



Science For Citizens 11

Course Outline

Course Overview

Science for Citizens 11 prepares students for science in the workplace and focuses on real-world, practical applications of science.

Course Content and Suggested Timelines

- **Unit 1:** Health and Nutrition
- **Unit 2:** Science at Home
- **Unit 3:** Science at Work
- **Unit 4:** Weather and Climate
- **Unit 5:** Sustainability
- **Unit 6:** Forensic Science

One semester timeline: Spend 3 weeks / Unit

Two semester timeline: Spend 6 weeks / Unit

Course Materials

No textbook is required for this course.

Assessment Information

The prescribed learning outcomes for this course are available at:

<https://curriculum.gov.bc.ca/curriculum/science/11/science-for-citizens>

Item	Weight
Learning Guides	30%
Projects	40%
Tests	30%

Supervised and Invigilated Exams:

All tests are "closed book". Units 1, 3, 4, 5 tests should be done at home with an adult supervisor. You must email me for the password and let me know who will supervise your test. Unit 2 & Unit 6 are invigilated tests. Email me one week in advance of the date you hope to write the test and I will arrange for an online invigilator to contact you to make arrangements that work for you.

Number of invigilated tests in this course: 2 (unit 2, Unit 6)

Invigilated exams need to be invigilated by an EBUS approved invigilators. Please contact your course teacher if you have questions or concerns about invigilated exams.

When students are not meeting the learning outcomes/ falling behind

When students fall behind the expected pace or plan, they will be contacted via email or phone and if there is no improvement or response, parents will also be contacted. If deemed necessary, contact with the student's home school may also occur to help determine a solution.

Students are expected to let the course teacher know when they are struggling with course content. In response, the course teacher will provide appropriate help or strategies to support learning. The course teacher will also provide feedback on course work to support learning and help students improve. Parents will be made aware if their child is actively working but struggling to meet the learning outcomes of the course.

Students falling behind in a manner where it does not appear that they will complete the course within a year will be sent reminder emails. Without a response or renewed efforts in the course, the student may be assigned an F or withdrawn. Should they begin actively working in the course, the student may be given an alternate completion date.

Expectations

- Adhere to the EBUS Academic Integrity Policy
- Contact your teacher when help is needed
- Review feedback from assignments and tests, where applicable
- Work to complete the course in a timely manner
- Communicate respectfully
- Review weekly progress reports

Reporting to Parents:

There are 4 term report cards that can be downloaded from the student dashboard. A notice will go out when these report cards are available.

Every 2nd week that EBUS is in Session, the teacher will send out a progress report showing the student's progress.

Contacting Your Teacher:

Your teacher will be available 5 days/week during regular school hours. If you are having trouble with any concepts, please contact your teacher right away!

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