

General Courses Available – Gordon Bell High School

English as an Additional Language (ESL)

Gordon Bell's ESL Program (called English as an Additional Language) provides courses and opportunities for beginner English language students to gain sufficient English language skills to enter regular academic programs.

The EAL/ESL program provides formal and informal language learning experiences which enable students to develop language skills and understanding. Some students receive specialized ESL programming for part of the day and attend other courses in the regular English program/classroom. Students:

- Develop the listening, speaking, reading, writing, viewing and representing skills necessary for success in school and social settings
- Develop an appreciation of their culture and the culture of others
- Integrate into the regular English program and other subject areas when advisable

EAL/ESL Courses Offered

- Beginner English
- Intermediate English
- Advanced English
- English for Academic Success
- Math
- Science
- Geography
- History

Business

Grade 10:

- Personal Financial Planning
- Entrepreneurship

Grade 11:

- Accounting Principles

Grade 12:

- Accounting Systems

Industrial Arts

Various Levels

- Graphic Arts
- Family Studies
- Textile Art and Design
- Foods and Nutrition
- Human Ecology

Peaceful Village

The Peaceful Village is a free afterschool program for newcomer youth. It operates Monday to Friday for three hours after school to provide students with academic support, learning materials, snacks, and other engagement activities. The Peaceful Village also operates during school breaks, providing language-rich learning activities. International students from any school in Winnipeg School Division are welcome to join.

Computer Science/IT

Various Levels

- Digital Filmmaking
- Digital Pictures
- Web Design
- 2-D Animation
- 3-D Modelling

Arts

Various levels

- Concert Band
- Choir
- Dance
- Drama
- Piano
- Guitar
- Contemporary Jazz