

H.I.S. International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme "At a Glance"

Though small in student population, H.I.S. offers a *large school* range of IBDP subjects, from which students, with the help of parents, teachers and the IBDP Coordinator can build diploma programmes that best suit their immediate needs and future plans.

The scope of DP subject choices at H.I.S. allows students to tailor courses of study that fit their personal interests and goals. The H.I.S. DP is academically rigorous and places heavy time demands on students. A DP student must demonstrate self-discipline and responsibility in pursuit of the IB diploma. The effort, as IB diploma holders will tell you, is well worth it.

The IB diploma requires students to fulfill the requirements of CAS and TOK, complete the Extended Essay and one two-year course from each of the six groups, three at higher level and three at standard level. Below are the course offerings for 2024 – 2026.

IBDP Courses offered for 2024 – 2026

Group 1: Studies in Language and Literature

English Literature – HL, SL
English Language and Literature – HL, SL
German Language and Literature – HL, SL

Group 4: Sciences

Biology – HL, SL
Chemistry – HL, SL
Physics – HL, SL
Computer Science – HL, SL

Group 2: Language Acquisition

German B – HL, SL
Spanish B – SL *
German ab initio – SL
French ab initio – SL*
Mandarin ab initio – SL*
Spanish ab initio – SL*

Group 5: Mathematics

Math: Analysis and Approaches – HL, SL
Math: Applications and Interpretation – HL, SL

Group 3: Individuals and Societies

History – HL, SL
Business and Management – HL, SL
Psychology – HL, SL*
Economics – HL, SL*
Digital Societies – HL, SL*
Philosophy – SL*

Group 6: The Arts and Electives

Visual Arts – HL, SL
Film – SL*
Students may elect to take an additional subject from either Group 2, 3 or 4 – HL, SL

HL: Higher level
SL: Standard level

*These subjects are online courses via Pamoja Education; availability is restricted and extra costs of US\$1500 in year 1 and US\$1575 in year 2 for language ab initio or film, US\$1390 in year 1 and US\$1460 in year 2 for all other subjects per year. Prices were accurate at time of printing. Prices subject to 19% VAT.