# **OFF CAMPUS EDUCATION PROGRAMS:**

### RAP AND WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS

The Registered Apprenticeship Program (RAP) is an apprenticeship program for high school students.

Traditionally, apprenticeships in Alberta began after students graduated from high school, however, some students identify their career interests at an earlier age and are ready to learn and practice their future trade while still in high school. RAP is an ideal program for these students.

RAP students are both full-time students and registered apprentices, dividing their time between an approved work site and their high school studies. They take regular courses such as English Language Arts, Social Studies, Science and Math in order to earn their Alberta High School Diploma or Certificate of Achievement.

The RAP apprenticeship ends when the RAP apprentice finishes high school. The RAP apprentice is then automatically registered as a regular apprentice and the credit earned while in the RAP program is applied to his or her apprenticeship through the **registered apprenticeship program**.

Contact the RAP coordinator in your high school!



#### **Work Experience**

Off-campus education provides opportunities for junior and senior high school students to explore and expand their career interests, skills and knowledge related to work and other life roles.

You can investigate a variety of career opportunities through Work Experience placements within your high school career. It will allow you to gain practical experience as you apply and expand your knowledge, skills and attitudes in contexts that will assist you in making wise decisions regarding your future education, training and employment upon leaving senior high school and allow for the smooth transition from school to work and/or post-secondary institutions.

Offering students personalized pathways for learning in Off-campus Education, Apprenticeship Training and Dual Credit Programming.



## **DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMMING**

(Post-Secondary Courses for FREE in High School)

Dual credit programming is where high school students take post-secondary, college or university courses earning both high school and post-secondary credits for the same course.

### **DUAL CREDIT PROGRAMS**

### **DUAL CREDIT COURSES**

Health Care Aide Certificate Norquest College	Psychology Grande Prairie Regional College
Power Engineering Class 4 Northern Lakes College	Veterinarian Technician Assistant Grande Prairie Regional College
Oil Field Operator Northern Lakes College	Medical Terminology Norquest College and NAIT
Educational Assistant Program Northern Lakes College	Service Rig Floor hand Technician in partnership with Northern Lights School Division
Office Professional Certificate Norquest College	Harley Davidson Technician Grande Prairie Regional College / Fairview Campus
Anatomy and Physiology Norquest College and Grande Prairie Regional College	Waste Water Waste Management Northern Lakes College

"It has shown my son a whole new world and now he can't wait to go to college. He knows what he wants to do for the rest of his life." Parent of a student enrolled in a Dual Credit program.

### **JULY 2019 SUMMER**

# **CAREER EXPOSURE BOOT CAMPS:**

WATCH FOR INFORMATION FOR SUMMER 2019 ON THE NGPS WEBSITE



**Tourism** 



Gaming



Construction



CISCO Networking Academy



**Automotive** 



**Robotics** 



Medical Minds/ First Aid



Safety Training
Certification
(Seven Safety Credentials)
Whitecourt and Onoway



Cooking with Class



Business Boot Camp (Community Futures)