

International Baccalaureate Diploma Program Course Request

In addition to the extended essay, CAS, and TOK course, each Diploma Candidate must take three Standard Level (SL) courses and three Higher Level (HL) courses over the two years of the program. HL courses are always two-year courses. SL courses are usually one year, but can sometimes be two-year courses.

Each Diploma Candidate has to take **one course from each of the Groups (1-5) and one course from Group 6 (or an elective course from Groups 1-4)**. You cannot count the same course for two different groups. It does not matter which are SL and which are HL as long as three of each are taken. However, two of your three HL courses have been chosen for you (due to NYS Regents requirements). Those courses are IB English A1 HL and IB History HL (year one of IB History HL is AP American History & Government). For IB Diploma Candidates ONLY, IB History satisfies the 12th grade NYS Regents requirements for Participation in Government AND Economics.

Directions: please circle one choice for each group:

Subject	11th Grade	12th Grade
Group 2: Language B	Fr III, Fr IV, IB French (Fr V) Sp III, Sp IV, IB Spanish (Sp V) Mandarin IV	IB French SL IB Spanish SL IB Mandarin SL
Group 4: Science	IB Biology SL Year 1 IB Biology HL Year 1 IB Physics SL Year 1 IB Physics HL Year 1	IB Biology SL Year 2 IB Biology HL Year 2 IB Physics SL Year 2 IB Physics HL Year 2
	Regents Physics* & IB Env. Systems & Soc. SL You will take one of these courses Jr. year and one Sr. year	
Group 5: Mathematics	Advanced Algebra (Pre Req)	IB Math Studies SL IB Mathematics SL
	OR If you have taken Adv. Algebra, then you will take an IB Math course Jr. year and an AP Math Sr. year IB Math Studies SL or IB Mathematics SL AP Calculus* or AP Statistics*	
Group 6: Arts & Electives	IB Film HL Year 1 IB Visual Arts HL Year 1	IB Film HL Year 2 IB Visual Arts HL Year 2
	IB Economics SL IB Env. Systems and Soc. SL	

* Not held to these non-IB course choices/your guidance course selection sheet will be consulted

Have you taken Health?	Yes	No	Have you taken Art and/or Music?	Yes	No
OVER	OVER	OVER	OVER	OVER	OVER

I understand and agree that, in addition to successfully completing six (6) required subject area courses, I am also responsible for these IB Diploma requirements:

- Completing at least 150 hours of creativity, action, service activities (approximately 50 in each) – includes documentation, reflections, and meeting each of the eight learning outcomes at least once.
 - 50 hours (including documentation and reflections) must be completed by the end of May in Junior year.
 - All hours must be documented on the ManageBac website.
- Writing an Extended Essay of 3000-4000 words and meeting these deadlines:
 - turn in a substantial outline by the mid-September due date (date TBA)
 - turn in a final draft by the early to mid-November due date (date TBA)
 - turn in the final essay by the mid-February due date (date TBA)
- Successfully participating in the Theory of Knowledge course [offered in a one period ACE or BDF schedule over the two years of the program].

I further understand, and agree, that I can be transitioned from the IB Diploma Program at City Honors if I do not meet the above deadlines for CAS and the Extended Essay.

Student Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

This form should be attached to your blue course selection form and submitted to the School Counseling Office.

The IB Diploma Application (separate document) must be submitted to Mrs. Banas by Monday, February 13, 2012.

*Please note that submitting this form does not mean automatic acceptance into the program.

You will be notified of your acceptance into the IB Diploma Program by March 31, 2012.