



Course Description/Rationale/Overview: *Experiential learning brings curriculum to life! Experiential learning is a way of knowing through doing.* This course involves a partnership between education and business, industry, labour or community organizations that includes students, teachers, and placement supervisors. Joint planning by these individuals ensures that students are provided with a systematic introduction to career exploration, experiential learning and career planning. Cooperative Education courses include a classroom component, comprising preplacement and integration activities and a placement component.

Class Requirements:

**Notebook
Excellent Attendance
Responsible**

Course Requirements/Department Policies

Late Assignments

Assignments are expected to be submitted at the beginning of the period on the due date. At the discretion of the teacher, late assignments may not be accepted or mark penalties may be given.

Missed Evaluations

It is the student's responsibility to make arrangements, ahead of time, for any evaluations that are missed. If the teacher is notified of a student's absence from an evaluation BEFORE the evaluation, special arrangements may be made with the student regarding the missed evaluation.

Assessment Strategies :

- Anecdotal reports
- Teacher/student/supervisor conferences
- Rating scales, rubrics, checklists
- Oral and written reports
- Verbal feedback

Achievement Categories

Knowledge/Understanding
Thinking/Inquiry
Communication
Application

Curriculum strands:

- Workplace preparation
- Health and Safety
- Career exploration
- Human rights, employee rights, labour unions

Learning Skills:

- Works Independently
- Team work
- Organization
- Work Habits
- Initiative

Evaluation

Evaluation will be based on:

Assignments	35%
Employer evaluations	20%
Teacher evaluations	15%
Final Summative	
- in school presentation	20%
- Exam	10%

FINAL MARK

Year's Work: 70%

Final Summative Evaluation: 30%



COURSE OUTLINE			
Unit of Study	Curriculum Strands	Category of Achievement	Evaluation
Unit 1 Where am I now? (23 hours)	ESV.02, ES2.04, 2.05 PMV.01, .02, PM1.01, 1.03, 2.03, 2.04 EO.V.01, EO1.01, 1.02 ESV.01, .02, ES1.01, 2.02, 2.04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - learn about their interests, skills, and values - investigate, through information interviews, workplace Essential Skills that are fundamental to success - identify and describe these skills and the tasks for which these skills are used. - document and track the development of their workplace Essential Skills 	
Unit 2 Where do I want to go? (28 hours)	ESV.02, ES2.03 EO.V.01, EO1.01, 1.03 ESV.01, .04, ES1.02, 4.02, 4.03 EO1.02 PMV.01, PM1.01 ESV.01, .03, ES1.03, 3.01 PMV.03, PM3.02 ESV.01, .02, .04, ES1.02, 2.03, 2.04, 4.01, 4.04 EO.V.02, EO2.03, 2.04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - gather information about the relationship between the Essential Skills and workplace opportunities - using the inquiry process, they document a personal plan for the identification and development of strategies to improve their repertoire of the Essential Skills. - develop and apply their understanding of the importance of teamwork skills d 	
Unit 3 How do I get there? (33 hours)	ESV.02, ES2.03 EO.V.01, .03, EO1.02, 3.01, 3.03 ES2.04, 2.05, 3.03 PTV.03, PT3.02, 3.03, 3.04, 3.05 EO.V.03, .04, EO3.01, 3.02, 4.02, 4.03, 4.04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - opportunities to demonstrate them in a workplace or simulated workplace setting - demonstrate knowledge of health and safety practices by following the policies and procedures of a workplace. students to further apply their knowledge and skills in a workplace setting. 	
Unit 4 Moving On (26 hours)	EO.V.01, EO1.01 PTV.01, .03, PT1.02, 1.03, 3.06 ESV.02, ES2.01 ,PMV.03, PM3.03, 3.04 ,PTV.02, PT2.02,PT3.01	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - students focus on refining their Personalized Exit Plan. - compile an exit package that demonstrates their skills, knowledge, future plans, and work experience 	
Evaluation 30 % of mark: exam, presentations, scrapbooks, etc..			<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Exit Resume ■ Class Presentation ■ Exam