To recognize learning which takes place outside the classroom, the Ministry of Education allows the awarding of equivalency credits to Mature Students (persons 18+ and out of school for at least one year). All applicants for equivalency standing must earn a minimum of the last four credits (these credits must be at the Senior Level – Grade 11 or 12) after becoming a mature student, before a diploma will be issued. Assessments for diploma requirements are completed on an individual basis, and require a transcript of your credits from your last school. Consideration may be given for Work and Life Experience (maturity credits) and through Prior Learning Assessment and Recognition (PLAR).

Further diploma requirements may need to be satisfied and will be discussed after your assessment.

Please note that many employers in the Niagara Region require applicants to have a high school diploma to be considered for offers of employment.

For more information and counselling call: 905-641-2929 Ext. 54170

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**eLEARNING PROGRAM**

You may enrol in eLearning secondary school credit courses, as an alternative to night-school or self-study, if you are eligible to attend a provincially funded school in Ontario and if you are:

- in need of secondary school credit courses in order to obtain an Ontario Secondary School Diploma, or
- upgrading secondary school credits required for entry into a program or the workforce.

**NOTE:** If eligible, day school students require an eLearning Application form, signed by the day school and community education principals, for each credit course. These forms are available in your guidance office.

Course Enrolment:
- September 24 - February 22
- Courses end: May 1, 2013

For more information about registration please call: 905-641-2929 Ext. 54177

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**SELF-STUDY PROGRAM**

For mature students and part-time high-school students wishing to earn high school credits while studying independently. Work at home on independent learning materials. $100 cash only registration fee (cheques will not be accepted). $85 will be refunded within 14-21 days, once materials have been returned.

Niagara Falls Program at Stamford C.V.I.
5775 Drummond Rd., Niagara Falls
Wednesdays, 6:30 - 8:30pm
To book an appointment at Stamford, or for more info call: 905-641-2929 Ext. 54177

Fort Erie Secondary School
Room 100, 7 Tait Ave., Fort Erie
Wednesdays 6:00 - 8:00pm
No appointment needed at Fort Erie S.S.
Must bring updated transcript with you.
(Please enter through courtyard adjacent to parking lot)

*(Please do not call Stamford C.V.I. or Fort Erie S.S. for information)*

Runs September 26 - May 1, 2013
(continuous intake)

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**NIGHT SCHOOL PROGRAMS**

**COUNSELLING**

Educational counselling is available to Night School Students who are not enrolled in a day school to discuss Requirements for the Ontario Secondary School Diploma or College/University Applications. Adult students may take advantage of this service at the In-Person Registration at St. Catharines Collegiate on Monday, January 28, 6:30-8:30 p.m. and throughout the semester.

**FEES**

There is no registration fee for credit courses. Credit courses will require a textbook deposit charge payable IN CASH at the time of issue. NO EXCEPTIONS. Students will receive this information from their teacher on the first night of school. Upon return of the textbook, the student will receive a full refund by cheque.

**CANCELLATION OF CLASSES**

A minimum enrolment of 22 students is required for a course to be offered. The District School Board of Niagara reserves the right to terminate, combine or offer an alternative mode of delivery (such as correspondence materials) to any course in which enrolment falls below the acceptable level.

**DAY SCHOOL STUDENTS**

Day school students require a Night School Application form, signed by their Day School Principal, for each course request. These forms are available from your Guidance office. Completed forms should be submitted to the Guidance Office at your Day School.

See pages 4 and 5 for available evening credit courses. Call: 905-641-2929 Ext. 54175

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