

**Macdonald High School**  
**Curriculum**  
**Language of instruction and minutes per cycle**  
**Breakdown**

**French --**

Regular, Immersion & Enriched - Taught in French Sec 1-2-3-4-5

300 minutes per six day cycle

**English --**

Regular, Immersion & Enriched - Taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5

300 minutes per six day cycle

**Math –**

Regular, Immersion & Enriched - Taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5

300 minutes per six day cycle

**Social Sciences/sciences humaines –**

Regular – taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5

Sec 1-2 300 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 3-4-5 200 minutes per six day cycle

Immersion & Enriched – Taught in French Sec 1-2-3-4 and in English Sec 5

Sec 1-2 300 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 3-4-5 200 minutes per six day cycle

**Science –**

Regular – taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5

Sec 1-2 200 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 3-4 300 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 5 200 minutes per six day cycle

The science courses in sec 5 are chemistry 200 minutes per six day cycle and physics 200 minutes per six day cycle. These courses are options with Sec 4 advance math and sec 4 advance science as pre-requisites

Immersion & Enriched – Taught in French Sec 1-2

Sec 1-2 200 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 3-4-5 (see regular program mentioned above)

Most students in the Enriched Program continue on to advanced science in Sec 3-4 and then chemistry and physics in Sec 5.

## **Ethics and Religious Culture/Éthiques et Culture Religieuse–**

Regular – Taught in English Sec 1-2-4-5

Immersion – Taught in French Sec 1-2

Enriched –Bilingual course in sec 1-2 (Fr. & Eng.) Taught in French in Sec 4-5

100 minutes per six day cycle

(No Ethics in Sec 3)

## **Options Courses, English and Physical Education –**

Enriched/Immersion/Regular: All option courses are taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5\_

Sec 1 and 2:

Art/Drama/Music/Dance

Students have one option in sec 1 and 2

Sec 1-2 200 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 3: \_

Art/Drama/Music/Dance

Students have two options in sec three

Sec 3 each option is 150 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 4:

Art/Drama/Music/Dance/Media Arts

Students have one option in sec 4

Sec 4 200 minutes per six day cycle

Sec 5:

Art/Drama/Music/Dance

Students have three options in sec 5\_

-N.B. Chemistry & Physics have Sec 4 pre-requisites as mentioned above; students must also be registered in the advance sec 5 Science Math course

Sec 5 200 minutes each option per six day cycle

## **Physical Education—**

Physical Education courses are taught in English Sec 1-2-3-4-5\_

Sec 1-2-3-4-5 100 minutes per six day cycle