



Dual Dogwood for French Immersion Students: Summary of Requirements

Information pertaining to school years 2016/2017 and 2017/2018¹

French Immersion students can earn both a British Columbia Certificate of Graduation (Dogwood Diploma) and a *Diplôme de fin d'études secondaires en Colombie-Britannique*.

In order to graduate with both diplomas and as per the [Graduation Program Order](#), French Immersion students are required to earn **a total of 80 credits including:**

- **64** credits in the subject areas set out in the table below, and
- **16** elective credits.

Please note that of these credits French Immersion students must earn:

- at least 16 credits at the Grade 12 level (including Français langue seconde – immersion 12)
- at least 12 credits in Grade 10, 11, or 12 courses that are in French with at least 4 of those credits at the Grade 11 or 12 level (excluding Graduation Transitions)*

	Required Subject Areas	Minimum Number of Credits Required	Graduation Program Examination
1	<u>Language Arts</u>		
	Français langue seconde – immersion 10	4 credits	
	English Language Arts 10	4 credits	
	Français langue seconde – immersion 11 or IB French A2 (SL) 11	4 credits	
	English Language Arts 11	4 credits	
	Français langue seconde – immersion 12	4 credits	Required
	English Language Arts 12	4 credits	Required
2	<u>Social Studies</u>		
	A Social Studies 10 course	4 credits	
	A Social Studies 11 course or B.C. First Nations 12	4 credits	
3	<u>Science</u>		
	A Science 10 course	4 credits	
	A Science 11 or 12 course	4 credits	
4	<u>Mathematics</u>		
	A Mathematics 10 course	4 credits	
	A Mathematics 11 or 12 course	4 credits	
5	<u>Physical Education</u>		
	A Physical Education 10 course	4 credits	
6	<u>Fine Arts and Applied Skills</u>		

¹ As part of the [BC's curriculum modernization](#), graduation requirements are currently under review and will be updated as of school year 2018/2019.



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	A Fine Arts and/or Applied Skills 10, 11 or 12 course	4 credits	
7	<u>Planning</u>		
	Planning 10	4 credits	
8	<u>Graduation Transitions</u>	4 credits	

*Graduation Transitions does not count toward the additional 12 credits of courses taught in French requirement.