



**International
School
Dhaka**

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 group.

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 school in Dhaka to offer the International Baccalaureate (IB) curricula to all its students, from ages 2-19. Home to 27 nationalities, International School Dhaka (ISD) students learn from experienced educators in world-class facilities and 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 extracurricular programs.

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

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College Board authorized PSAT/SAT Test Center

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IB Code: 002163

UCAS Centre: 45602

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SCHOOL PROFILE 2024-2025

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KEY FACTS



381 K-12 Enrollment



158 High School Students



40 High School Faculty



44 Class of 2025



20 Class of 2024

High School Students



50%



50%

Secondary School Faculty

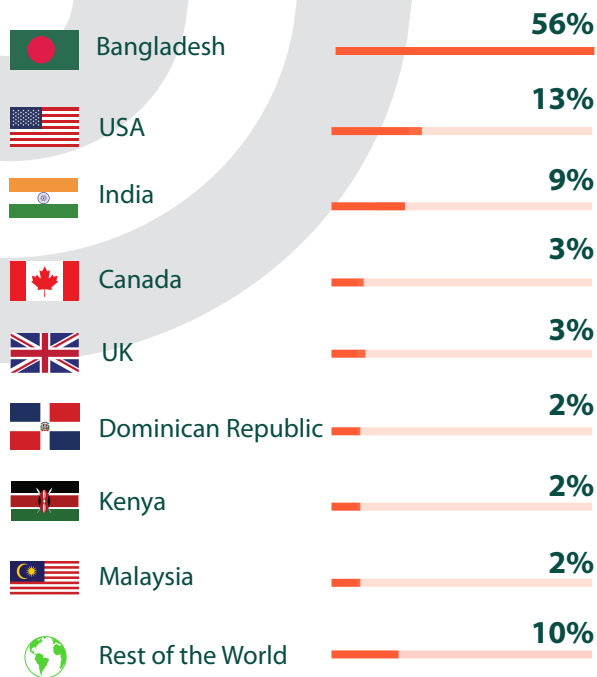


66%



34%

STUDENT NATIONALITIES



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, 8:00am-3:00pm.

IB Diploma Programme

ISD offers the IB Diploma Programme, including studies in languages and literature, language acquisition, individuals and societies, sciences, 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	4 credits ★★★★★
Additional Languages	2 credits ★★
Humanities	3 credits ★★★
Sciences	3 credits ★★★
Mathematics	3 credits ★★★
Arts/ Electives	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	English Language & Literature	Bengali Language & Literature	Integrated Humanities	Integrated Sciences	Standard Maths Extended Maths	Design
10 MYP		Bengali Language Acquisition				Music
		French Language Acquisition				Theatre
		School supported mother tongue language				Visual Arts
						Physical & Health Education
11 DP	English Language & Literature SL/ HL	French B SL	Business Management SL/ HL	Biology SL/ HL	Analysis & Approaches SL/ HL	Music SL/ HL
12 DP		French Ab initio SL	Economics SL/ HL	Chemistry SL/ HL	Applications & Interpretation SL	Theatre SL/ HL
	English B HL	Spanish Ab initio SL	Global Politics SL/ HL	Physics SL/ HL		Visual Arts SL/ HL
		Bengali A: Literature SL/ HL		Environmental Systems & Societies SL		Theory of Knowledge (TOK)
		School supported self-taught language				

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 Diploma.



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



HONG KONG

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



UK

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-Flint
University of Portland
University of San Francisco
University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire
Virginia Commonwealth University
Virginia Tech
Washington State University

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