

#### MISSION STATEMENT

ISD is the premier international school of Bangladesh preparing students for global citizenship and academic success through a dynamic IB curriculum supported by a diverse community.

#### **VISION STATEMENT**

ISD will empower our students through innovative learning to achieve academic excellence for impactful global citizenship.

### **ISD VALUES**

#### WELLBEING



Our community is dedicated to supporting everyone's learning and balanced growth, both individually and as a aroup.

#### **KINDNESS**



Our community values respect, empathy, and compassion in our relationships with each other and in our roles as active global citizens.

#### RESPONSIBILITY



Our community takes action to help local and global communities, aiming for a more inclusive, fair, sustainable, and peaceful world.

#### **OUR SCHOOL**

International School Dhaka is a prestigious IB World School in the heart of Bangladesh. Established in 1999, it was the first Dhaka school to offer the International Baccalaureate (IB) curricula to all its students, from 2-19. Home to 27 nationalities, International School Dhaka (ISD) students learn from experienced educators in world-class facilities and go on to attend leading universities in the US and around the world. ISD works in partnership with Carnegie Mellon University, Barcelona Soccer School and the Rohit Sharma Cricket Academy, to deliver high-quality programmes.

ISD is owned by STS Group, one of Bangladesh's largest corporate groups, which is bringing world class education to Bangladesh.

#### International School Dhaka

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College Board authorized PSAT/SAT Test Center

**CEEB Code**: 651002 **IB Code**: 002163 UCAS Centre: 45602

#### ACCREDITATION









# SCHOOL PROFILE 2024-2025

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## **KEY FACTS**



**373** K-12 Enrollment



**158** High School Students



High School Faculty 40



Class of 2025



Class of 2024

## **High School Students**



**50%** 

### **Secondary School Faculty**



### **STUDENT NATIONALITIES**

	Bangladesh	57	<b>7</b> %
*	Canada	_	2%
***************************************	Dominican Republic		2%
(6)	India		9%
	Kenya	_	2%
*	Malaysia	_	2%
	UK	_	2%
	USA	13	3%
<b>(</b> )	Rest of the World	1	1%



## **Reporting Academic Progress**

All grades at ISD are reported as scores on the IB 1-7 scale and students are given an unweighted grade point average (GPA). **ISD** does not rank students.

Courses taken at other high schools are not factored into a student's cumulative GPA.

### **ACADEMIC PROGRAM**

The language of instruction at ISD is English. The academic year runs from August to June. School is in session from Sunday through Thursday, 8:00-3:00.

## **IB Diploma Programme**

ISD offers the IB Diploma Programme, including studies in languages and literature, language acquisition, individuals and societies, sciences, visual arts, and mathematics, with the option of studying three courses at the higher level (HL) and three courses at the standard level (SL) including the DP Core requirements.

In the Middle Years Programme (MYP) students in Grade 10 complete the Personal Project which is awarded a record of participation from ISD and externally assessed by the IB.

## **US High School Diploma**

100% of ISD students receive the US High School Diploma accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC). On average, 75% of ISD students receive the full IB Diploma while 25% of students are eligible to earn 1-6 IB certificates.

Credit requirements for the US High School Diploma include:

SUBJECT	
English Additional Languages Humanities Sciences Mathematics Arts/ Electives	4 credits ***  2 credits **  3 credits **  3 credits **  9 credits ***

ISD DP GPA Scale				
IB Grade	GPA			
7	4			
6	4			
5	3.5			
4	3			
3	2			
2	0			
1	0			

## **IB Course Offerings: Academic Year 2024-2025**

	English	Additional Languages	Humanities	Sciences	Maths	Arts/ Electives
9 MYP		Bengali Language &				Design
	English	Literature	Integrated	Integrated Sciences	Standard Maths Extended Maths	Music
10 MYP	Language & Literature	Bengali Language	11			Theatre
	Acquisition  French Language		Exteriored Mutilis	Visual Arts		
				Physical & Health		
		Acquisition				Education
11 DP	English	French B SL	Business	Biology	Analysis &	Music SL/ HL
12 DP	Language & Literature	French Ab initio SL	Management SL/ HL	SL/ HL	Approaches SL/ HL	Theatre SL/ HL
	SL/ HL	Chemistry	Chemistry	Applications &	THEatre 3L/ TIL	
		Spanish Ab initio SL	Economics SL/ HL	SL/ HL	Interpretation	Visual Arts SL/ HL
		Bengali A: Literature SL/	JL/ FIL	Physics	SL	Theory of
	English B HL	HL	Global Politics	SL/ HL		Knowledge (TOK)
		School Sponsored self- taught; Korea A: Literature SL & Spanish A: Literature SL	SL/ HL	Environmental Systems & Societies SL		

## **History of IB Diploma Results**

IB DIPLOMA	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
ISD average score	33	34	32	30	32
World average score	30	33	32	30	30
ISD highest score	43	44	45	35	41

## **SAT Results Class of 2025**

	ERW Benchmark	MATH Benchmark	TOTAL	
SAT Benchmark	480	530	1010	
ISD Averages	602	595	1197	
ISD Range	410-630	400-710	830-1340	
Class Size: 20		Number tested: 8		



## **Service Learning**

ISD partners with local organizations to run student-led projects that measurably impact the immediate community. All ISD students are supported to complete service learning while working towards the US High School and IB Diplomas.



## **Extracurricular Programs**

ISD offers a wide range of after school activities, including weekly clubs for drama, music, and visual arts, robotics, Model United Nations, and the Duke of Edinburgh award. ISD students may participate in team and intramural sports, including varsity soccer, swimming, cricket, tennis, badminton, basketball and volleyball with academies led by trained coaches.

## **UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCE AND MATRICULATION 2023-2024**

The Class of 2024 is attending universities indicated in \*bold Based on student reported data.



#### **CANADA**

University of Toronto York University **Brock University** Concordia University Memorial University of Newfoundland Toronto Metropolitan University



#### **GERMANY**

Frankfurt School of Finance & Management



#### **INDONESIA**

#### **Airlangga University**

Bandung Institute of Technology (ITB) Gadjah Mada University Universitas Brawijaya Universitas Indonesia Universitas Padjadjaran (UNPAD)



#### **IRELAND**

Trinity College Dublin University College Cork University College Dublin **University of Galway** University of Limerick



#### **NETHERLANDS**

City University of Hong Kong **Hong Kong Baptist University** 



#### **MALAYSIA**

University of Malaya



### **SPAIN**

IE University, Madrid



### **UAE**

Rochester Institute of Technology Dubai Heriot-Watt University Dubai



Brunel University London

#### City, University of London

Coventry University King's College London Kingston University Liverpool Hope University London Metropolitan University London South Bank University Middlesex University Queen Mary University of London Regent's University London SOAS University of London University of Dundee University of East London University of Greenwich University of Leicester University of Manchester University of Nottingham

University of West London

University of Westminster University of York



#### **USA**

#### **Barry University**

Beloit College Buffalo State College Caldwell University Case Western Reserve University Concord University Florida Institute of Technology Florida International University

#### **Georgia Institute of Technology**

Long Island University Michigan State University New York Institute of Technology Palm Beach Atlantic University

#### Pennsylvania State University, University Park

Plymouth State University Purdue University, Northwest Purdue University, West Lafayette Quinnipiac University Rochester Institute of Technology

#### **Rutgers University, New Brunswick**

State University of New York at Fredonia State University of New York at Geneseo State University of New York at New Paltz Stony Brook University Syracuse University Texas A&M University

#### **Tufts University**

University at Albany, SUNY

#### **University of Cincinnati**

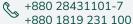
University of Colorado Boulder

#### **University of Massachusetts, Amherst** University of Massachusetts, Boston

University of Michigan,ÄìFlint University of Portland University of San Francisco University of Wisconsin, Äì Eau Claire Virginia Commonwealth University Virginia Tech Washington State University

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