

# Self-Directed Com Tech courses

Students who take on a self-directed Com Tech courses take their learning of one of the four Com Tech strands in their own direction.

Instead of following a prescribed course set up by the teacher, the student will:

1. Research the topic that he/she wishes to work on.
2. Talk to the teacher about possible goals and how they can fit with the Com Tech course credits and Program of Studies.
3. Decide on goals and credits & record these with due dates in their student module tracker on Google Drive. (Note: this document can be shared with a parent/guardian.)
4. Work diligently toward these goals.
5. Meet regularly with the teacher.
6. Present work for a final evaluation.

Please note that attendance, work ethic, and attitude will all be factors that will be part of the student's mark.

Attendance: Being present in the classroom is an absolute necessity for collaboration, and teacher assessment. If a student is not present, for any reason, they are not able to take part in the collaboration and teacher assessment that is a requirement of this course.

Note: 14 classes make up about  $\frac{1}{6}$  of the semester. For each group of 14 missed classes, the student will be given an Incomplete mark (no credit) on one of their 6 modules.

Signatures:

I am aware and agree with the above statements.

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Student

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Parent / Guardian (if under 18)