I’m learning the language of Canada’s First Peoples! Your teen will explore Blackfoot or Cree by sharing their experiences and ideas with others who speak these languages. Through their studies, they will discover and gain respect for the Blackfoot or Cree culture.

I’m exploring indigenous cultures around the world. In Aboriginal Studies 10–20–30, students explore diverse Aboriginal history, cultures and worldviews. They increase their knowledge about the past, present and future of indigenous peoples.

I am exploring my artistic skills. Students will create art by using a variety of media. They will develop their artistic, technical and critical skills as they explore visual expression; and they will discover various ways to share their thoughts and ideas with others.

I want to understand what art is and how it impacts the world. As a complement to their own creation of art, students will focus on how and why art is important. As critics and art historians, they will examine the role of art, why art is created and ways art may be appreciated.

I’m developing important life skills. Students receive career exposure through CTS courses. They develop life skills and prepare for the workplace or further learning in the industry that interests them. Students create pathways to occupations in common industries from the five CTS clusters: Business, Administration, Finance & Information Technology (BIT); Health, Recreation & Human Services (HRH); Media, Design & Communication Arts (MDC); Natural Resources (NAT); and Trades, Manufacturing & Transportation (TMT).

I want to get a head start in a career in agriculture. Through the Green Certificate Program, Alberta senior high students can earn senior high school credits by enrolling in combinations of courses in an agricultural production specialization. Each of the Green Certificate specializations provides students with access to the first level of an agricultural apprenticeship. Learners can progress in each specialization through two levels—technician level and supervisor level—and, if their career interests expand to management roles in agriculture, to a generic third level of the Green Certificate, the Farm Manager Program.
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You play an integral role in your teen’s education by providing the encouragement and support your teen needs to succeed.

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