

Fundamental themes of the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme

- Developing citizens of the world cultural and linguistic development as well as living together.
- Building and reinforcing students' sense of identity and cultural awareness.
- Fostering students' recognition and development of basic human values.
- Stimulating curiosity and enquiry in order to foster a spirit of discovery and a joy of learning.
- Equipping students with the skills to learn and acquire knowledge individually or collaboratively and to apply this knowledge to a broad range of areas.
- Providing international content while responding to individual requirements and interests, encouraging diversity and flexibility in pedagogical approaches.
- Providing appropriate forms of assessment and international benchmarking.

IB programmes are designed to develop students 'minds as well as hearts, not only through formal teaching but also through service to others.

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