2019-2020 - Program of Studies

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Overview

- What is the Program of Studies?
- Goals
- Changes for 2019-2020
- What defines success?
- Questions
Program of Studies

● Guiding document for course selection
● Provides descriptions for each class offered
● Clearly outlines graduation requirements
Goals

- Meet QCSD graduation requirements
- Provide opportunities for exploration of student interests
- Provide appropriate levels of rigor for all students
- Support post high school plans
- Ensure college and career readiness
Changes for ‘19-’20

- Renamed/realigned English classes 9-12 (curriculum cycle)
- Added AP Mandarin
- Added two potential new courses of study at UBCTS
- Added additional 0.5 credit Health requirement beginning with Class of 2022
- Adjusted Math/Science credits to be 7 total (minimum of 3 each)
- Outplaced students who meet PDE graduation requirements will be counted as graduates
What defines success?

Some thoughts to consider:

- What does a QCSD diploma mean?
- What do we want our graduates to know/be able to do?
- Focus on credits or coursework/skills
- Differentiated diplomas
- Pathways for student interests
Questions?