



Earl Marriott Secondary

Grade 8 Course Selection 2024-2025



Welcome to our future families of Earl Marriott Secondary!

This form is a duplicate of what your child filled out in class today. Please review this and have a family conversation about the selections. If you would like to make a change to what your child selected, please email EarlMarriott@Surreyschools.ca, including your child's full name, elementary school, and the changes requested.

For Course Descriptors, please use the included QR code, or go to the Earl Marriott website and find our Course Catalog under Home > Resources > Courses.



*EMS Course
Selection Website*

UNIVERSAL COURSES:

- English 8
- Discovery 8 (Art / Drama / IT / Careers)

LANGUAGE PROGRAM – Earl Marriott is a dual-track language school. See our website for specific details, then choose one of the following:

- English Program
 - Includes French 8, Math 8, Science 8 and Social Studies 8
- French Immersion Program
 - Includes Français Langue 8, Mathématiques 8, Sciences 8 and Sciences Humaines 8

PHYSICAL HEALTH EDUCATION 8 – Choose one of the following:

- PHE 8 (Girls)
- PHE 8 (Boys)
- PHE 8 (All Gender)

ARTS 8 – Choose one of the following:

- Concert Band 8
- Skills 8 (Foods / Textiles / Metal / Woodwork)

ADDITIONAL COURSES

- High Performance Hockey Academy
 - Program cost is \$2250. Email questions to murray_t@surreyschools.ca

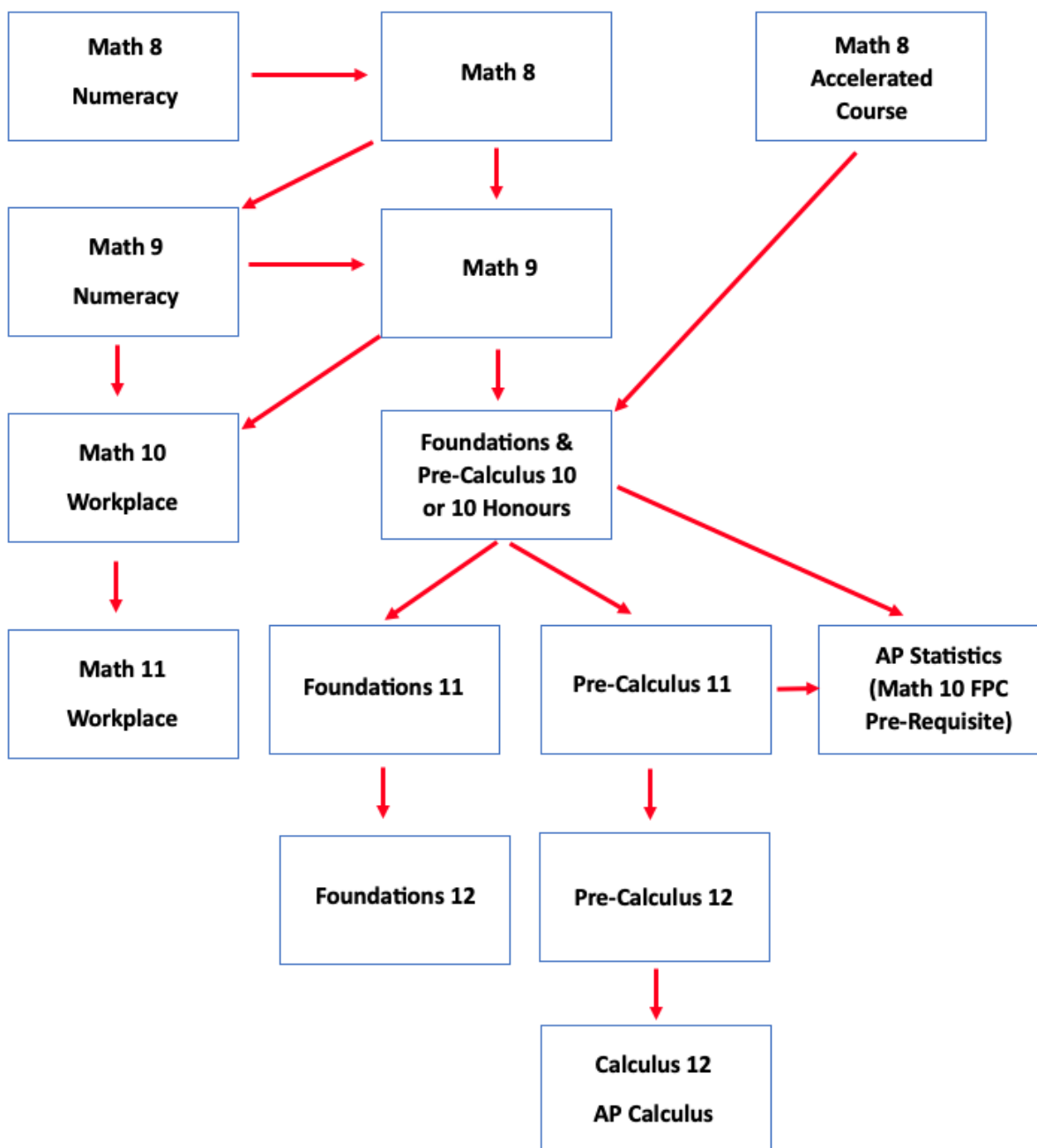
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Math 8 Accelerated covers the entire math curriculum for Math 8 and Math 9 in one semester. It is designed for students who are strong in math and have a good work ethic. On completion of this course students would enroll in a mathematics 10 course in their grade 9 year. Enrollment is by teacher recommendation.

Math 8 Numeracy is a course designed for students who currently struggle with math concepts and have a history of struggling in most or all math areas. These students are currently below or well below grade level (emerging). These students require additional supports and adaptations to be successful. This is a smaller class with additional support provided. Enrollment is limited, and is decided in consultation with grade 7 staff, and with support of parent/guardian. Successful completion of Math 8 Numeracy in Semester 1 will lead to enrollment in Math 8 regular stream in Semester 2. Students enrolled in this math course, and the subsequent math course in Semester 2, will have their schedule modified to accommodate the addition of this course.

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