

GRADE 11 COURSE SELECTION





THE COURSE SELECTION "CONTRACT"

- You have a direct impact on which courses are offered each year
- If not enough students choose a course, it will not run!
 - Example: if 15 students choose a course, that is not enough for it to run so the course would be cancelled
 - Example: if 60 students choose a course, two blocks of that course would run
- Be sure to choose THOUGHTFULLY
- See your counsellor if you need help choosing classes
- No course changes will be made in September



COURSE SELECTION TIMELINE

- February 4th MyEd Portal is open for you to enter your course requests
- February 28th MyEd Portal closes for course selection
 - After this date, all changes to your course requests must be completed by your counsellor
- Early April Course Verification begins (your chance to change your course requests)
- Late April Course Verification ends
 - After this date, you can still change your course requests through a conversation with your counsellor



5-Period Day Schedule (Draft)

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
PERIOD 1	8:00-9:20	8:00-9:20	8:00-9:20	8:00-9:20	8:00-9:20
	9:20-9:25	9:20-9:25	9:20-9:25	9:20-9:25	9:20-9:25
PERIOD 2	9:25-10:45	9:25-10:45	9:25-10:45	9:25-10:45	9:25-10:45
Nutrition Break	10:45-10:55	10:45-10:55	10:45-10:55	10:45-10:55	10:45-10:55
PERIOD 3	10:55-12:15	10:55-12:15	10:55-12:15	10:55-12:15	10:55-12:15
LUNCH	12:15-12:55	12:15-12:55	12:15-12:55	12:15-12:55	12:15-12:55
PERIOD 4	12:55-2:15	12:55-2:15	12:55-2:15	12:55-2:15	12:55-2:15
	2:15-2:20	2:15-2:20	2:15-2:20	2:15-2:20	2:15-2:20
PERIOD 5	2:20-3:40	2:20-3:40	2:20-3:40	2:20-3:40	2:20-3:40

^{*}some flex may still be added to one day a week

5 Period Day

- Grade 11 & 12 Students will only take 8 courses inside the timetable
 - Semester 1 : Periods 1, 2, 3, 4, & 5
 - Semester 2: Periods 6, 7, 8, 9, & 10
- Students will likely have a spare each semester, taking 4 classes in a 5-period day
- Students can take outside of timetable courses like First Aid or Yearbook
- The outside of timetable courses can count as one of their 8 courses total for the year



Courses Outside of the Timetable

Courses outside the timetable in 2025/2026:

- -First Aid 11/12 Outside the timetable
- -Recreation Leadership 11/12 Outside the timetable (New Course)
- -Student Government 8-12 Y Block
- -Theatre Company 9-12 Y Block
- -Theatre Production 12 Y Block
- -Dance Company 9-12 Y Block
- -Yearbook 9-12 Y Block
- -Leadership PM 9-12 Y block
- -Chamber B Choir 9-12 Y Block -Tues 4:30-6pm/ Friday Lunch
- -Chamber A Choir 9-12 "Y" Block Thursday (after school 3:40pm)/ Tues Lunch
- -Concert Choir (gr 8-12) Period 1 (alternating with SR Band)



GRADE 11 COURSES

Five Required Courses

- An English 11
- Social Studies 11 (or 12)
- A Mathematics 11
- A Science 11
- Career Life Connections 11 (on Teams)

Four Elective Courses*

May be chosen from the following areas:

- Languages
- Visual & Performing Arts (art, drama, dance, music)
- ADST (business ed, tech ed, home economics)
- Physical Health Education
- Leadership (or First Aid)

*Students may choose to add additional elective courses off-timetable



CAREER LIFE CONNECTIONS 11/12

CLC 11	CLC 12	Work/Volunteer Experience
 Mandatory 2-credit off-timetable course Includes online lessons & assignments on Teams Must pass to be able to graduate! 	 Mandatory 2-credit off-timetable course Includes online lessons & assignments on Teams Culminates into the Capstone Project & Presentation Must pass to be able to graduate! Semester 1 of grade 12 	 Minimum of 30 hours required for graduation Optional 80-hour program is available Questions? See Ms. Keon in Room B214

Questions about CLC? See Ms. Morabito or Ms. Neves in Student Services



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

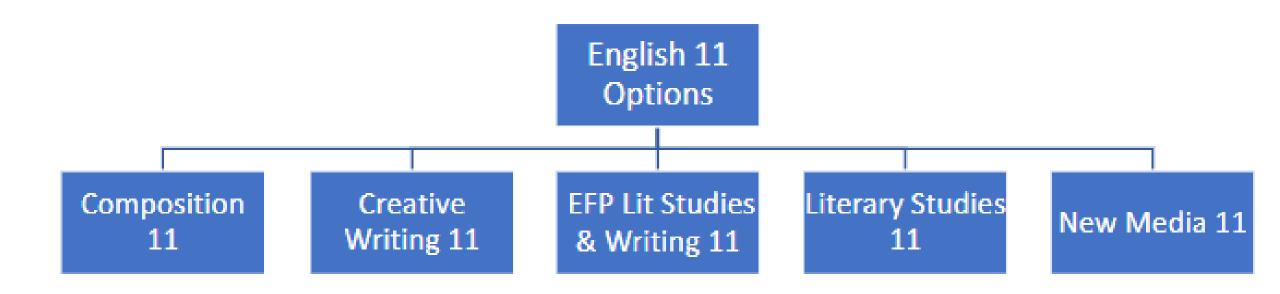
Grade 10		Grade 11		Grade 12
An English 10 Studies 10 10 10 10 Life Education	Social A Math Science PHE Career	An English 11 A Socials 11 or 12 A Math 11 ce 11 CLC 11 (on Teams)	A Scien	An English 12 A Grade 12 class A Grade 12 class A Grade 12 class CLC 12 (on Teams)

Each course is worth 4 credits and you need a minimum of 80 credits to graduate

Additional graduation requirements: an ADST or Fine Arts course (one in grade 10, 11, or 12), an Indigenous focused course, minimum of 28 elective credits, minimum 30 hours of volunteer/work experience, Literacy 10 assessment, Numeracy 10 assessment, Literacy 12 assessment



ENGLISH 11 OPTONS



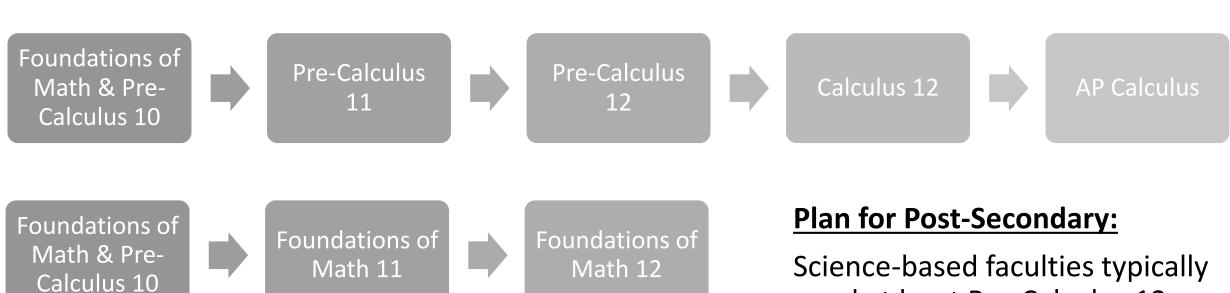


SOCIAL STUDIES 11/12 OPTIONS

Fulfil Socials 11/12 Graduation Requirement	Electives (do not fulfil Socials grad requirement)		
Explorations in Social Studies 11	Psychology 12		
Law Studies 12	AP Psychology		
Philosophy 12			
Social Justice 12	Note: This graduation requirement can be		
Human Geography 12	completed in grade 11 or 12, and additional senior-level Social Studies classes (including Special Interest classes) can be taken as		
20 th Century World History 12			
Contemporary Indigenous Studies 12 Genocide Studies 12 BC First Peoples (Outdoor Education)	electives.		



MATH 11 OPTIONS



Workplace Math 10



Workplace Math 11

Science-based faculties typically need at least Pre-Calculus 12

Non-science faculties often accept Foundations of Math 12

Trades programs may accept Workplace Math 11



NEW COURSES

- Social Justice Leadership 12
- Recreation Leadership 11 & 12
- Genocide Studies 12
- History of Math 11
- Food Leadership 11 & 12



LANGUAGE CHALLENGE EXAM

- If you fluently speak, read, and write Farsi, French, Japanese, Korean,
 Mandarin, Punjabi, or Spanish, you can write an exam to get Grade 11 or
 12 credit for one of these languages
- In October, get an application package from your counsellor when we announce that they are available
- Submit it by the due date in early November (along with the fee of \$50 for BC residents or \$205 for International students)
- Write the exam in January in Delta... get a passing grade and get credit!
- Covers university language requirement but cannot be used for admission averages



GRADE 11 COURSE OPTIONS

A list of all course options for Grade 11s is available at:

https://central.burnabyschools.ca/students/course-selection/



ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP)

AP Courses offer:

- access to rigorous college-level work
- exploration of subjects at a deeper level of learning
- development of confidence, time management and study skills
- advancement of research and communication skills
- increased creative, problem-solving, and analytical skills
- 4 credits per course towards graduation requirements
- possible credit for first-year university courses

Please visit our website for current AP course options:

https://central.burnabyschools.ca/students/course-selection/



Additional Language Requirements

- Some universities require specific language requirements
- For example
 - SFU
 - English Language Requirement: minimum of <u>3 years</u> of study in English in Canada, or 6.5 IELTS/ 88 TOEFL
 - More information found at https://www.sfu.ca/students/admission/admission-requirements/english-language-requirement.html
 - UBC
 - English Language Admission Requirements: minimum of <u>4 years</u> of study in English in Canada, or 6.5 IELTS/ 90TOEFL
 - More information found at https://you.ubc.ca/applying-ubc/requirements/english-language-competency/
- Testing
 - <u>IELTS</u>: International English Language Testing System required if schooling has not been in an English-speaking environment for the last 3 or 4 years
 - <u>TOEFL:</u> generally required if schooling has not been in an English-speaking environment for the last 3 or 4 years depending on the institution



SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer school registration opens in April at

https://burnabyschools.ca/summersession

- Students going into grade 11 are welcome to register for any Grade 11 summer school class
- Grade 11 summer school classes provide advanced credit for the following school year – students should request the next level of the course they plan to take in summer school (e.g., taking Pre-Calculus 11 in summer school, request Pre-Calculus 12 in your course requests)



START THINKING ABOUT POST-SECONDARY





GRAD vs POST-SECONDARY REQUIREMENTS

Graduation Requirements	Faculty of Science at UBC
An English 11	
A Math 11	
A Science 11	Chemistry 11 AND Physics 11
Social Studies 11 or 12	
Career Life Connections 11 AND 12	
An English 12	An English 12
Any Grade 12 level course	Pre-Calculus 12
Any Grade 12 level course	Anatomy and Physiology 12, or Chemistry 12, or Physics 12
Any Grade 12 level course	Three other Grade 12 level courses
An Indigenous-focused course	



COMPARING ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Faculty of Science at SFU	Faculty of Science at UBC
An English 11	
Pre-Calculus 11 or Foundations of Mathematics 11	
Chemistry 11 AND Physics 11	Chemistry 11 AND Physics 11
Social Studies 11 or 12	
An English 12 (min 70%)	An English 12 (min 70%)
Pre-Calculus 12	Pre-Calculus 12 (min 67%)
Two of: Anatomy and Physiology 12, or Chemistry 12, or Physics 12, or Calculus 12	One of: Anatomy and Physiology 12, or Chemistry 12, or Physics 12
One other Grade 12 level academic course	Three other Grade 12 level courses



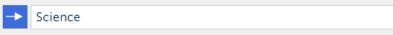
Post-Secondary
requirments can
change! Please
make sure you are
doing the research
to be prepared for
course selection.

General admission requirements

- Graduation from high school
- Minimum of 70% in Grade 11 or Grade 12 English (or their equivalents)
- At least six academic/non-academic Grade 12 courses (recommended, but not required)

Degree-specific requirements

If you know what you want to study, select a degree below. Not sure? Get tips on choosing a degree.



Science

Grade 12 requirements

- English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12
- Pre-Calculus 12
- Anatomy and Physiology 12, or Chemistry 12, or Physics 12

Grade 11 requirements

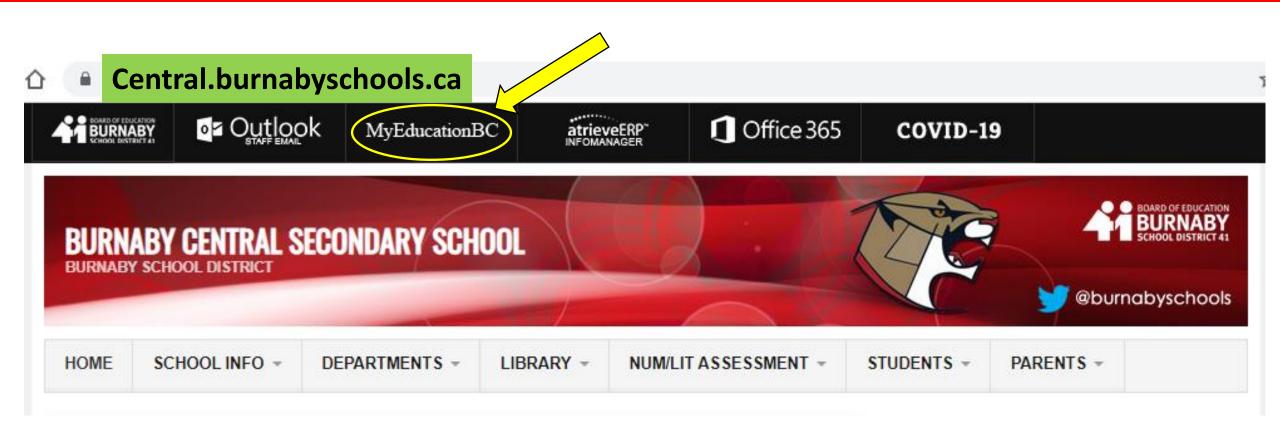
For students starting September 2025:

- Any English Language Arts 11 or any English First Peoples 11
- A language 11 or waiver (includes all second language courses, including all Indigenous languages of Canada, but excludes introductory Grade 11 language courses)
- Chemistry 11
- Physics 11
- Pre-Calculus 11 or Foundations of Mathematics 12

For students starting September 2026:

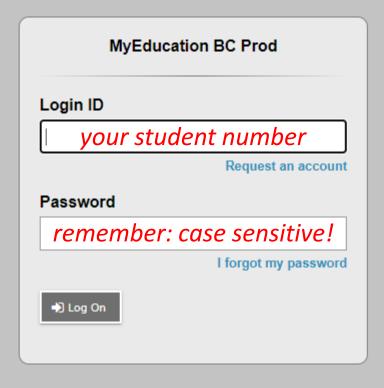
- Chemistry 11
- Physics 11







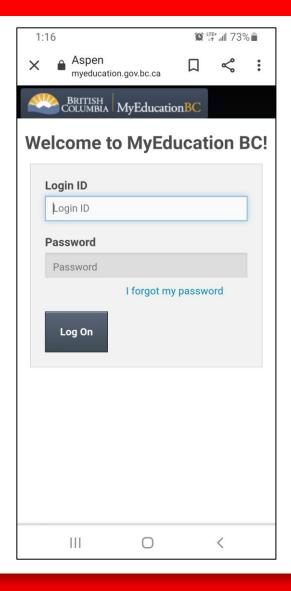


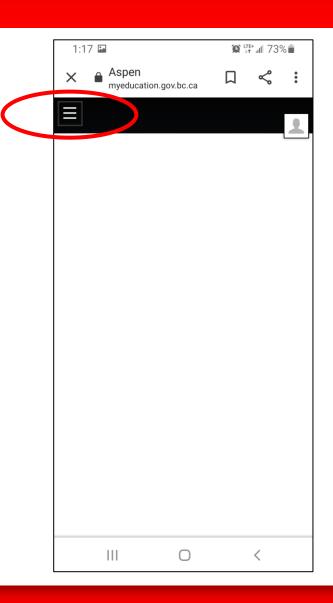


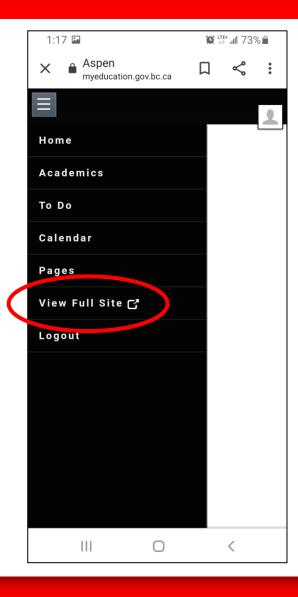
- If you have forgotten your password, try the "I forgot my password" link
- If that doesn't work, ask for a new password at the Main Office



WHEN USING A CELL PHONE...



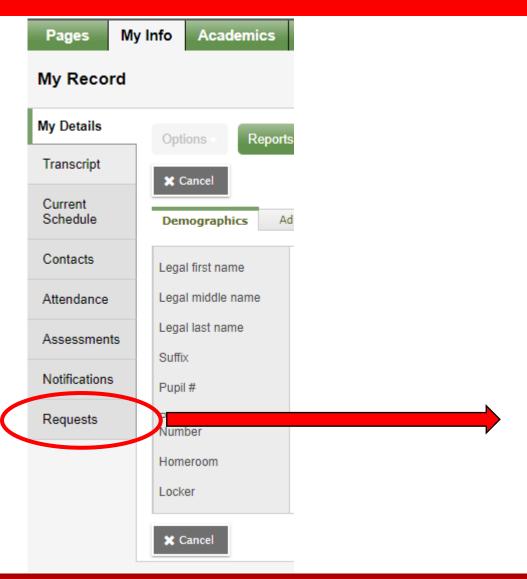












Welcome to Burnaby Central!



Course Selection 2021-2022

For more information on course selection, please refer to the Course Selection Webpage on the Central website.

For more information on Graduation Requirements, please refer to the Ministry of Education's Certificates of Graduation webpage.

REQUIRED COURSES:

Please select at least one course from each of the following departments.

- ENGLISH
- MATHEMATICS
- SCIENCE
- SOCIAL STUDIES

ELECTIVE COURSES:

Grade 11 students must select Elective Courses from the following departments.

- ADVANCED PLACEMENT (AP)
- BUSINESS EDUCATION
- CAREER PROGRAMS (80 HR WORK EXPERIENCE)
- DANCE
- DRAMA
- HOME ECONOMICS
- LANGUAGES
- LEADERSHIP
- MUSIC
- PHYSICAL & HEALTH EDUCATION
- TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION
- VISUAL ART

OUTSIDE THE TIMETABLE COURSES:

CHOIR, DANCE & THEATRE:

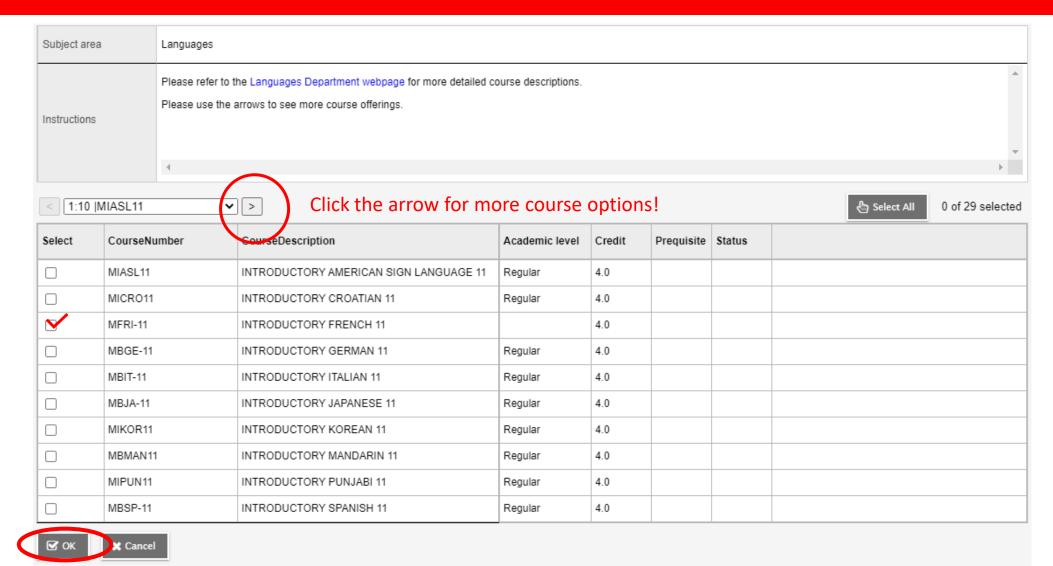


Primary requests

	Subject area	SchoolCourse > CrsNo	SchoolCourse > Description
Select	English		
Select	Mathematics		
Select	Science		
Select	Social Studies		
Select	AP Courses		
Select	Business Education		
Select	Career Programs		
Select	Dance		
Select	Drama		
Select	Home Economics		
Select	Languages		
Select	Leadership		
Select	Music		
Select	Physical Education		
Select	Technology Education		
Select	Visual Arts		
Select	English Language Learning		

Notes for counsellor







Primary requests

	Subject area	SchoolCourse > CrsNo	SchoolCourse > Description	Name
Select	English	MEFLS11	EFP LITERARY STUDIES & WRITING 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	Mathematics	MPREC11	PRE-CALCULUS 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
₺ Select	Science	MCH11	CHEMISTRY 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
		MPH11	PHYSICS 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	Social Studies	MHGEO12	HUMAN GEOGRAPHY 12	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	AP Courses	APSY-12	AP PSYCHOLOGY 12	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	Business Education			
Select	Career Programs			
Select	Dance			
Select	Drama	MDRTC11	THEATRE COMPANY 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	Home Economics			
Select	Languages			
Select	Leadership	YCPA-1A	LEADERSHIP 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	Music			
Select	Physical Education			
Select	Technology Education			
Select	Visual Arts	MVAMT11	MEDIA ARTS 11	Burnaby Central Secondary
Select	English Language Learning			

Count to make sure you have at least 8 classes and double-check your choices!



Last posted time:

Approved time:

If you don't click "Post" it won't save!



COURSE SELECTION DEADLINE

To complete your course selection, you will need to...

- Know your MyEd log-in (student number & password)
- Log in to MyEd
- Enter your course requests
- Click "Post" to save your requests
- Tell your parent/guardian what you have entered

SUBMIT YOUR COURSE SELECTIONS BY FEBRUARY 28th!!



COUNSELLING TEAM

A - G



Ms. Westinghouse

H-L & Indigenous



Ms. Lawrence





Ms. Jones & Mr. Dunse

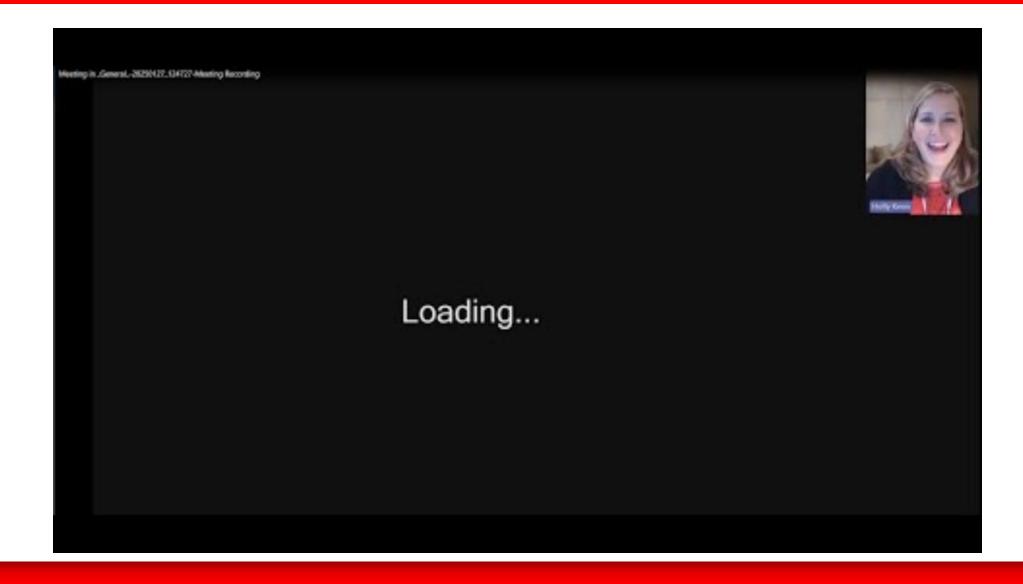




Ms. Dhaliwal



Work Experience & District Programs







Thanks for listening!

