

# HWCDSB

## Dual Credit with Mohawk College

### Mohawk @ School Communications

#### Program Details

##### Mohawk @ School Communications

The Mohawk @ School Communications Dual Credit program offers secondary school students the opportunity to earn **one** credit towards their Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD) while earning **one** college credit towards the completion of a college program.

This dual credit will be delivered by both a Mohawk College Instructor and a Secondary School Dual Credit Teacher through course equivalencies. The dual credit is scheduled to run in **one period** over the duration of the semester.

Please note that programs and courses available are subject to change.

Course Delivery	Location	Semester
Team Taught	Bishop Ryan St. John de Brébeuf	1 & 2 2

#### Course Descriptions

##### Secondary Course: English, Grade 12, College Preparation

This course emphasizes the consolidation of literacy, communication, and critical and creative thinking skills necessary for success in academic and daily life. Students will analyse a variety of informational and graphic texts, as well as literary texts from various countries and cultures, and create oral, written, and media texts in a variety of forms for practical and academic purposes. An important focus will be on using language with precision and clarity and developing greater control in writing. The course is intended to prepare students for college or the workplace.

##### Mohawk College Course: Communications D

An introductory college level English course. Through a variety of assignments, develop the reading, writing, critical and analytical skills essential for communicators in college and upon graduation. Teaches writing through the critical reading of various fiction and non-fiction materials and brings students with basic skills to college level foundational skills.

#### DUAL CREDIT @ HWCDSB

HWCDSB Dual Credit courses and programs are offered through the School College Work Initiative and in partnership with Mohawk College.

##### Students in Dual Credit:

- Have a chance to simultaneously earn both colleges credits and high school credits
- Experience college level programming while still in high school
- Can earn high school credits that count towards completion of the Ontario Secondary School Diploma
- Can earn college credits that can count toward a College Diploma or Certificate
- Engage in an exciting experience that will help to create a successful transition to college

There is no cost to the student for tuition, transportation, textbooks, or course materials.



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## Course Codes

### Dual Credit Course

### Course Code

English, Grade 12, College Preparation

ENG4C

Communications D

COMM11040

## Registration

### Eligibility

Students must be at least 17 years of age or will turn 17 while taking the Dual Credit course/program. Students who have completed all OSSD requirements (graduates) are not eligible to participate.

### How to Register

Students interested in registering for a Dual Credit are asked to contact the Student Services Department at their Secondary School.

## Additional Information and Resources

### Related Programs

Dual Credit courses and programs can count toward completion of Specialist High Skills Major (SHSM) programs and Ontario Youth Apprenticeship Programs (OYAP). Students in these programs are encouraged to explore the Dual Credit options available to them.

### Want to learn more?

For more information, please contact your Guidance Counsellor in the Student Services department at your secondary school or visit the HWCDSB myPath website: [pathtosuccess.ca](http://pathtosuccess.ca)

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