



Personal Development Credit

Sport Leadership - Coaching and Officiating

Frequently Asked Questions

- 1. Does this program have to be completed within a school year?**
No. The program can be started at any time in Grade 10, 11, or 12 and must be completed before the end of Grade 12.
- 2. Can I combine both coaching and officiating?**
Yes. You may complete both coaching and officiating activities toward the credit, but you can only receive one credit once the 110-hour requirement is met.
- 3. Can I complete the program using two different sports?**
Yes. Hours from two different sports can be combined to reach the 110-hour requirement.
- 4. Can I be paid for my coaching or officiating hours?**
Yes. Both paid and volunteer hours count toward the program.
- 5. Can I apply coaching or officiating activities completed before enrolling in the program?**
Yes. Any official coaching or officiating courses completed before your enrollment date can be applied. However, all on-field coaching and officiating hours must be completed after enrollment.
- 6. Can students from schools outside the public school system participate in the program?**
Yes. You would need permission from your school to have the program recognized as an academic credit.
- 7. I have already chosen my courses. Can I change them?**
No. Only the school can make changes to your courses. Please see your guidance counsellor to discuss how to add the Personal Development Credit for Coaching and Officiating.
- 8. Is there a cost for taking the courses?**
There is usually a fee associated with the sport specific or officiating courses but in coaching these can be covered by the organization. There are no costs for the additional courses required to complete this program.