Nackawic High School

Essential Skills Achievement Pathway for Graduation

Who Can Apply: Current Grade 10 Students
What is the Essential Skills Achievement Pathway?
A Pathway to Graduation

New Brunswick now has THREE pathways to Graduation

1. Standard 21 credit program

2. Essential Skills Achievement Pathway – Post Secondary Pathway

3. Essential Skills Achievement Pathway – Workplace Entry
What does that mean?
• Opportunities to engage in 5 different classes each day
• Teachers provide learning opportunities
• Learn a variety of subjects
• Courses you take allows you to go to different post secondary institutions.

Standard 21 Credit Program
Essential Skills Achievement Pathway

• Outcomes based learning
• Students own their learning and determine how they will demonstrate their learning
• Attend Essential Skills for a two period block daily
• Attend other standard courses to develop skills based on pathway
• Courses you take allows you to go to different post secondary institutions.
Video: Introduction to Essential Skills
Two Essential Skills Pathways
Current Post Secondary Pathways

- Accounting and Payroll
- Administrative Professional: Bilingual
- Administrative Professional: Executive
- Administrative Professional: Medical
- Agricultural Equipment Mechanic
- Animation and Graphic Design
- Automotive Service Technician
- Bricklaying
- Business Management
- Carpentry
- Child and Youth Care
- CNC Machining
- Communications and Public Relations *
- Community and Social Services
- Cosmetology
- Criminal Justice: Corrections
- Culinary Arts Management
- Culinary Arts: Cook
- Drafting Technology *
- Early Childhood Education
- Education *
- Educational Assistant
- Electrical
- Engineering *
- Engineering Technology
- Firefighter
- Funeral Services *
- Graphic and Communication Design
- Heavy Equipment Operator
- Heavy Equipment Service Technician
- Hotel and Restaurant Management
- Hotel and Restaurant Operation
- Human Services
- HVAC: Sheet Metal Fabrication
- Industrial Mechanics
- International Travel and Tourism
- Legal Services
- Licensed Practical Nurse *
- Machinist
- Marine Diesel Mechanics
- Mechanized Forest Equipment Operator
- Medical Laboratory Technology *
- Mental Health Professional *
- Mobile Crane Operator
- Motor Vehicle Body Repairer and Painter
- Network Administration
- Network Support
- Paramedic
- Personal Support Worker
- Pharmacy Technician
- Plumbing
- Police Foundations
- Powerline Technology
- Programmer-Analyst
- Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Technician
- Small Engine (Motorcycle) Mechanic
- Steamfitter/ Pipefitter
- Steel Fabrication
- Truck and Transport Technician
- Veterinary Technology
- Visual Arts Foundation
- Web and Mobile Application Development
- Welding

* = New this fall 2021
What are the Federal Essential Skills?

9 Essential Skills

- Reading
- Writing
- Document Use
- Numeracy
- Computers
- Working with Others
- Oral Communication
- Thinking
- Continuous Learning

For Work, Learning & Life

...the foundation for learning all other skills
Provincial Skills

- Motor Skills
- Work Attitudes
What do you do in Essential Skills?
Problem Based Learning
Changing the game of school means actually allowing students to create their own game.
Skills Development
Community Connections
Project Based Learning
NHS Projects
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Hands On Learning
Would you be a good fit for this program?
Can you work independently?
Do you like to learn by doing?
Would you like to improve your skills?
Do you plan to go to University, College, Apprenticeship or Direct to work after High School?
Then...

- Essential Skills could be the Pathway for you...

1. Reading text
2. Document use
3. Numeracy
4. Writing
5. Oral communication
6. Thinking skills
7. Digital technology
8. Working with others
9. Continuous learning
Process To Apply for the NHS Essential Skills Pathway

- Presentation to Grade 10 Nov 29th
- Pick up an application form – Available Nov 29th
- Application form to be returned by Dec 8th
- Student interviews Dec 13 - 17
- Student Selection Done by Dec 21st
- Students informed Dec 22
For an application or further information see:

Mr. Gallop or Mr. Kitchen

LET'S GO!