

COURSE SELECTION FOR STUDENTS IN GRADE 8

1. Go to www.yrdsb.ca.

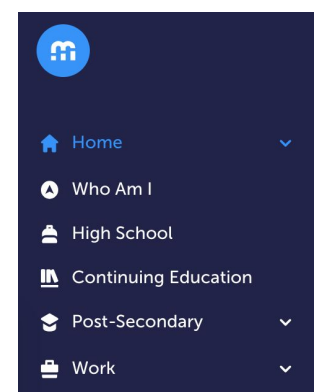
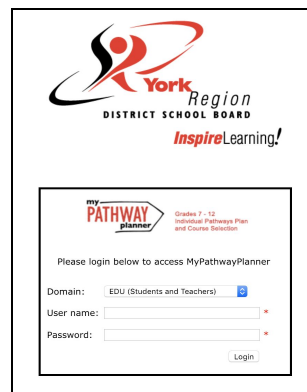
Click on the **“My Pathway Planner”** button.

You can also find the **“My Pathway Planner”** button on any school website.



2. Login using your YRDSB username and password.

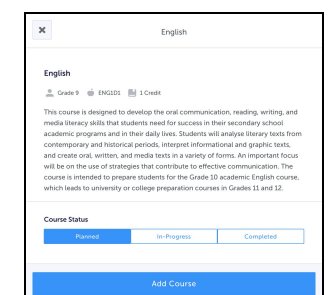
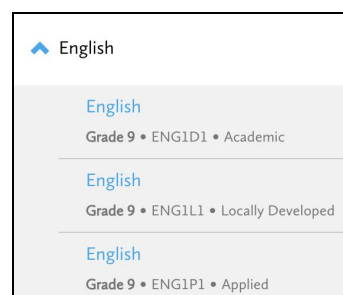
3. Using the navigation menu on the left side of your screen, select **“High School”**.



4. In the Grade 9 column of your planner, click **+ [Course]**.

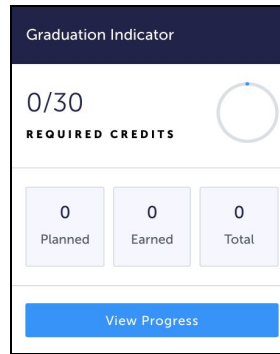
| Grade 9 Next Year | Grade 10 Plan Ahead | Grade 11 Plan Ahead | Grade 12 Plan Ahead |
|----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| + English | + English | + English | + English |
| + Mathematics | + Mathematics | + Mathematics | + French |
| + Science | + Science | + French | + Course |
| + Geography | + History | + Course | + Course |

5. Click **“Add Course”** when you find the course you want.



- The **Graduation Indicator** will help you keep track of your progress towards graduation. Click **“View Progress”** for a list of specific graduation requirements.

Open the **“Options”** menu and select **“Change Graduation Requirements”**. Check that the appropriate option has been selected.



| Category | Planned | Earned | Required |
|--|---------|--------|----------|
| 4 Credits in English (1 credit per grade) | 0 | 0 | 0/4 |
| 1 Credit in French As a Second Language | 0 | 0 | 0/1 |
| 5 Credits in Mathematics (at least 1 credit at the grade 12 or grade 12 level) | 0 | 0 | 0/5 |
| 2 Credits in Science | 0 | 0 | 0/2 |
| 1 Credit in Arts | 0 | 0 | 0/1 |
| 1 Credit in Health and Physical Education | 0 | 0 | 0/1 |
| 0.5 Credits in Civics | 0 | 0 | 0/0.5 |
| 0.5 Credit in Guidance and Career Education | 0 | 0 | 0/0.5 |

- When you are ready to submit your course selections, click the blue **“Review Course Selections”** button.

If you are not attending a YRDSB school next year, click on the **“Not returning next year?”** button at the top of your **High School Progress** box. Select the option that best suits your pathway, then press **“Confirm”**.

A notification box states 'Your courses are Not Submitted' and 'Not returning next year?'. Below this is a progress bar with three steps: Step 1 Add Courses, Step 2 Review Courses, and Step 3 Submit Courses. A blue 'Review Course Selections' button is positioned to the right of Step 3.

The 'Not returning next year?' dialog box asks the user to select an option for where they are headed. The options are: Private Secondary School (In-Province), Other Secondary School (In-Province), and Secondary School (Out-of-Province). A 'Confirm' button is at the bottom.

- Once you have carefully checked the **Review Courses** page to ensure that the courses which appear are correct, click on **“Submit Course Selections”**.

This will only be possible while the course selection window is open. You will **not** be able to modify your course selections once submitted.

The 'Review Courses' page shows a progress bar with three steps: Step 1 Add Courses, Step 2 Review Courses, and Step 3 Submit Courses. A green 'Submit Course Selections' button is located to the right of Step 3.

- After submitting your course selections, you will receive a **Success** notification.

The 'Submission Details' page shows a progress bar with three steps: Step 1 Add Courses, Step 2 Review Courses, and Step 3 Submit Courses. Below the progress bar is a green 'Success' notification: 'Your course selections have been submitted to your Counsellor for review.' A note says 'Note: Speak to your Counsellor to discuss any changes that you wish to make to your Course Selections'. A blue 'Back to High School' button is at the bottom.

- You will receive a confirmation of your course selections after the March Break.

ALL DONE!