

COURSE: Social Justice 12 (SJ12)

INSTRUCTOR

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RECOMMENDED PRE-REQUISITES

Social Studies 10

CREDITS

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OVERVIEW

The Big Ideas, Content, and Curricular Competencies for this course can be found here: [Social Justice 12](#)

Big Ideas

Social justice issues are interconnected.

Individual worldviews shape and inform our understanding of social justice issues.

The causes of social injustice are complex and have lasting impacts on society.

Social justice initiatives can transform individuals and systems.

Social Justice 12 is an elective course that explores the nature of a just and equitable society by focusing on social justice issues. It offers students opportunities to study the legal, political, ethical, and economic perspectives that inform Canadian concepts of justice and equality. Students will deliberate on social justice matters--local to global--for the purpose of developing and demonstrating behaviours that promote social justice, including recognizing injustice, fair-mindedness, embracing diversity, empathy, and taking action.

Course Breakdown:

- Social Justice Lens
- Sexism
- Environmental Justice
- Animal Rights
- Racism
- Ableism
- Poverty
- Leader

ASSESSMENT

Category	Weight
Learning Guides	30%
Projects	70%

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