

Making a Plan



“The important thing is not to stop questioning.” - Albert Einstein

For this **final assignment**, you will discover exactly what courses you will need in order to graduate and be eligible for your post secondary program of choice. You will also create an information page about a specific project, which will be shared on our class website.

I absolutely understand that many people are interested in joining the **workforce** after high school graduation, and that’s a really great option as well! For the sake of this assignment, however, I’d like you to **choose one of the College or University programs** you researched in part 3. It does not hurt you to reflect on all options!

You will:

- **Research** a specific program and school of your choice;
- **Create a one page infographic** of the program/school you have chosen (this will be shared on the website);
- **Make an academic plan** of courses required to graduate, while also meeting the requirements for the program of choice;

1. Research

Use the space provided to research the the program and school of your choosing. Please **choose one of the programs researched in part 3**(this will help you cut down on how much time you'll need to spend research).

Program name: _____

School name: _____

School website: _____

Research minimum 6 of the following topics:

1) **Admissions requirements:** What courses and/or grade levels are required for this program?

2) **Location:** Where is the school locate? What is there to do in this city/town?

3) **Residence and housing options:** What options are available to first year students in this program? What are the features? If non on campus, no problem! Renting is an option.

4) **Resident costs:** If there is a residence, what are the costs?

5) **Meal plan:** What are the meal plan options available at the school?

6) **Campus life:** What is available on campus? Restaurants, fields, gym, library, etc.

7) **Program:** What do you plan to study here and why is this school the right choice? If you had to sell this program at this school to someone - What would you say?

8) **Finances:** What is the approximate cost of the program? Do you get paid while attending the program? (Do not let these numbers scare you! There are a lot of programs and grants to help!)

2. Infographic

Using the **information you collected** in part 1, **create a 1 page** infographic. This infographic should **clearly state which program and school** you chose to research, and should clearly **show 6** of 8 topics researched above.

Check off the topics you chose to include in your infographic:

- Admissions requirements;
- Location;
- Residence and housing;
- Residence costs;
- Meal Plan;
- Campus life;
- Program;
- Finances;



What is an infographic? Infographics are graphic visual representations of information, data, or knowledge intended to present information quickly and clearly.

Your infographic must have:

- A title;
- Images;
- One graph;
- Be visually appealing (include colour!);
- Be clear and concise;

Keep in mind that your infographic will be shared on the class website.

3. Academic Plan

In this final section, you will **create an academic course plan**. Head to Mr. Morris' powerpoint presentation on the FH Collins counselling website. Keep in mind that **this is a draft**. As courses offered at the school change, so will your timetable! This is just to give you an idea, and to **get you thinking** about what courses you'll need moving forward!

Website: fhcounselling.weebly.com

Powerpoint: [power_point_course_selection_parents_2020-2021_3_1.pptx](#)
(found on to right hand side of the page)



With the help of this **powerpoint**, the **research you've done** on a program of interest, and the **videos created for you by Mr. Morris**, you will complete the following time table.

Step one: Fill the boxes first with the **mandatory courses**. Which courses do you **NEED** to graduate at each level? Use the powerpoint!

- Do not forget French immersion courses!
- If you plan to take a **specialty program** (sports school, MADD, etc.) Write the name of the program, and include the credits you'll receive.

Step two: What courses are mandatory for the program you're interested in studying? These will likely be grade 12 courses.

Step 3: What grade 12 electives do you think you'll want to take? How many will you need to graduate?

Step 4: Electives

Grade 9:

Bonus! You already have your schedule for grade 9 made up! Just fill in the boxes with the courses you took this year!

Total credits:	

Grade 10:

Total credits:	

Grade 11:

Total credits:	

Grade 12:

Total credits:	

