

## **Grade 9 Announcement-Options & Opportunities (O2 Program)**

This is a special announcement for Grade 9 Students and their families from Mr. Dulhanty and Ms. McArel, O2 Coordinators at Island View High School.

I wanted to make you aware that the process of selecting the O2 class for the 2025-2026 school year has started. Mr. Dulhanty and Ms. McArel have started to visit Grade 9 math classes and the application link is now live. The link is attached to the Island View Website and all of the students Grade 9 Math Google Classrooms. Students are able to apply through there.

The school will select students most likely to benefit from the Options and Opportunities program and who require all or most of the following:

- re-engagement with their learning and with school
- direction and support in developing a career/life pathway
- learning experiences that make the connections between school, community, and workplace
- confidence in their skills, abilities, and learning preferences
- competence in the skills that will be needed in the workplace
- achievement of their academic potential

Once again, the application link is now live and we will be collecting applications and will be beginning the interview process. You will be able to find this information through the Math Google Classrooms of your student. If you or your families have any questions please do not hesitate to reach out to Mr. Dulhanty at [pdulhanty@gnspe.ca](mailto:pdulhanty@gnspe.ca) or Kelly McArel at [kmcaarel@gnspe.ca](mailto:kmcaarel@gnspe.ca)

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