

SCHSA

Sanford Collegiate Hockey Skills Academy



- In the fall of 2026-2027, we intend to offer both a grade 9 credit (HCSA11G) and a grade 10 credit (HCSA21G), and possibly a grade 11 (HCSA31G) credit
 - These courses would run in the first semester and students will be scheduled for the class each day
- General Course Outline
 - Curriculum from the Hockey Canada Skills Academy
 - 65-70 hours of on-ice training at Sanford Arena
 - Students transported by school bus to and from the arena
 - Full equipment for all ice times
 - Storage for equipment at the arena
 - Full equipment cannot be transported by bus daily
 - 20-25 hours of off-ice training at SC
 - Intend to schedule off-ice early in the school year
 - 20-25 hours of theory at SC
 - eg - Respect in Sport, sport psychology, nutrition, etc
 - This will not replace mandatory PED credit needed for graduation
 - Grade 9 students can choose the hockey course or the optional PED 11G but not both
- Courses will be taught by the lead instructor (teacher) who will be aided by an Educational Assistant, mentor coaches, or possibly community volunteers
 - Lead instructor - Stewart Thiessen
- Cost
 - The fee for the course is capped at \$1150
 - Once the number of students registered has been confirmed (communicated in Sept), if numbers allow, the fee may be reduced
 - Cost for students this past year was \$850
 - Fee includes:
 - Major costs - ice time, transportation, EA wage
 - Minor costs - HC licensing and registration, HC Swag (jersey, socks, apparel), equipment
 - The payment schedule will be in 3 equal installments due on the following dates: September 2026, October 2026, and November 2026
- Next steps
 1. SC school registration package completed and submitted to the office
 - Including ranking the course selection page
 2. Complete the Google form to ensure we have current contact info
 - The form link can be found on the school website under Our School - Hockey Canada Skills Academy
 - Collected emails will be used to contact families regarding planning for next fall