

International Mindedness

RISK-TAKERS *Arriesgados*

KNOWLEDGEABLE *Sabio*

REFLECTIVE *Reflexivo*

INQUIRERS *Inquiridor*

THINKERS *Pensadores*

OPEN-MINDED *Abierto a Nuevas Ideas*



BALANCED *Equilibrado*

COMMUNICATORS *Comunicadores*

PRINCIPLED *Con Principios*

CARING *Bondadoso*

IB MISSION STATEMENT

The International Baccalaureate aims to develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.

To this end the organization works with schools, governments and international organizations to develop challenging programmes of international education and rigorous assessment.

These programmes encourage students across the world to become active, compassionate and lifelong learners who understand that other people, with their differences, can also be right.

The three IB programmes... Toward a continuum of international education

	PYP	MYP	DP
Nature	Framework Inclusive	Framework Inclusive	Prescribed curriculum Aimed at preparing students for higher education
Structure	Transdisciplinary units of inquiry	Organized around disciplines with interdisciplinary global contexts for inquiry	Organized around disciplines with theory of knowledge connecting the disciplines
How the programme is assessed	Internal assessment of all aspects of a student's learning	Internal assessment based on subject specific criteria; schools can opt for external moderation of teachers' internal assessment	External moderation of internally assessed work and external examinations
Learning to learn	Approaches to Learning and Concepts	Approaches to Learning and Concepts	Theory of knowledge
Learning through experience	Action	Community and service	Creativity, action, service
Language learning	Support for mother tongue development School's additional language from age 7	Support for mother tongue/ best language development Student's additional language (Language B)	Support for mother tongue development: school supported, self-taught language A1 courses Student's additional language (language B)
Culminating experience that synthesizes learning	Exhibition	Community project	Extended essay