶ Important to note International Students have different deadlines!!! Please make sure you are aware of them.



IMPORTANT HANDOUTS

HOW TO APPLY TO COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY (WHITE HANDOUT)

- ▶ IMPORTANT APPLICATION DEADLINES
- ▶ THINGS TO DO BEFORE YOU APPLY - RESEARCH PROGRAMS/INFO SESSIONS
- ▶ HOW TO APPLY AND WHERE
- ▶ HOW TO SEND YOUR MARKS

- ▶ UBC HANDOUT (Purple)
- ▶ SFU HANDOUT (Green)
- ▶ STUDENT TRANSCRIPT SERVICE INFORMATION HANDOUT (BACK OF YELLOW)

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Scholarship Information