

MEMORANDUM ON THE COURSE OF STUDY

RECOMMENDED FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE PROTESTANT COMMITTEE.

September 11th, 1920.

(1) In revising the Course of Study for Secondary Schools, the needs and interests of those pupils who do not continue their studies beyond the High School grades have been made the determining factor, as they form the overwhelming majority in these schools.

(2) In the selection of subjects for the courses of study increased emphasis is placed in all grades upon those subjects, methods and practices which directly influence the formation of character and the preparation for the duties of citizenship as this is one of the main objects of the public school system.

(3) The subjects of the Course of Study have been arranged under two heads - Compulsory and Optional as follows:-

Compulsory

- 1 - Character and Citizenship 1
- 2 - English 2
- 3 - French 2
- 4 - Elementary Mathematics 2
(or Algebra and Geometry)
- 5 - A Science Subject 1

Optional

- 1 - History 1
- 2 - Latin 2
- 3 - Algebra I
- 4 - Geometry I
- 5 - Algebra II
- 6 - Geometry II and Trigonometry

Science Subjects

- 7 - Geography
- 8 - Agriculture
- 9 - Botany
- 10 - Physics
- 11 - Chemistry

Vocational Subjects

- 12 - Domestic Science
- 13 - Manual Training
- 14 - Drawing
- 15 - Business Methods

(4) Those schools only which are approved by the Inspector of Superior Schools as having adequate equipment and staff, shall be permitted to present candidates in subjects marked with a cross in the above optional list.

(5) Candidates must take the eight Compulsory Units, and at least one and not more than three, Optional Units from those not already taken. For this purpose English, French, Elementary Mathematics and Latin are each regarded as two Units.