

# IB Pathway at Inderkum



Students intending to pursue an IB Diploma or multiple Certificates should apply to be in Scholars classes during grades 9 & 10. While all underclassmen benefit from being part of IB MYP, Scholars classes are accelerated and more in-depth so students will be ready for the rigors of the IB DP.

The table shows the courses a student must take in order to be an IB Diploma candidate as well as meet the requirements for graduation and university admission. They would choose 3 Higher Level classes and 3 Standard Level classes. Additionally, they must complete the Core requirements of TOK, EE and CAS.

Students may take fewer DP classes during grades 11 & 12, in which case they will be eligible for DP Course Certificates. Their remaining courses would be AP and/or college prep, and they are not required to do the IB Core requirements, though they may opt to do so.

All DP classes last two years. Grades for Internal Assessments are reported to the IBO, and students take IB exams during May of the second year. Results are released in July.

9 <sup>th</sup> Grade	10 <sup>th</sup> Grade	11 <sup>th</sup> Grade	12 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Sch. English 9 Advanced	Sch. English 10 Advanced	English HL(1)	English HL(2)
Math I or Math II or Math II+ or Math III	Math II or Math II+ or Math III or Math III+ or Trig	Math A/I SL(1) or Math A/A SL(1) or Math A/A HL(1)	Math A/I SL(2) or Math A/A SL(2) or Math A/A HL(2)
Advanced Human Biology	Scholars Physics	Chemistry SL(1)	Chemistry SL(2)
Scholars Spanish or French or Mandarin 1 Advanced	Scholars Spanish or French or Mandarin 2 Advanced	Spanish, French or Mandarin SL(1)	Spanish, French or Mandarin SL(2)
AP Human Geography	AP World History	History of the Americas HL(1)	History of the Americas HL(2)
PE	PE	Theory of Knowledge (spring only)	Theory of Knowledge (fall only)
		Theatre SL/HL(1)*	Theatre SL/HL(2)*
		Biology HL(1)*	Biology HL(2)*
		Information Technology in a Global Society SL/HL(1)*	Information Technology in a Global Society SL/HL(2)*
Students may take an extra period to accommodate music. Some will take a summer art class.		*Students will take only one of the last three courses.	

## Inderkum's Journey

- ◆ Parents & community members were instrumental in bringing IB to Inderkum, and they are key partners in sustaining our growth.
- ◆ Coordinators, teachers, counselors & administrators attend IB workshops, and they collaborate to align and refine curriculum.
- ◆ The district's ongoing commitment & substantial financial support allow us to meet our students' needs. NUSD pays for students' exam fees.
- ◆ We are an IB World School, authorized for Diploma Programme (open to 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>) in 2014 and Middle Years Programme (serving all 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup>) in 2016.
- ◆ Our first IB Diploma students graduated in 2016.

Scholars & IB DP students are encouraged to be full and active members of the Inderkum student body. All sports, clubs and activities are open to them. Tutoring and other assistance is available.

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