



AUSTRALIAN
INTERNATIONAL
SCHOOL

An **inspired** school

SENIOR SCHOOL PROFILE



ABOUT AIS

Australian International School (AIS) is one of Vietnam's best schools. Students who graduate from AIS attend top universities across the world. No matter their cultural background and capabilities, students in the Senior School at AIS have access to an internationally-recognised, rigorous, contemporary and comprehensive curriculum. By combining the IB Diploma - the gold standard - with high expectations, multiple opportunities and an inquiry-based approach to teaching, Senior School students are encouraged and supported to build their knowledge, develop their critical thinking, and hone their professional skills to prepare themselves fully for a successful career.

MISSION STATEMENT

AIS is committed to providing high-quality international education. We encourage and support young students up to the age of 18 years in their journey to becoming inquiring and knowledgeable learners with the confidence to achieve their full potential. We empower our students to be global citizens who can actively make a difference to our world.

THE IB LEARNER PROFILE

Inquirers, Knowledgeable, Thinkers, Communicators,
Principled, Open-minded, Caring, Risk takers,
Balanced and Reflective.



SCHOOL STATISTICS

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Cambridge Assessment
International Education



INTERNATIONALLY
ACCREDITED
SCHOOL



Nearly 1200
Students



35
Nationalities

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

SENIOR SCHOOL CURRICULUM

The Diploma Programme is a challenging, broad and balanced two-year programme of international education for students aged 16 to 19. The programme aims to develop students who have excellent breadth and depth of knowledge – students who flourish physically, intellectually, emotionally and ethically.

6 Required Subjects; 3 at Higher Level (HL): 240 class hours; 3 at Standard Level (SL): 150 class hours. 3 Core Requirements; Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS); Theory of Knowledge (TOK); Extended Essay (EE).

The Six Groups

Students must take one subject from each group below. Students who do not choose Visual Arts or Music in Group 6 choose an additional subject from group 3 or 4.

All subjects are available at Higher (HL) and Standard (SL) level unless stated otherwise.

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Language and Literature	Language Acquisition	Individuals and Societies	Sciences	Mathematics	The Arts (or another Group 3 or 4 subject)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English A Language & Literature• Korean A Language & Literature• Chinese A Language & Literature• Vietnamese A Language & Literature• Japanese A Literature• School-supported Self-taught Lang. A: Literature (SL only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• English B• French ab initio (SL Only)• Chinese B• Spanish / Mandarin ab initio (through Pamoja) (SL Only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Business Management• Economics• Environmental Systems & Society (ESS) (SL Only)• Geography• Digital Society (DS)• Psychology	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Biology• Chemistry• Design Technology• Physics• Environmental Systems & Society (ESS) (SL Only)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Mathematics: Applications & Interpretation• Mathematics: Analysis & Approaches	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Music• Visual Arts

The Core

The DP Core is a compulsory part of the IB Diploma Programme and aims to broaden students' educational experience and challenge them to apply their knowledge and skills. It is an important part of preparing students for university and is what sets the DP above other post-16 programmes when university admissions officers look at applications from AIS students.

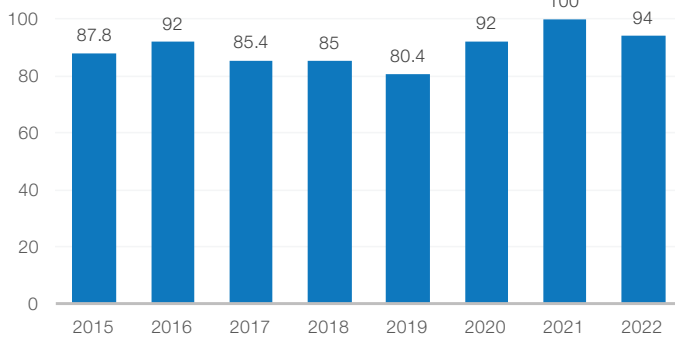
There are three required components of the Core:

Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS)	Extended Essay (EE)	Theory of Knowledge (TOK)
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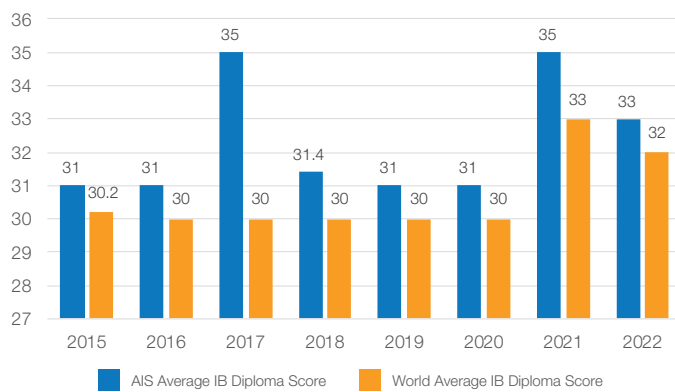


IB DIPLOMA RESULTS

AIS % PASS RATE 2015-2022



AVERAGE IB DIPLOMA SCORE 2015-2022



EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS) is a key component of being a student in the Senior School. All senior students are required to undertake Service Experiences. The IB CAS Coordinator facilitates and encourages students to be proactive in students initiating their own community service both in and outside of the school. CAS is seen as 'awareness leads to change and action'. Senior School students also lead the Global Issues Network (GIN) groups. Students also support many local charities and community projects of personal significance to them. These many on-going, school-wide efforts have allowed students to assume roles of leadership, engage in collaborative planning, and initiate and implement ideas to meet their fundraising and awareness goals.

STUDENT WELFARE

In the Senior School (Years 12-13), homeroom classes are arranged vertically so that senior school students can work together through the IB Diploma program. There is an equal mix of Year 12-13 students in each homeroom. This group meets daily, under the guidance of their Homeroom teacher. All students in the Senior School have both formal and informal student care sessions with their Homeroom teacher.

To support them through the two years of rigorous study that is required to pass the IB Diploma, Senior School students also have their own dedicated area for private study and rest near to their student welfare coordinators so they can easily access help if needed. In addition, AIS offers the services of our school counsellor and we maintain relationships with suitably qualified external professionals.



STUDENT LEADERSHIP

At AIS we focus on developing students who are able to be leaders throughout their lives, no matter in which community they live. There are multiple opportunities in the Senior School for students to build confidence and develop leadership skills. Student leadership gives students a voice and builds the respect that is a key component of the culture at AIS. Some of the leadership opportunities available to the students include:

- School Captains
- Prefects
- Student Representative Council (SRC)
- House Captains
- Sport Council
- Global Issues Network (GIN) groups

UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS OF AIS GRADUATES

AUSTRALIA & NZ

- Australian National University (ANU)
- Blue Mountain International Hotel Management School
- Charles Sturt University
- Deakin University
- La Trobe University
- Macquarie University
- Monash University
- RMIT Melbourne University
- Swinburne University of Technology
- Swinburne University of Technology
- University of Adelaide
- University of Auckland
- University of Melbourne
- University of New South Wales
- University of Queensland
- University of Sydney
- University of Technology Sydney (UTS)
- University of Western Australia
- University of Wollongong

US

- Academy of Art University
- Allegheny College
- Auburn University
- Augustana University
- Baylor University
- Beloit College
- Binghamton University
- Boston University
- California College of the Art
- Chapman University
- College of Wooster
- Columbia College Chicago
- DePauw University
- Dickinson College
- Duke University
- Emerson College
- Fashion Institute of Technology - SUNY
- Fordham University
- Full Sail University
- George Washington University
- Gustavus Adolphus College
- Hope College
- Indiana University
- Kalamazoo College
- Knox College
- Lehman College
- LIM College
- Long Island University
- Marquette University
- Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences
- New York University
- Northeastern University
- Oregon State University
- Penn State University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Purdue University
- Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)

- St. Lawrence University
- St. Olaf College
- Stonybrook University
- Syracuse University
- Temple University
- UC Berkley University
- University of California Los Angeles (UCLA)
- University of California, Riverside
- University of Colorado
- University of Connecticut
- University of Illinois
- University of Kansas
- University of Maryland
- University of Massachusetts, Amherst
- University of Miami (Ohio)
- University of Mississippi
- University of Oregon
- University of San Francisco
- University of South Florida
- University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin
- Washington & Jefferson College

CANADA

- Centennial College
- Concordia University
- Humber College
- Huron University
- Huron University
- John Molson School of Business
- Kingston University
- Langara College
- McGill University
- McGill University
- Seneca College
- Seneca College
- Simon Fraser University
- University of British Columbia
- University of Guelph
- University of Guelph
- University of Toronto
- York University of Toronto

UK

- London School of Economics and Political Science
- Brunel University London
- Cardiff University
- City University London
- De Montfort University
- Goldsmiths, University of London
- Liverpool Hope University
- Loughborough University
- Manchester Metropolitan University
- Queen Mary University of London
- Queen Mary, University of London
- Royal Holloway Uni of London
- St Mary's University, Twickenham
- UCFB
- University of Brighton

- University of Edinburgh
- University of Glasgow
- University of Lancaster
- University of London
- University of Manchester
- University of Nottingham
- University of Oxford
- University of Reading
- University of Warwick
- University of York

OTHER EUROPE

- Culinary Arts Academy in Switzerland
- Glion Institute of Higher Education, Switzerland
- Leipzig University of Applied Science
- University of Groningen, Netherlands
- University of Magdeburg

JAPAN

- Doshisha University
- International Christian University
- Keio University
- Musashino University
- Osaka University
- Sophia University
- Waseda University

KOREA

- Seoul National University
- Korea University
- Yonsei University
- Ehwa Womens University
- Hanyang University
- Chung Ang University
- KyungHee University
- SungKyunKwan University
- HanKuk University of Foreign Studies
- Sungshin womens University
- Incheon National University

OTHER ASIA

- Adventist University of the Philippines
- Bangkok University International College
- Curtin University, Singapore
- Cyberjaya Malaysia University
- De La Salle-College of Saint Benilde, Philippines
- Fulbright University, Vietnam
- Hong Kong University
- Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
- La Salle University, Singapore
- Nan Kai University of Technology, Taiwan
- Nanyang Technological University, Singapore
- RMIT Vietnam
- Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China
- Singapore University of Social Sciences.
- The Chinese University of Hong Kong
- University of Lancaster, Malaysia
- Vin University, Vietnam
- Zhejiang University, China



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