



EDMONTON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

"THE MISSION OF EDMONTON CATHOLIC SCHOOL OF ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION IS TO PROVIDE A CATHOLIC EDUCATION THAT EMPOWERS STUDENTS TO ACHIEVE THEIR HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA OR ACHIEVE HIGH SCHOOL COMPLETION AS THEY GROW AND DEVELOP THROUGH FLEXIBLE, ALTERNATIVE, EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN A CHRIST CENTERED ATMOSPHERE."

ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

Student Services provides alternative educational opportunities and programs to high school students within the Edmonton Catholic Schools' community. The student-centred programs are highlighted by programs for students in need of an alternative delivery model. As society evolves, so must our education system adapt to change.

AVAILABLE PROGRAMS

- Dual Credit
- PASS (Part-Time Alternative Self-Paced School)
- Second Language Course Challenge
- Diploma Preparation Sessions
- Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP)
- Work Experience
- Trades Careers Semester Program
- Summer School
- Summer School Trades Career Program

DUAL CREDIT

Dual Credit opportunities allow students to get a head start on their future by exploring areas of interest in high school. Students are able to enroll in post-secondary courses, earning both high school and post-secondary credits at the same time. Courses will be offered in the areas of Veterinary/Animal Sciences, Health Fields & Nursing, Psychology, Aviation, Police Studies, Business, Sciences, Administration, Accounting, Early Learning and Information Technology.

Each of these courses/programs can be a stepping stone to exciting careers in multiple areas. Students in Edmonton Catholic Schools will be able to explore their passions and interests within their own high school environment.

PASS

PASS is an Alternative Education high school after hours program for students who want a self-paced, individualized approach to their education. Courses are offered in modules (self-paced resources) broken up into smaller units to be completed independently (asynchronously) with the help of a certified teacher.

The teacher and the student determine appropriate goals and can set personalized schedules.

*** All assessments are in person.

The program currently operates from four ECSD locations and is available from September to June, every Monday and Wednesday from 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM.





**FOR ADDITIONAL
INFORMATION AND TO
REGISTER FOR DUAL
CREDIT OR PASS
VISIT: AE.ECSD.NET**

LOCATIONS

PASS CARDINAL COLLINS CLAREVIEW
3802-139 Avenue

PASS HOLY TRINITY AND DUAL CREDIT
7007-28 Avenue

PASS ST. JOSEPH AND DUAL CREDIT
10830-109 Street

PASS LOUIS ST. LAURENT
11230-42 Avenue

DUAL CREDIT MOTHER MARGARET MARY
2010 Leger Road



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SECOND LANGUAGE COURSE CHALLENGE

Current ECSD high school students have the opportunity to demonstrate proficiency (culture, speaking, reading, writing) in one of six languages Filipino, French, Italian, Polish, Spanish and Ukrainian.

- Students will receive a mark and receive five '30 level' credits for the challenged Second Language course (if successful)
- The student will also receive waived prerequisite credits and a "P" (pass) for courses lower in the course sequence
- Students must speak with the teacher designate at their high school for registration information
- Students may challenge one exam only

For all curricular questions, please speak with your high school designate. For all registration questions, please contact 780-441-6080.



DIPLOMA PREPARATION

Edmonton Catholic School of Alternative Education offers a diploma exam preparation program to assist students to prepare for provincial diploma exams.

This program will be offered at Lumen Christi Catholic Education Centre during the month of January and June.

Lumen Christi Catholic Education
Centre

Address: 9405-50 St NW

Phone: 780-441-6080



WORK EXPERIENCE & RAP (REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM)

The School of Alternative Education in partnership with ECSD High Schools offer an off-campus experience to support students interested in Work Experience and/or the Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP).

The School of Alternative Education is committed to supporting ECSD High School students that qualify for one of these programs. If the school Principal approves student participation in these programs and the student requires the program for high school completion, post-secondary, or career aspirations, the School of Alternative Education will also support the request.

REGISTERED APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM (RAP)

RAP students are both full-time students and registered apprentices, dividing their time between an approved work site and their high school studies. They take regular courses such as English Language Arts, Social Studies, Science and Math in order to earn their Alberta High School Diploma or Certificate of Achievement.

The time a RAP student spends at school and on the work site can be quite flexible. The student, school and employer jointly agree on a suitable schedule. The student might work as a RAP apprentice for a semester, for half of each school day, or for one or two days per week, or during summers, holidays and weekends. The RAP apprenticeship ends when the RAP apprentice finishes high school.

The RAP apprentice is then automatically registered as a regular apprentice and the credit earned while in the RAP program is applied to his or her apprenticeship through the apprenticeship program.



WORK EXPERIENCE

THIS PROGRAM GIVES EDMONTON CATHOLIC SCHOOL DIVISION STUDENTS AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCOVER THEIR CAREER INTERESTS IN MEANINGFUL WORK ACTIVITIES, SITUATED IN COMMUNITY-BASED WORK SITES IN BUSINESS, INDUSTRY, GOVERNMENT, AND COMMUNITY SERVICE.

TRADES AND CAREERS SEMESTER PROGRAM

Edmonton Catholic Schools and The Educational Partnership Foundation (TEPF) are excited to offer 3rd, 4th, and 5th year ECSD students the opportunity to participate in the TEPF Trades Careers Semester Program at NO COST!

This program will provide students with hands-on learning experiences in trades industry settings, with a focus on practical applications and safety awareness.



PREREQUISITE COURSES:

- **HCS3000** - If a student has not already completed this course, contact Fernando Guido at Fernando.Guido@ecsd.net
- **Construction Safety Training Systems (CSTS/2020)** - If a student has not already completed this course, register and complete the course at the following website for free: <https://youracsa.csod.com/LMS/LoDetails/DetailsLo.aspx?loid=364890bb-b85c-41d2-9b8e-ffc4c6c34f55#t=1>

STUDENTS WILL:

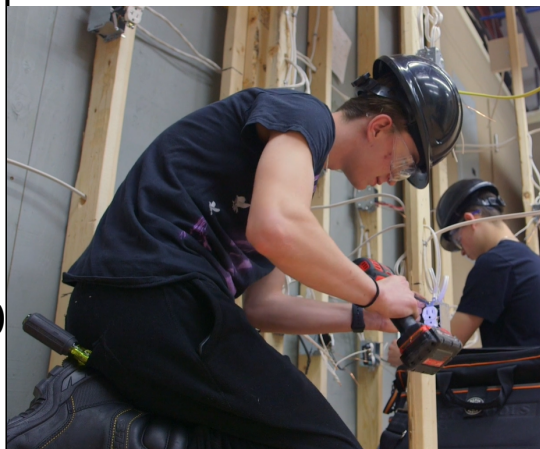
- earn high school Work Experience* credits
- earn industry safety credentials, such as First Aid, Fall Protection, and Aerial Work Platform
- obtain hands-on industry training
- get a head start on a career pathway while still in high school
- learn from experienced journey person instructors
- learn about potential training and employment opportunities
- gain theoretical and practical applications of safety awareness and workplace competencies

SUMMER SCHOOL TRADES CAREERS

WITH THE EDUCATIONAL PARTNERSHIP
FOUNDATION, ECSO ALTERNATIVE
EDUCATION IS OFFERING A TREMENDOUS
OPPORTUNITY FOR HIGH SCHOOL
STUDENTS INTERESTED IN THE SUMMER
SCHOOL TRADES CAREERS PROGRAM AT
NO COST!

PREREQUISITE COURSES:

- Students will be required to have completed the following prerequisite courses prior to the start of their respective program
- English 10-2 and Math 10-3 (or equivalent).
- **HCS3000** - If a student has not already completed this course, contact Fernando Guido at Fernando.Guido@ecsd.net
- **Construction Safety Training Systems (CSTS/2020)**
- If a student has not already completed this course, register and complete the course at the following website for free:
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Students will receive work experience credits (5 credits with the exception of 3 credits for the Boilermaker trade).

Training takes place in an industry setting by journey person instructors.

- Explore the possibility of careers related to the TRADES
- Possibility of job placements for successful candidates
- Closing ceremony and completion certificate

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

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Possible Student Schedules

Planning for RAP or Trades and Careers Semester Program

Sample Student Schedule #1 For Students Interested in Trades and Careers Semester Program or RAP Program
 Student Receiving 100 Credits Required to Graduate (Includes a Second Language Class to 30 level)

GRADE 10

Blocks	Semester One		Semester Two
1	English 10 Level		Social 10 Level
2	Math 10 Level		Science 10 Level
LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH
3	Physical Education 10 Level	Religion 15	Second Language Course (Ex. French 10)
4	CTS/FA Class 10 Level	CTS/FA Class 10 Level	CTS/FA Class 10 Level

Grade 11|

Blocks	Semester One		Semester Two
1	English 20 Level		Social 20 Level
2	Math 20 Level		Science 20 Level
LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH
3	CALM	Religion 25	Second Language Course (Ex. French 20)
4	CTS/FA Class 20 Level	CTS/FA Class 20 Level	CTS/FA Class 20 Level

GRADE 12

Blocks	Semester One		Semester Two
1	English 30 Level		STUDENT OFF SCHOOL CAMPUS ATTENDING TRADES CAREERS SEMESTER PROGRAM (10 credits) OR RAP PROGRAM (40 possible credits applied towards high school diploma)
2	Social 30 Level		
LUNCH	LUNCH		
3	Second Language Course (Ex. French 30)		
4	Religion 35	CTS Class 30 Level	

Please note: Interested students must have completed the following prerequisite courses before the program begins: HCS3000 AND CSTS/2020



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Possible Student Schedules

Planning for RAP or Trades and Careers Semester Program

Sample Student Schedule #2 For Students Interested in Trades and Careers Semester Program or RAP Program

Student Receiving 100 Credits Required to Graduate, along with completing 30 level Math and Science classes and CTS/FA at 30 level)

GRADE 10

Blocks	Semester One		Semester Two	
1	English 10 Level		Social 10 Level	
2	Math 10 Level		Science 10 Level	
LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH	
3	Physical Education 10 Level	Religion 15	Religion 25	CTS/FA Class 10 Level
4	CTS/FA Class 10 Level	CTS/FA Class 10 Level	CTS/FA Class 10 Level	

Grade 11

Blocks	Semester One		Semester Two	
1	Science 20 Level		Social 20 Level	
2	Math 20 Level		Science 20 Level (Science, Chemistry, Biology, Physics)	
LUNCH	LUNCH		LUNCH	
3	CALM	Religion 35	Math 30 Level	
4	CTS/FA Class 20 Level	CTS/FA Class 20 Level	English 20 Level	

GRADE 12

Blocks	Semester One	Semester Two
1	Science 30 Level (Science, Chemistry, Biology, Physics)	STUDENT OFF SCHOOL CAMPUS ATTENDING TRADES CAREERS SEMESTER PROGRAM (10 credits) OR RAP PROGRAM (40 possible credits applied towards high school diploma)
2	Social 30 Level	
LUNCH	LUNCH	
3	English 30 Level	
4	CTS/FA Class 30 Level	

Please note: Interested students must have completed the following prerequisite courses before the program begins: HCS3000 AND CSTS/2020

Possible Student Schedules

Planning for RAP or Trades and Careers Semester Program

Sample Student Schedule #3|For Students Interested in Trades and Careers Semester Program or RAP Program
 Student Receiving 100 Credits Required to Graduate, along with taking classes in Summer School

GRADE 10

Blocks	Semester One	Semester Two
1	English 10 Level	Social 10 Level
2	Math 10 Level	Science 10 Level
LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
3	Physical Education 10 Level	CTS Class 10 Level
4	CTS Class 10 Level	Religion 25 CTS Class 10 Level

SUMMER SCHOOL – SOCIAL STUDIES 20 LEVEL

Grade 11

Blocks	Semester One	Semester Two
1	Science 20 Level	English 20 Level
2	Math 20 Level	Science 20 Level
LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH
3	CALM Religion 35	Math 30 Level
4	CTS Class 20 Level	Physical Education 20 Level

SUMMER SCHOOL – SCIENCE 30 LEVEL

GRADE 12

Blocks	Semester One	Semester Two
1	English 30 Level	STUDENT OFF SCHOOL CAMPUS ATTENDING TRADES CAREERS SEMESTER PROGRAM (10 credits) OR RAP PROGRAM (40 possible credits applied towards high school diploma)
2	Social 30 Level	
LUNCH	LUNCH	
3	Physical Education 30 Level	
4	CTS Class 30 Level	

Please note: Please note: Interested students must have completed the following prerequisite courses before the program begins: HCS3000 AND CSTS/2020



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SUMMER SCHOOL



ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION

For students requiring further instruction, or those wishing to improve their course mark, Edmonton Catholic School of Alternative Education offers a summer school program. This program is offered in classroom-based, self paced and online delivery models.

Regular classroom-based delivery model is offered at four ECSD High Schools as well as French Immersion program offered at J.H. Picard.

All summer school sites have a structure of scheduled courses with daily instruction from a qualified ECSD teacher.

Immersed within these sites are summer school programs for our EAL Learners (English as an additional language) and Indigenous students.

MORE INFORMATION

Braided Journeys - Partnership to provide programming for students through the Braided Journeys program during Summer School

Actions for Health Communities - Partnership with One World... One Center to provide summer school programming for Newcomer ECSD students

Dual Credit - Summer school provides dual credit programming to high school students who are looking to earn post-secondary and high school credits simultaneously while attending high school.

The classroom-based, self paced and online delivery modules have full day classes, five days per week for approximately four weeks in July and offer many core subjects and complimentary subjects.

- All assessments are in person for all delivery methods. Accommodations will not be made for holidays or missed exams/assessments
- Accepting all ECSD students under 20 years of age as of September 1, of the current school year.
- Current Grade 9 students, who are entering Grade 10, may only register for 3 credit courses.
- English 30-1 and Social 30-1 are not offered through self-paced delivery.
- *Not all courses are being offered at each location. Courses offered can be viewed by logging into your Alternative Education Online Registration Account.*

For more info visit: ae.ecsd.net

CLASSROOM-BASED DELIVERY METHOD AND LOCATIONS

Offers a traditional approach to learning within a classroom environment. Learn with direct instruction from an Edmonton Catholic School Division teacher using a wide range of instructional methods.

*One 3 credit or one 5 credit course is a maximum course load for classroom-based summer school.

Attendance:

Students must be in Edmonton for the duration of the course, regardless of delivery method. Accommodations will not be made for holidays or missed exams/assessments.

LOCATIONS

Archbishop O'Leary High School -
8760-132 Avenue

Louis St. Laurent High School -
11230-43 Avenue

St. Francis Xavier Catholic High School -
9250-163 Street

**(French Immersion only) Ecole J.H.
Picard Catholic
Elementary/Junior/Senior High School -**
7055-99 Street



SELF-PACED DELIVERY METHOD AND LOCATIONS

Offers instruction for self-motivated students within a module-based learning environment. Students can access one-on-one support from curriculum specialized Edmonton Catholic School Division teachers.

*Two 3 credit or one 5 credit course is a maximum course load for self-paced summer school.

Religion students must complete 10 community service hours.

Assessment:

All exams/assessments are in person.

Note: Self-paced CALM and Religion courses do not have in-person assessments.

Students should be available to pick up and drop off modules and meet with their teacher as required.

LOCATIONS

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre Clareview -

3802-139 Avenue

Holy Trinity High School -

7007-28 Avenue

Mother Margaret Mary Catholic High School - 2010 Leger Road



Attendance

Students must be in Edmonton for the duration of the course, regardless of delivery method.

Accommodations will not be made for holidays or missed exams/assessments.

All students enrolled in English, Math, Science and Social courses must attend the first five days of programming and until 50% of the course is complete.

ONLINE DELIVERY METHOD AND LOCATION

Offers a unique approach to online learning in that students can participate in an *asynchronous classroom environment supported by Edmonton Catholic School Division teachers.

*Asynchronous learning allows students to access all material needed for the course at any time so students can work at their own pace to complete in the given timeline. Should students have questions, the teacher will be available for support (via Teams, email, or in-person) during the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

LOCATION

Lumen Christi Catholic Education Centre - 9405-50 Street



Assessment

All exams/assessments are in person between the hours of 8:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at Lumen Christi throughout the summer school term; therefore, students must be on site for all required exams/assessments. All coursework must be submitted by the set deadlines.

Note: Online CALM and Phys Ed classes do not require in-person assessments.

Attendance

Students must be in Edmonton for the duration of the course, regardless of delivery method. Accommodations will not be made for holidays or missed exams/assessments.

FOR MORE INFORMATION REGARDING THE SCHOOL OF ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION:

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LOCATION

**Lumen Christi Catholic Education
Centre** - 9405-50 Street

QR CODE FOR MORE INFORMATION



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OTHER PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

CARDINAL COLLINS CATHOLIC ACADEMIC CENTRES

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centres (formerly Fresh Start) are student-centered, self-paced programs for senior high school students who are not attending a traditional senior high school. Students have access to all levels of high school courses with a flexible schedule and one-on-one support from on-site Teacher Advisors.

For More Information Contact:

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LOCATIONS

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre (The Hallway) City Centre Campus

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1 Sir Winston Churchill Sq (City Hall)

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre Clareview Campus

780-944-2002

3802-139 Avenue

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre Mill Woods Campus

780-944-2003

7630-38 Avenue

Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre Westmount Campus

780-451-4719

11625-135 Street

OTHER PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

OUR LADY OF GRACE

Our Lady of Grace is an Edmonton Catholic School District Program that supports pregnant and parenting teens (female and male) while they are completing school.

We are available to support Edmonton Catholic Schools students, parents, or staff regarding issues related to pregnancy and parenting.

More Information:

To contact the Our Lady of Grace staff directly, please call the office at 780- 944-2002, or 780-721-0862.

ALBERTA HEALTH SERVICES INTENSIVE TREATMENT SERVICES (AHS)

Alberta Health Services operates a program whereby a multidisciplinary team serves clients with addictions from the ages of 12 to 18 years of age. Although the main goal of this program is to equip clients with tools to deal with their addictions, clients have daily access to school blocks where Cardinal Collins Catholic Academic Centre teachers provide them with all the courses necessary to continue their junior and senior high school programs. All student program referrals are submitted through (AHS).

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OTHER PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

ASSESSMENT SUPPORT INTERVENTION SUCCESS TEAM (ASIST)

The Assessment Support and Intervention Success Team (ASIST) offers integrated and wrap-around interventions and supports to at-risk

Grades 7-12 students within Edmonton Catholic Schools. The focus is pro-active. A team consisting of a consultant/teacher, a social worker and other partnering professionals from community agencies will provide the supports needed so the students involved can be successful in their learning environment and develop the attitudes and skills needed to become a good citizen.

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INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION

The International Student Program welcomes students from other countries and faiths to participate in our education programs.

This program delivers the Alberta Education curriculum to students within a Christ-centred learning community.

We offer an outstanding education program for all students with a strong commitment to individual achievement and success.

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OTHER PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

HOME EDUCATION

We are a registering authority that oversees parent(s)/guardian(s) choosing Home Education. Alternative Education supports Home Education by collaborating with families and their home school through 'parent-led' education.

Home Education allows parent(s)/guardian(s) to be their child's primary educator. They are responsible for managing, delivering, and supervising their child's courses of study. The goal of this program is to develop academic programming that meets Alberta Education Home Education regulations.

We believe that the ideal model is one where the school administration, teachers and parents can work closely together to support student success.

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