## Success in High School

The formula for success in high school is outlined below:

- Attendance: Attend school daily (unless ill or on a field trip) and arrive to class on time.
- Homework and Assignments: Complete all homework and assigned tasks. When you do no $\dagger$ understand something, ask for clarification and help.
- Study Time: Schedule time to review material regularly - reading over notes, reviewing the textbook, and understanding the concepts.
- Organization: Design and maintain a system to help keep track of materials, due dates, assessment dates, etc.
- Involvement: Get involved in at least one activity at school. This might be a team or club or some activity that is connected with a class.
- Tutorials: Plan on taking advantage of scheduled tutorials during Guided Learning (GL).
- Get rid of confusion: Confusion is a natural part of new situations and of learning. Try to deal with it as quickly as possible by accessing one of the many resources at Innisfail High.
- Affirmation: Celebrate successes at every opportunity.

| Student Characteristics | Grade 10 Core Courses |
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| - Good to excellent academic past performance <br> - Strong reading $\&$ writing skills <br> - Responds well to high standards <br> - Maintains a regular homework schedule <br> - Capable of working independently and shows initiative <br> - Strong problem solver <br> - Good organizational skills <br> - Can interpret and analyze more complex material <br> - May pursue post-secondary studies at a university or college and some technical institute programs | - ELA 10-1 <br> - Social Studies 10-1 <br> - Mathematics 10C <br> - Science 10 |
| - Good academic performance <br> - Needs to strengthen skill in reading, writing, math and/or organization <br> - Experiential Learner <br> - Maintains a regular homework schedule <br> - Has good organization skills <br> - More comfortable with concrete concepts and examples <br> - Need a structured introduction to new concepts <br> - Prefers to complete work in class <br> - Prefers step-by- step structure and directions <br> - May pursue post-secondary programs at the college or technical institute level | - ELA 10-2 <br> - Social Studies 10-2 |
| - May have experienced difficulty in subject area in prior grades <br> - Prefers a basic curriculum directed towards real life experiences <br> - Prefers concrete concepts over abstract concepts <br> - Needs to strengthen basic math skills <br> - May need to strengthen reading comprehension, vocabulary and speed <br> - Need good organizational skills <br> - Maintain a regular homework schedule <br> - May need extra structure and direction in the classroom | - Math 10-3 <br> - Science 14 |

## Possible goals:

## Graduate High School:

- planning to work (no plans to attend post-secondary or trade school)


## Minimum Courses Required:

English: 10-2, 20-2, and 30-2
Social: 10-2 20-2, and 30-2
Science: 14 and 24
Math: 10-3 and 20-3
PE 10 and CALM

## Attend Trade School:

- there is some flexibility depending on the trade, the higher level of Math/Science you have, the more likely you are to get in or get a RAP placement)

Minimum Courses Required:
English: 10-2, 20-2, and 30-2
Social: 10-2 20-2, and 30-2
Science: 10 and 20/Chem 20, sometimes 24
Math: 10C and 20-3
PE 10 and CALM

## Possible goals:

## College/University:

- planning to attend arts, some diploma(2 year) programs, nursing


## Minimum Courses Required:

English: 10-1, 20-1, 30-2(college)/ 30-1(Uni)
Social: 10-1 20-2, and 30-2
Science: 10 followed by 1-2 of Chem, Bio, Physics at the 20 then 30 level

Math: 10C and 20-2/20-1, then 30-2
PE 10 and CALM

## College/University:

- planning to attend engineering, computer science, business (these are usually 4 year)

Minimum Courses Required:
English: 10-1, 20-1, 30-1(Uni)
Social: 10-1, 20-1, and 30-1
Science: 10 followed by 2-3 of Chem, Bio, Physics at the 20 then 30 level

Math: 10C and 20-1, then 30-1, then CALC (Math 31)
PE 10 and CALM

| You took: | Math 9 with mark greater than 65\% | Math 9 with mark between 42-64\% | Mark less than 42\% |
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| You can take: | Mathematics 10C <br> Academic course for students who work independently, can access supports independently. | Mathematics 10 PREP then Math 10C <br> - Must fill out academic success form if below $50 \%$ <br> Students who have a strong work ethic, are willing to access a tutor if necessary, will attend GL, and complete homework daily | Mathematics 10-3 <br> Greater than 50\% in Mathematics 10-3 or Less than 50\% in Mathematics 10C |
| You can take: | Mathematics 20-1 <br> Recommended mark is greater than 65\% in Mathematics 10C | Mathematics 20-2 <br> Greater than 50\% in Mathematics 10C | Mathematics 20-3 <br> Greater than 50\% in Mathematics 10-3 <br> or Less than 50\% in Mathematics 10C |
| After Math 20, which course am I able to take? | Mathematics 30-1 <br> or <br> Mathematics 30-2 | Mathematics 30-2 <br> or <br> Mathematics 30-3 | Mathematics 30-3 |
| Which course should I take? | Interested in a University or College program in the field of: <br> - Science <br> - Engineering <br> - Accounting <br> - Business <br> - Some Technical Institute programs or <br> Your teacher recommends you take it | Interested in a University or College program in the field of: <br> - Arts <br> - Some Trades <br> - Some Agricultural programs <br> - Some Technical Institute programs | Interested in a College program in the field of: <br> - Some Trades <br> - Some Agricultural programs <br> or <br> You are fulfilling the prerequisite of a 20 level Math for graduation requirements (Math 20-3) |




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[^0]:    ${ }^{1}$ Students who have achieved a final mark of $50 \%$ or greater in any one of Biology 20 ,
    Chemistry 20, Physics 20, or Science 20 may enrol in Science 30.

[^1]:    - Possible Progression

