

Standards and Procedures 2026-2027

Secondary Evaluation Plan | Parent Information

1. GENERAL INFORMATION			
Subject	Intro to Philosophy	Course code	603574
Cycle / Level	Cycle 2 / Sec 5		
Class group(s)	Phil5 01, 02	Date this document was shared with parents	
Teacher Information: Name & Email contact	R. Green (rgreen@emsb.qc.ca);		
2. COURSE DESCRIPTION			
The aim of this course is to expose students to a wide range of the 'big questions' in philosophy and to encourage them to explore and think critically about the various answers that have been proposed by different philosophers.			
3. TEXTBOOKS, PLATFORMS, AND REQUIRED MATERIALS			
Primary textbook or workbook			
Supplementary materials	All materials will be provided in class. When appropriate they will also be posted on the Google Classroom.		
Digital platforms	Information and resources for evaluations will be posted on the Google Classroom.		
Daily required materials			
Optional but recommended materials			
Replacement or fee information, if applicable			



4. COMMUNICATION WITH PARENTS AND STUDENTS

Required communications

Parents receive one written communication by October 15 and three report cards no later than November 20, March 15, and July 10. Additional communication will be provided when a student is at risk of not meeting expectations, when behaviour concerns arise, or when an individualized education plan requires it.

Communication may include:

☐ Mozaïk Parent Portal	☒ Email	☒ Agenda / planner
☐ Phone calls	☒ Meetings	☐ Other:
☐ IEP	☐ Virtual Platform (Google Class or TEAMS)	☐ Other:

Report Cards - Timeline for distribution to parents

Communication	Legal deadline	School target date to publish to parents	Notes
First written communication	<i>By October 15</i>	Oct 15	Focus on adjustment, progress, work habits, and early concerns.
Term 1 report card	<i>By November 20</i>	Nov 19	Counts for 20% of the final mark.
Term 2 report card	<i>By March 15</i>	Feb 19	Counts for 20% of the final mark.
Term 3 report card	<i>By July 10</i>	June 23	Counts for 60% of the final mark.

5. EVALUATION OVERVIEW

Important statement on evaluation

Evaluation is based on the development of competencies and on sufficient, varied, and relevant evidence of learning each are weighted according to the teacher's professional judgement and included as such in the term mark therefore a final judgment is not a simple term average of individual marks it is. It reflects the teacher's professional judgment, progress over time, and the overall level of competency development.

Evidence of learning may include:

☒ Assignments	☒ Tests / quizzes	☐ Exams
☒ Projects	☐ Performance tasks	☐ Labs / practical tasks
☐ Presentations	☐ Portfolios	☒ Observations
☒ Classwork	☐ Conferences	☒ Participation connected to competencies
☐ Rubrics	☐ LES (<i>Learning Evaluation Situation</i>)	☒ Other In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher,

6. COMPETENCIES AND METHODS OF EVALUATION

The competencies and % framework weighting listed below correspond to the same subject competencies listed in the school's Summary Standard & Procedure as per MEQ requirements. (Reference: 26-27 Summary Standard & Procedures published by the school in June

2026) Term 1 evaluation | Annual weighting: 20%

Competency	Framework weighting of the competency	Planned evidence of learning	Approximate timing	Emphasis / notes
Demonstrates an understanding of philosophical principals and concepts.	100 %	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	Students absent from in class evaluations must email teacher to arrange a make-up time. Failure to attend make-up session may result in a zero.
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	%	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	

Term 2 evaluation | Annual weighting: 20%

Competency	Framework weighting of the competency	Planned evidence	Approximate timing	Emphasis / notes
Demonstrates an understanding of philosophical principals and concepts.	100 %	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	Students absent from in class evaluations must email teacher to arrange a make-up time. Failure to attend make-up session may result in a zero.
	%	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	
	%	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	

Term 3 evaluation | Annual weighting: 60%

Competency	Framework weighting of the competency	Planned evidence	Approximate timing	Emphasis / notes
Demonstrates an understanding of philosophical principals and concepts.	100 %	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	Students absent from in class evaluations must email teacher to arrange a make-up time. Failure to attend make-up session may result in a zero.
	%	In class evaluations with resources provided by teacher.	Dates of evaluations will be post on the Google classroom well in advance.	
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7. GENERAL COMPETENCIES – Cross-Curricular Competencies

Report card comments

At least one general competency is commented on during the year. Schools may choose a common schedule by term.

This school year the cross-curricular competencies will be report on by the English teachers.

General competency	Term 1		Term 3
Exercises critical judgment			
Organizes work			
Communicates effectively			✓
Works in a team			

8. FINAL EVALUATIONS, SCHOOL BOARD EVALUATIONS, AND MEQ EXAMINATIONS

For all uniform exams, the teachers will be communicating the Exam Schedule when time comes.

Type of evaluation/examination	Applicable	How final evaluations are included	Important dates or timeline
School mid-year evaluation	No		
School end-of-year evaluation	No		
School board common evaluation	No		
MEQ examination	No		



11. MISSED ASSIGNMENTS, LATE WORK, AND MISSED EVALUATIONS

Guiding principle

The goal is to gather enough valid evidence to evaluate competency development. Consequences for late or missing work must be applied consistently and should not replace professional judgment about what a student has demonstrated.

Missed assignments	Students are expected to submit assignments by the established deadline. In the case of absence, students must obtain missed work and complete it within a reasonable timeline determined with the teacher.
Persistent non-submission	Persistent non-submission will limit the teacher's ability to gather sufficient evidence of learning and may require additional communication with parents.
Missed tests or evaluations	A justified absence may require documentation. A make-up evaluation or alternative evidence may be scheduled at the teacher's discretion or school's procedure.
Unjustified absence from an evaluation	The teacher may use alternative evaluation, existing evidence, or note insufficient evidence, according to school procedures.
Extensions or accommodations	Students requiring accommodations should speak with the teacher.
Individualized Educational Plan (IEP)	Adaptations linked to an individualized education plan will be respected.

