



The International School of The Hague

Secondary

The International School of The Hague Secondary School Profile for the IB Diploma Programme 2021 - 2022

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Fast Facts about ISH

- Oldest international school in The Netherlands, established in 1983.
- True International Primary and Secondary School with 1866 students on roll from over 85 nationalities (Primary - 560 students, Secondary - 1306 students).
- Semi-private, secular, non-profit, day school with semi-selective admissions.
- The Secondary School follows the International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme (MYP), leading to the IB Diploma Programme (DP) or Career Related Programme (CP).
- Total students in the DP: Year 12 (Grade 11) = 178 and Year 13 (Grade 12) = 182.
- Laptop School in the Secondary.

Accreditation and Memberships

- Council of International School (CIS)
- International Baccalaureate (PYP, MYP, DP, CP)
- Member of the Rijnlands Lyceum group of schools, a non-profit educational foundation that has schools in the local and surrounding area in Sassenheim, Oegstgeest and Wassenaar. We receive subsidies from the Dutch Government, and are accountable to the inspectors of the Dutch Ministry of Education.
- Member of the Dutch International Secondary Schools (DISS) and Dutch International School Primary Schools (DIPS).



IBDP subjects offered at ISH

Subject Group	Subjects
Group 1 Studies in Language & Literature	English A (Lang Lit, Lit) (HL, SL), Dutch A (Lang Lit, Lit) (HL, SL), German A (Lang Lit) (HL, SL), Spanish A (Lang Lit) (HL, SL), French A (Lang Lit) (HL, SL) Tutored Language A (Lit) (HL, SL) School assisted self-taught languages A (Lit) (SL only)
Group 2 Language Acquisition	English B (HL, SL), Dutch B (HL, SL), German B (HL, SL), Spanish B (HL, SL), French B (HL, SL) Tutored Languages B (HL, SL) Online: French Ab Initio SL, Spanish Ab Initio SL, Mandarin Ab Initio SL
Group 3 Individuals & Societies	Geography (HL, SL), History (HL, SL), Economics (HL, SL), Business Management (HL, SL), Global Politics (HL, SL), Psychology (HL, SL) Online: Philosophy SL, ITGS SL
Group 4 Sciences	Biology (HL, SL), Chemistry (HL, SL), Physics (HL, SL), Computer Science (HL, SL), Design Technology (HL, SL), Sports Exercise and Health Science (SL)
Groups 3 & 4 Interdisciplinary	Environmental Systems and Societies (SL)
Group 5 Mathematics	Mathematics: applications and interpretation HL, SL Mathematics: analysis and approaches HL, SL
Group 6 The Arts	Music (HL, SL), Theatre (HL, SL), Visual Art (HL, SL) Online: Film SL

IBDP Grading

- IB grading system from 1-7 (see overview on page 3).
- ISH does not rank students, calculate GPAs or award credits.
- Reporting is continuous, but we provide transcripts for November, February and July.
For Y13's: Mock Exam report in March and Final Report in April.



IBDP Grade Conversion Chart to USA-Standard Letter Grades

IB Marks	Descriptor	USA-Standard Letter Grades
7	EXCELLENT	A+
6	VERY GOOD	A
5	GOOD	B
4	SATISFACTORY	C
3	MEDIOCRE	D
1-2	POOR / FAIL	F

IBDP ISH Results 2018-2021

	May 2021	May 2020	May 2019	May 2018
Pass Rate	97.3% (world 89%)	95% (world 85%)	97.43% (world 78%)	92.5% (world 78%)
Number of candidates registered in the session	189	197	156	133
Number of candidates who passed the diploma	182	189	152	123
Average diploma points	35 (world 33.00)	33 (world 31.34)	33 (world 29.65)	32 (world 29.76)
Highest diploma points awarded	45	45	44	42
Average grade (out of 7)	5.48 (world 5.19)	5.3 (world 4.95)	5.24 (world 4.64)	5.05 (world 4.76)

ISH Clubs and After-School Activities

Students at ISH are able to take part in a wide range of locally and globally focussed clubs and after school activities. Many of these are student-led such as the Chess Club and Student Union and others are led by specialists like Bee Keeping and the Science Club. A number are



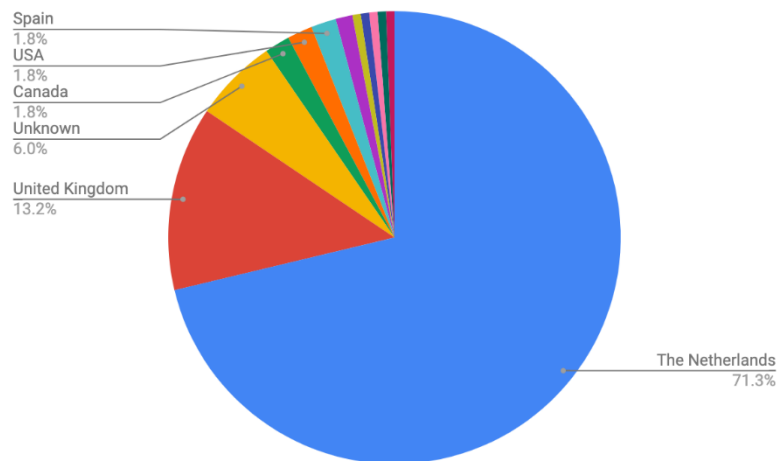
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curriculum related like writing poems and prose for The Thought Fox and the Math Club. What sets ISH apart from many other schools is our Global Initiatives Network which helps our students to become responsible global citizens through clubs like Silverback Engineers, The International Award and Greening the ISH. Our school is also a world leader with our Model United Nations conference (MUNISH) which attracts participants from around the globe. Our aim is that every student can discover, explore and share their passions.

ISH Sports

The Athletic Department believes that a strong sports program, whether from a curricular or extracurricular perspective, enables students to lead successful, active and healthy lifestyles. Our sports program at ISH encompasses both competitive sports (football, volleyball, field hockey, basketball, rugby, tennis) and non-competitive (recreational) activities. Our teams participate in a wide variety of sporting events both in The Netherlands and throughout Europe. Sports days, house competitions and a very well structured extracurricular activities program ensures that all of our students have the opportunity to participate at their own level. ISH is a member of the prestigious International Schools Sports Tournaments organization (ISST). We also compete within other competitive leagues and fixtures across Europe in a variety of sports at all levels; U12 to U18 Level.



University Attendance

Our students are accepted to universities all over the world, but the majority attend tertiary institutions in The Netherlands, The UK, and the USA/Canada.



Institutions that accepted our students in 2019 - 2021

The Netherlands

Amsterdam Fashion Academy
Amsterdam University College
ArtEZ University of the Arts
Delft University of Technology
Eindhoven University of Technology
Erasmus University College
Erasmus University Rotterdam
EuroCollege Rotterdam
Fontys University of Applied Sciences, Eindhoven
Gerrit Rietveld Academie
Hotelschool The Hague
InHolland University of Applied Sciences
Leiden University
Leiden University College
NHTV Breda University of Applied Sciences
Nijenrode University
Radboud University Nijmegen
Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences
Royal Academy of Art, The Hague
The Hague University of Applied Sciences
Tilburg University
University College Amsterdam
University College Roosevelt
University College Twente
University College Utrecht
University of Amsterdam
University of Groningen
Utrecht University
VU University Amsterdam

United Kingdom

Abertay University
Arts University Bournemouth
Aston University
Bournemouth University
Durham University
Goldsmiths, University of London
Hartpury University



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Imperial College London
Institute of Contemporary Music Performance
King's College London
Lancaster University
London Film Academy
London School of Economics
Loughborough University
Queen Mary University of London
Royal Academy of Music
Royal Veterinary College
SAE Institute London
SOAS University of London
Teesside University
University College London
University of Bath
University of Birmingham
University of Bristol
University of Cambridge
University of Central Lancashire
University of Chester
University of Chichester
University of Dundee
University of Edinburgh
University of Exeter
University of Glasgow
University of Hertfordshire
University of Kent
University of Leeds
University of Liverpool
University of Manchester
University of Nottingham
University of Reading
University of Southampton
University of Sussex
University of the Arts London
University of Warwick
University of West London

Belgium

University of Antwerp
University of Ghent



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Canada

Brock University
Carleton University
University of British Columbia
Wilfrid Laurier University

China

New York University Shanghai

Cyprus

European University of Cyprus
University of Nicosia

Germany

Bundeswehr University Munich
RWTH Aachen University
Technical University of Braunschweig
Technical University of Munich

Korea

Korean Advanced Institute of Science and Technology

Hungary

University of Veterinary Medicine

Japan

Waseda University

Poland

Warsaw School of Economics

Portugal

Universidade Nova de Lisboa

Slovenia

University of Ljubljana

Spain

Autonomous University of Madrid
IE University
Ramon Llull University



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Adelphi University
Boston University
Brown University
DePaul University
Elon University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Iowa State University
James Madison University
Louisiana State University
Loyola University Chicago
Parsons School of Design
Penn State University
Southern Methodist University
Washington State University
University of Cincinnati