Complementary Courses & Descriptions 2024-2025

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Grade 7 Complementary Courses

- 2 semesters (2 Complementary Courses per Semester)
- Band Full Year counts as 2 courses
- A Day (Mon & Wed)
- B Day (Tues & Thurs)

| | Course Name | Course Code (as it appears in PowerSchool) | Course Fee (does not include potential field trips associated with this course) | Course Description |
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| | Art | Art 7 | | Designed for students of various abilities who wish to develop their creative skills and express ideas through several forms of 2D and 3D mediums. An exploration of various materials and techniques including drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpting and mixed media, using a variety of artists as inspiration. No previous experience is required. |
| | Gr.7 Band 1/2 Year | Band (Instrumental Music) 7 Brass | | Band is all about learning how to make music with a community of your peers! You will be introduced to a variety of instrument options, learn how to read music and perform in front of an audience. |

| | | | This course is open to all students. No previous experience or instrument is needed. The school will help organize the rental of your instrument. Woodwind Instruments: Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, and Saxophone (Alto, Tenor, and Baritone variants). Brass Instruments: Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, and Tuba Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, or Electric Bass Other instruments may be possible depending on availability and student interest. Please talk to Mr. Auburn |
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| Gr.7 Band Full Year | Band (Instrumental Music) 7 | \$80 | Band is all about learning how to make music with a community of your peers! You will be introduced to a variety of instrument options, learn how to read music and perform in front of an audience. This course is open to all students. No previous experience or instrument is needed. The school will help organize the rental of your instrument. |
| | | | Woodwind Instruments: Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, and Saxophone (Alto, Tenor, and Baritone variants). Brass Instruments: Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, and Tuba Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, or Electric Bass Other instruments may be possible depending on availability and student interest. Please talk to Mr. Auburn |
| Guitar | Guitar 7 | \$5 | Read, interpret, and perform music on the guitar. This is an instrumental course and no prior experience is needed. Students will be playing every class and developing their skill on the instrument. Students will explore a variety of different genres and styles from across multiple time periods. Students will leave this class able to play the guitar and knowing how to read music and tablature. |
| Construction | CTF- Construction 7 | \$30 | Design Thinking in Action! Students will learn tool safety for the successful shaping, joining and finishing of woodworking projects. Students will apply their knowledge to plan, create, and appraise their own designs. A primary focus of the course will be to identify ways to refine and improve their skills with a variety of woodworking tools and techniques. No previous experience is required. |
| Foods | CTF-Foods 7 | \$30 | Become kitchen proficient! Students will learn tips and techniques for successful meal planning, cooking, and baking. Students apply their knowledge to plan, create, and assess their own meals. The benefits of healthy food choices will be a primary focus of the course. No previous experience is required. |

| Digital Media | CTF- Communication Technology 7 | \$10 | Explore the world of Digital Media while developing habits of creative and collaborative problem-solving! Students will be introduced to areas of coding, interactive 3D applications, digital photography, photoediting, aspects of animation, film & video production. Students will consider their intended audience, communication and mode of expression. No previous experience is required. |
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| Drama | Drama 7 | \$0 | Shine behind the scenes or on centre stage! Students will progress gradually from performing before small groups in their drama class, to potential performances in fine arts shows before larger audiences. Units and concepts include Movement, Speech, Improvisation/Acting, Readers Theatre, Technical Theatre, and Theatre Studies. No previous experience is required. |
| Outdoor Education | Environmental & Outdoor Education 7 | \$0 | Gain knowledge, skills and awareness of the natural world, how it works, how humans impact it (both positively and negatively), and how we can each do our part to better protect, sustain, and care for the environment, such as exploring urban agriculture. Students will be required to assume many responsibilities for both individual and group welfare. The course will include field trips, outdoor activities, as well as classroom projects. No previous experience is required. |
| Fashion & Textiles | CTF Fashion Studies 7 | \$30 | Students will learn the basic skills needed to hand sew, read and understand a pattern, and how to use a sewing machine. Students will work at their own pace to apply these skills in the assembly of simple projects. Projects will progress from simple to more complex based on skill development. Students work individually at their own pace, using a variety of textiles and discover new, useful techniques. No previous experience is required. |
| Power Up | Power Up Your Learning 7 | \$0 | Power Up is targeted Literacy and Numeracy support for students to become more engaged thinkers, teaching the skills needed to succeed in their core classes. This course focuses on the development of self-assessment, goal setting and metacognitive processes. This course is available to any student; however, it is intended for students who require support in understanding and developing strategies as they engage in learning within their Programs of Study. |

Grade 8 Complementary Courses

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| Art | Art 8 | \$30 | Designed for students of various abilities who wish to develop their creative skills and express ideas through several forms of 2D and 3D mediums. An exploration of various materials and techniques including drawing, painting, printmaking, sculpting and mixed media, using a variety of artists as inspiration. No previous experience is required. |
| Gr.8 Band Full Year | Band (Instrumental Music) 8 | \$80 | Band is all about learning how to make music with a community of your peers! You will be introduced to a variety of instrument options, learn how to read music and perform in front of an audience. |
| | | | This course is open to all students. No previous experience or instrument is needed. The school will help organize the rental of your instrument. |
| | | | Woodwind Instruments: Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, and Saxophone (Alto, Tenor, and Baritone variants). Brass Instruments: Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, and Tuba Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, or Electric Bass Other instruments may be possible depending on availability and |
| | | | student interest. Please talk to Mr. Auburn |
| Guitar | Guitar 8 | \$5 | Read, interpret, and perform music on the guitar. This is an instrumental course, and no prior experience is needed. Students will be playing every class and developing their skill on the instrument. Students will explore a variety of different genres and styles from across multiple time periods. Students will leave this class able to play the guitar and knowing how to read music and tablature. |
| Construction | CTF- Construction 8 | \$30 | Design Thinking in Action! Students will learn tool safety for the successful shaping, joining and finishing of woodworking projects. Students will apply their knowledge to plan, create, and appraise their own designs. A primary focus of the course will be to identify |

| | | | ways to refine and improve their skills with a variety of woodworking tools and techniques. No previous experience is required. |
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| Foods | CTF-Foods 8 | \$30 | Become kitchen proficient! Students will learn tips and techniques for successful meal planning, cooking, and baking. Students apply their knowledge to plan, create, and assess their own meals. The benefits of healthy food choices will be a primary focus of the course. No previous experience is required. |
| Digital Media | CTF- Communication Technology 8 | \$10 | Digital Media Arts! Explore the world of graphic design, photography, animation and video production. Students will develop skills in areas of photography, photo editing, animation, filming, editing and post-production effects as well as exploration in 2D and 3D design and printing through the use of the 3D printer and laser cutter. A variety of software tools and techniques used by real life graphic designers and filmmakers will be explored. Course will include: DSLR camera and lighting techniques, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Premiere Pro, Adobe After Effects, TinkerCad and LightBurn laser cutter program. No previous experience is required. |
| Drama | Drama 8 | \$0 | Shine behind the scenes or on centre stage! Students will progress gradually from performing before small groups their drama class, to potential performances in fine arts shows before larger audiences. Units and concepts include Movement, Speech, Improvisation/Acting, Readers Theatre, Technical Theatre, and Theatre Studies. No previous experience is required. |
| Outdoor Education | Environmental & Outdoor Education 8 | \$0 | Gain knowledge, skills and awareness of the natural world, how it works, how humans impact it (both positively and negatively), and how we can each do our part to better protect, sustain, and care for the environment. Students will be required to assume many responsibilities for both individual and group welfare. The course will include field trips, outdoor activities, as well as classroom projects. No previous experience is required. |
| Fashion & Textiles | CTF Fashion Studies 8 | \$30 | Students will learn the basic skills needed to hand sew, read and understand a pattern, and how to use a sewing machine. Students will work at their own pace to apply these skills in the assembly of simple projects. Projects will progress from simple to more complex based on skill development. Students work individually at their own pace, using a variety of textiles and discover new, useful techniques. No previous experience is required. |
| Financial Management & Marketing | CTF-Business 8 | \$5 | Grow your financial and business literacy! Students will explore market basics, customer service, advertising, retail management, financial literacy, and entrepreneurial skills. No previous experience is required. |

| Robotics | CTF Electro- Technologies 8 | \$25 | Students are introduced to basic hardware programming using an Arduino microcontroller and the Arduino IDE. Students will explore how basic sensors are used in a robotic system while also making use of TinkerCad, Fusion360 and Adobe Illustrator to create functional robotic designs. No previous experience is required. |
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| Agriculture | CTF Agriculture 8 | \$5 | Let's Grow! We are excited to offer Agriculture as a Complementary Course at Lakeshore School! Students will learn the how and why of producing agriculture/horticulture products and services through hands-on opportunities, activities and projects. Students will explore the relationship between agriculture and sustainable development and efficient uses of natural resources. Students will be provided with the opportunity to get their hands dirty by investigating the many ways to grow plants. Propagation, hydroponics, soil gardens and greenhouses will be explored through experiential learning activities. No previous experience is required. |
| Power Up | Power Up Your Learning 8 | \$0 | Power Up is targeted Literacy and Numeracy support for students to become more engaged thinkers, teaching the skills needed to succeed in their core classes. This course focuses on the development of self-assessment, goal setting and metacognitive processes. This course is available to any student; however, it is intended for students who require support in understanding and developing strategies as they engage in learning within their Programs of Study. |

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| Grade 9 Band Full Year | Band (Instrumental Music) 9 | \$80 | Band is all about learning how to make music with a community of your peers! You will be introduced to a variety of instrument options, learn how to read music and perform in front of an audience. This course is open to all students. No previous experience or instrument is needed. The school will help organize the rental of your instrument. Woodwind Instruments: Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, and Saxophone (Alto, Tenor, and Baritone variants). Brass Instruments: Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, and Tuba. Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, or Electric Bass. Other instruments may be possible depending on availability and student interest. Please talk to Mr. Auburn |
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