

SUMMARY OF REQUIRED AREAS OF STUDY AND RECOMMENDED TIME ALLOTMENTS

KINDERGARTEN TO GRADE 9

COMMON CORE	Grades K to 3 <small>(* in the primary years, teachers determine time allotments for each required subject area)</small>	Grade 4	Grades 5, 6 and 7	Grade 8	Grade 9
Humanities	*	35%	35%	35%	30%
Language Arts	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Social Studies	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Second Language			✓	✓	
Mathematics, Science and Technology (ICT)	*	30%	30%	30%	30%
Mathematics	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Science	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Information and Communication Technologies	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)
Physical Education	*	10%	10%	10%	10%
	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Fine Arts	*	10%	10%	5%	5%
				✓ At least one Fine Arts subject	✓ At least one Fine Arts subject
Dance	✓	✓	✓		
Drama	✓	✓	✓		
Music	✓	✓	✓		
Visual Arts	✓	✓	✓		
Applied Skills	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	(Skills and concepts integrated in other subjects)	5%	5%
				✓ At least one Applied Skills subject	✓ At least one Applied Skills subject
Business Education					
Home Economics					
Technology Education					
Health and Career Education	*	5%	5%	5%	5%
	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
School boards are required to offer to each student enrolled in schools in the school district an amount of instructional time of no less than: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 450 hours per year for Kindergarten • 23 hours 45 minutes per school week for Grades 1-7 • 25 hours 45 minutes per school week for Grades 8-12 	In Grades 4 to 8, ten per cent additional time may be allocated to any of the above areas of study. Either provincial or locally developed curriculum may be used for additional time.			In Grade 9, fifteen per cent additional time may be applied to any of the above areas of study or courses from the graduation years. Provincial or locally developed curriculum may be used for additional time.	
Total	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%