

SCHOOL-BASED PROGRAMS

The following school-based, **career prep programs** consist of two or three related courses, combined with **Work Experience 12A**. Many of them also have the potential to lead directly into a **Youth Train in Trades (ACE IT)**, **Youth Work in Trades (SSA)** and/or district-wide career programs.

Lambrick Park

Business

Mt. Doug

Business

Computer Assisted Drafting

Esquimalt

Culinary

Auto Mechanics

Vic High

Autobody

Hairdressing

Carpentry/Joinery

Electrical/Electronics

Reynolds

Recreation, Sport & Health

Spectrum

Law

Business

Culinary

Electrical

Outdoor Recreation

R&B Band

Auto Mechanics

Information Technology

Metal Fabrication & Machining

There are also some amazing **exploration opportunities** for our **middle school students**.

❖ CHOICES Conference	❖ INSPIRE Presentations
❖ Gr. 8 Mini Trades	❖ Spotlights
❖ Young Entrepreneurs	❖ Springboards

WORK EXPERIENCE

How would you like to...

*... explore a **career that you're passionate about**?*

*... connect with **future employers**?*

*... get the **inside scoop** on what a job is really like?*

Work Experience 12A & 12B are both **4-credit courses** that enable you to experience **100-120 hours** of **on-site job training** in a cooperative partnership between the student, the school and the employer.

Benefits of Work Experience:

- ❖ Fulfill the Graduation Transitions work experience requirement
- ❖ Make future decisions based on a realistic understanding of the workplace
- ❖ Develop qualities and skills that are transferable to employment and career development
- ❖ Obtain references and contacts for future employers
- ❖ Develop self-confidence and self-awareness
- ❖ Support the transition from school to work, SSA or further education



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TASK



CURIOUS ABOUT TRADES?

*WISH **LEARNING** WAS MORE **HANDS ON**?*

*WANT TO BE **EMPLOYABLE**?*

In this program, you will explore the following modules:

- ❖ **Carpentry** ❖ **Electrical** ❖ **Welding**
- ❖ **Plumbing** ❖ **Sheet Metal**

And receive certification for:

- ❖ **WHMIS** ❖ **Fall Protection**
- ❖ **Confined Space Entry**

The TASK program allows you to experience hands-on, project-based learning within a high school, college and job site setting.

Through classroom and shop instruction, and work experience placements, you can earn 24 credits:

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| Skills Ex 11 & 12 | PSIB 12A & 12B |
| Carpentry & Joinery 11 | Work Experience 12A |

The next TASK program starts in **February 2018** at **Lambrick Park Secondary!!!**

YOUTH WORK IN TRADES (SSA)

Are you interested in...

*... becoming a **youth apprentice**?*

*... making **money** while you're still in high school?*

*... earning up to **16 credits** outside the timetable?*

*... qualifying for a **\$1000 scholarship**?*

The WORK in Trades program lets you start the work-based training component of a trade apprenticeship while you are still in high school. By finding a **sponsor employer** and registering with the **ITA** as a **youth apprentice**, you can earn 16 credits towards your high-school diploma and **480 hours** towards your trade credential.

Ways to become an Youth Work in Trades (SSA)

Student:

- ❖ You, or your parents, may know an employer/red seal journeyman that is willing to hire you
- ❖ Work with your school career coordinator to find an employer that will hire you as a youth apprentice
- ❖ Develop a relationship with an employer through work experience, and then get hired as an SSA



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YOUTH TRAIN IN TRADES (ACE-IT)

Youth Train in Trades programs provide students with an opportunity to receive their first year of technical training before they graduate and tuition-free!!!

Youth Train in Trades (ACE IT) Programs allows students to take a **Level 1 or Foundation trades program** at one of our local post-secondary institutions (Camosun or VCC).

Youth Train in Trades (ACE IT) programs are also **dual credit**, meaning that the student receives credit for the program at the post-secondary institution and their high school. In addition, the **tuition** for any dual credit course or program is **covered by the school district**. The student, however, is still responsible for a registration fee, textbooks, and equipment costs.

Youth Train in Trades (ACE-IT) Programs Available:

Autobody	Cosmetology	Heavy Duty	Metal Fab
Automotive	Culinary	Horticulture	Sheet Metal
Carpentry	Electrical	Joinery	Welding
Refrigeration and A/C		Plumbing and Piping	

NOTE: Students can take *academic* dual credit courses too! Any first year course from Camosun or UVIC is available!!!

AUTO TECH

*Do you love **cars**?*

*Enjoy **working with your hands**?*

*Want to be a **Camosun student** before you graduate?*



- ❖ **13 weeks** of instruction at **Esquimalt High**
- ❖ **7 weeks** at **Camosun College** for the Automotive Service Technician Apprenticeship Program
- ❖ **100 hours of Work Experience** to be completed before Camosun portion
- ❖ Graduate with a Dogwood, your **Level 1 AST**, and 28 credits:

AST 12A AST 12C PSI 12A WEX 12A
AST 12B AST 12D PSI 12B

AST = Automotive Service Technician
 PSI = Post-Secondary Institution
 WEX = Work Experience

- ❖ Next cohort starts in **February 2018!!!**



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DUAL CREDIT

What is Dual Credit?

Dual credit courses are **post-secondary courses** where students receive credit at the high school and the post-secondary institution. When a student takes a dual credit course or program, they not only receive '**double credit**', but the district sponsors the student for their **tuition fees**.

When and Where?

Students are able to take dual credit courses or programs during grade 10, 11 and 12 at two of our local post-secondary institutions - **Camosun College** and the **University of Victoria**. In addition to taking courses **on campus**, students have access to **online** and **school-based cohort classes**.

What courses/programs can I take?

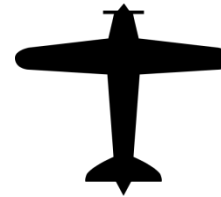
For Camosun College, if a student has the necessary pre-requisites and can fit it into their schedule, they have access to **any first year course or program** offered at **Camosun**. At UVIC, any grade 11 student can apply to be part of the **UStart program** to select from over **250 first and second year courses** to take during their grade twelve year.

How do I sign up?

Connect with your school-based career coordinator or counselor for more details, or visit our website.

AVIATION

Are you ready to explore the aviation and aerospace industry?



Do you want to...

- Learn how to fly a plane
- Build a Radio-controlled Airplane
- Apply Engineering & Aerospace Design

This February 2018, Mt. Doug is hosting a district-wide, **semester-long** Aviation and Design program.

In this program students will:

- Earn credit for high school and post-secondary courses:
 - Tech Ed12 - Industrial Design
 - Tech Ed12 - Metal Fabrication/Machining
 - Work Experience 12A
 - TEAC 105 (Camosun Engineering Exploration)
- Work towards their Transport Canada Ground School Certification and co-pilot three flights
- Work with local aviation and design-based employers through work experience placements

Talk to your career counsellor today!
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TALE

TOURISM AND LEADERSHIP EXPLORATION

Do you...

Love the outdoors?

Want to travel the world?

Be a leader?



SD61 and West Coast Adventure College have partnered together to offer an amazing 8-week summer program for students interested in exploring the Adventure Tourism Industry. The TALE Program provides students with a foundational knowledge in wilderness first aid, navigation, leadership and communication skills, risk management, trip planning and survival skills. Upon completion of the program, students will acquire 8 high school credits and an invaluable connection with local tourism companies through a 4-week work experience placement.

July 2nd - August 31st 2018 (exact dates TBA)

Monday - Friday, 8:30am - 3:30pm

July:

Local Victoria Parks &
Trails, Uplands Campus

August:

Work Experience with
Local Companies

APPLY BY APRIL 1st, 2018

CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have any questions or inquiries about any of the above opportunities, please visit our website:

www.sd61.bc.ca/programs/careers-and-transitions

Or contact one of our school-based Counselors or Career Centre Coordinators:

Esquimalt	250-382-9226
Lambrick Park	250-477-0181
Mt. Doug	250-477-6977
Oak Bay	250-598-3361
Spectrum	250-479-8271
Reynolds	250-479-1696
Vic High	250-388-5456
SJ Willis	250-360-4300

You can also connect directly with our Careers & Transitions Team:

District Career Coordinator	Lindsay Johnson	250-475-4182 ljohnson@sd61.bc.ca
District Career Coordinator	Anna Lisa Bond	250-475-4183 albond@sd61.bc.ca
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