



SCHOOL PROFILE 2009-2010

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| Head of School | Mr. Helge Gallinger |
| Head of Elementary School | Mrs. Sunita Verghese |
| Head of Secondary School | Dr. Mark Newmark |
| IB Diploma Coordinator | Ms. Lily Nair |
| IGCSE Coordinator | Mrs. Antara Biswas |
| College Counsellor | Dr. Mark Newmark |

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| Enrolment (Pre-K to 12) | 250 |
| Elementary School Enrolment | 160 |
| Middle School Enrolment (6-8) | 40 |
| High School Enrolment (9-12) | 50 |

Senior Class Enrolment 11

Accreditation Council of International Schools (CIS)
New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC)
Cambridge International Education (CIE)
International Baccalaureate Organisation (IBO)
Department for Education and Skills (DfES)

Membership Near East South Asian Council of Overseas Schools (NESA)
The Association of International Schools in India (TAISI)

CEEB Code: 671634

UCAS Code: 46003

IBO Code: 002347

Mission Statement

ISH's mission is to develop responsible global citizens through proactive and adaptable professionals, evolving and progressive curriculum, and world-class facilities.

About ISH



The International School of Hyderabad (ISH) is a private, non-profit coeducational English-language day school enrolling students from Pre-School to Grade 12. In 1982, the International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics (ICRISAT) received permission to operate a school. Today, ISH enrolls over 250 students from 26 countries. About 45% of our students are U.S. citizens. The parents of ISH students work for the consular missions in Hyderabad and for multi-nationals including Microsoft, UBS, Deloitte, HSBC, Bank of America, Google, and Infosys. The student/faculty ratio at ISH is less than 1:6. 15 students is the preferred class size.

Faculty

There are 42 faculty members from 12 different countries teaching at ISH. The teachers are qualified, experienced, and dedicated professionals who work together as a team to ensure that the highest quality of education is delivered to students. Teachers engage in regular professional development to maintain those standards.

Curriculum



ISH has its own school-based curriculum which was originally developed from the English National Curriculum. Being a truly international school and catering to students from such a wide variety of nationalities, teachers at ISH have developed a curriculum which incorporates best practices from the American, Australian, and European education systems.

The high school offers the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme in grades 11 – 12 and the IGCSE Cambridge University Examination in grades 9 - 10. All high school students work towards the acquisition of an ISH High School Diploma. Students may also acquire the IGCSE and IB Diplomas or IGCSE and IB certificates. The curriculum does not follow any particular national curriculum, but draws from a variety of English-language programmes consistent with the needs of an international student body. The requirements for an ISH Diploma meet or exceed those of a traditional American high school diploma. Accreditation by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) and the Council of International Schools (CIS) attest to the quality of education

Credits

Credit is given by semesters. One full credit is earned by completing two semesters of a course that meets for four 45-minute sessions per week. The school year consists of 180 teacher-student contact days. The school year runs from mid-August to the beginning of June. Service to the community is a requirement for graduation.

High School Graduation requirements consist of 24 units of high school credit over eight semesters of study in grades 9, 10, 11, and 12. The minimum credit requirements for a ISH Diploma are as follows: English (3), Social Science (3), Mathematics (3), Natural Science (3), Foreign Language (3), Visual Arts (1), Information Technology (1) and Electives (7).



The ISH campus

Colleges/Universities that Have Accepted ISH Students

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| <p>Australia Bond University University of Western Australia</p> <p>Canada Mount Allison University University of British Columbia University of Toronto</p> <p>UK Bangor University Lancaster University Oxford Brookes University University of the Arts London, University of Manchester University of York</p> | <p>USA Arizona State University Babson College Bentley University Boston University Brandeis University College of William and Mary Fashion Institute of Technology New York University Northeastern University Ohio State University Pepperdine University Purdue University Rutgers University Southern Methodist University Temple University Villanova University University of the Arts (Philadelphia) University of Colorado (Boulder) University of Illinois (Urbana- Champaign) University of Indiana (Bloomington) University of Maryland University of Washington</p> |
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