## **Courses Available Through Academic Resource Department**

The following courses are available to students deemed exceptional by the IPRC and/or students with an Individual Education Plan (IEP)

## **GLE101 (Grade 9)**

This course explores learning strategies and helps students become better, more independent learners while increasing their personal management skills, both in school and in other contexts. Students will learn how to develop and apply a range of strategies to improve their learning and achievement, particularly their literacy, numeracy, communication, and planning skills. This course will increase

students' confidence, motivation, and ability to learn. The goal of GLE course is for students to earn a credit while they are learning to improve their academic skills. Students will be able to set realistic and achievable goals, identify modalities, learn about concentration and memory strategies and develop effective note-taking and test-taking strategies. In addition, students will also be given assistance with work assigned from other classes.



## **GLE201 (Grade 10)**

This course continues to develop successful study skills introduced in the grade nine program. The literacy component of this course further concentrates on written expression and communication, reinforcing skills in numeracy, sentence structure, grammar, punctuation, organization of student writing and presentations. In addition, time is spent focusing on personal knowledge and management skills. Students will explore topics such as life strategies for teenagers, possible career and job interests, and team building. Students will be given opportunity to develop greater confidence in their personal ability to cope with problem-solving situations. In addition, students will be given assistance with work assigned from other classes.

## **GLE301 (Grade 11)**

This senior level course is designed to assist students in preparing for a post secondary placement. Higher level vocabulary development is stressed at this level. Students will learn how to develop and apply a range of strategies to improve their learning and achievement, particularly literacy, communication, and planning skills such as preparing crib notes. Students will explore topics such as life management strategies, team building and employment skills. Furthermore, students will have an opportunity to learn more about their Individual Education Plans and how it will benefit them in post secondary education. This course will increase students' confidence, motivation, and ability to learn. Once again, students will also be given assistance with work assigned from other classes.