



# Welcome to Seabreeze High School AICE

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# All about AICE

- **A**dvanced **I**nternational **C**ertificate of **E**ducation
- Advanced studies program affiliated with Cambridge International Examinations in the United Kingdom.
- C.I.E. (Cambridge International Education) is the largest program like this in the world
- 10,000+ participating schools
- over 160 countries

# Why AICE?

- Highly academically motivated students explore areas of strength and interest while taking college-level courses in HS
- Rigorous, international curriculum
- heavily writing-based
- strong emphasis on critical thinking, analysis, problem solving and interpretation skills





# Academic Advantages

- Rigor of HS Coursework is the best predictor of college success
- Extra GPA Points
- A.I.C.E Courses 1.0 extra (Same as AP, IB and Dual Enrollment)**
- Pre-AICE Courses 0.5 extra (Same as Honors)**
- Earn College Credit in HS (500+ US Colleges/Universities)
- A.I.C.E. Diploma Award = Bright Futures
- 2012 FSU study = Among AP, IB, Dual Enrollment and A.I.C.E, students entering university having participated in A.I.C.E had the highest first year GPA.

# Curriculum Requirements

**Must pass 7 classes and pass 7 tests to earn an AICE Diploma Award.**

- Requirement for A.I.C.E Curriculum - Complete **7** A.I.C.E -level courses
- At least one in each of 3 subject groupings:
  - Math/Science
  - Languages
  - Humanities
- **AND** The Core: AICE Global Perspectives

# AICE Curriculum at Seabreeze High School

## 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

- Pre-AICE English Language
- Pre-AICE Biology
- Pre-AICE World History
- Math
- Language
- 2 Electives

## 10<sup>th</sup> Grade

- AICE General Paper
- AICE Global Perspectives
- Pre-AICE Chemistry
- Math
- Language
- 3 Electives

## 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

- AICE English Language
- AICE U.S. History
- Math
- 4 Electives



# AICE Electives Offered

- AICE Thinking Skills
- AICE Business
- AICE Music
- AICE Travel & Tourism
- AICE International History
- AICE Marine Science
- AICE Chemistry (AS & A level)
- AICE Biology
- AICE Spanish

# AICE Categories

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4
Marine Science	English Language	Business	English General Paper
Biology	Spanish Language	International History	Thinking Skills
Chemistry		United States History	
		English Literature	
		Travel & Tourism	
		Music	

# Honor Code

## Cheating

To act dishonestly or unfairly in order to gain an academic advantage

- Taking, stealing, and/or using an assignment from someone else and submitting it as one's own
- Allowing another student to take and/or use an assignment to submit as their own
- Discussing a test or quiz with students who have not yet completed the assignment
- Unauthorized use of teacher test materials, answer sheets, computer files or grading programs
- Using any type of 'cheat notes' on your person, an object, or programmed within calculators, phones, or any type of electronic devices
- Knowingly helping another student commit any act that violates academic honesty

## Plagiarism

The act of using another person's work or ideas without consent or proper citation

- Directly quoting or paraphrasing all or part of another's written or spoken work without notes or documentation including information downloaded from the Internet
- Presenting an idea, theory or formula originated by another person as your own.
- Purchasing or receiving in any manner a research paper or other assignment that is the work of another person and submitting that assignment as the student's own work.

## Theft

## Unauthorized Collaboration

**Students agree to not engage in ANY form of academic dishonesty/malpractice.**

# Other forms you signed...

## **Media Release**

- Permission has been granted to film your

## **Financial Responsibility**

## **Film & Literature Permission**

# AICE Diploma Contract

## GPA

- Students must maintain a 3.0 GPA each quarter
- Students will take advantage of resources whenever academic problems arise

## Exams

- Students will take ALL AICE examinations aligned with the courses for their Diploma Plan
- Students will earn passing cores on Florida mandated tests

## Conduct

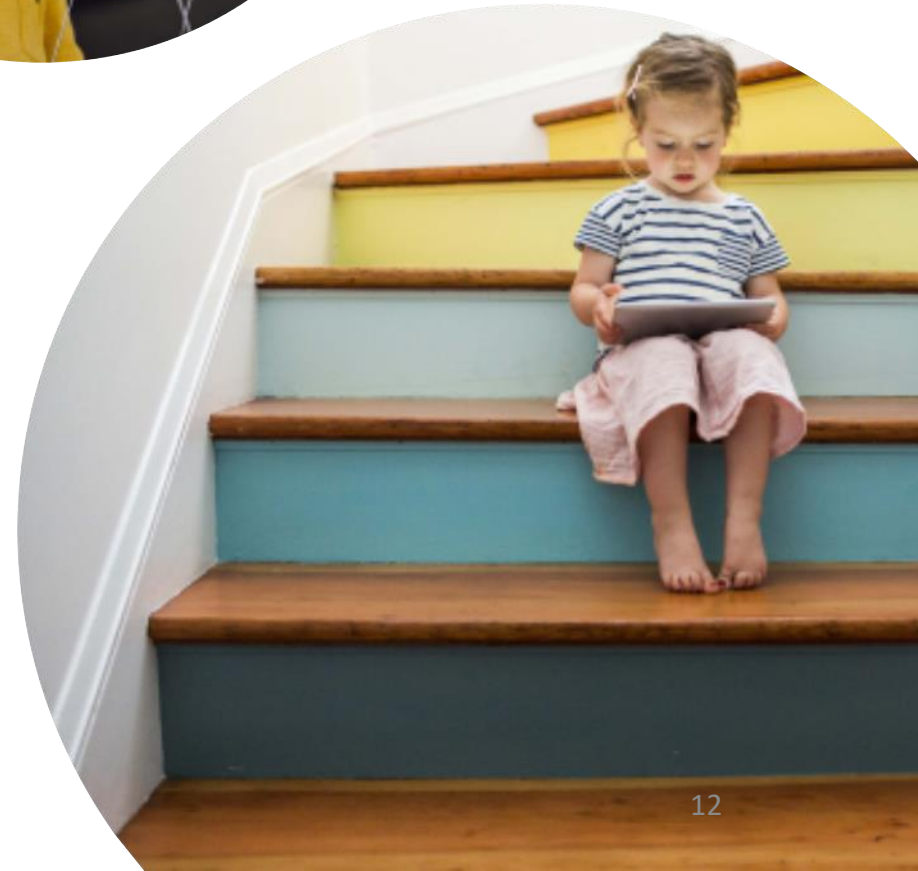
- Students exhibit good behavior **AT ALL TIMES!**
- Students will maintain a conduct grade of 1 for all courses
- Students will **NOT** be suspended for any reason
- Students will maintain good attendance

### *Courses of Action taken:*

- Verbal Warning
- Written Warning
- Committee meeting/decision on AICE Diploma candidate status

# Parent Role

- Monitor student progress
- Support teacher roles and protocols
- Support the AICE Honor Code and Contract
- Encourage self-advocacy with your student
- Encourage self-motivation
- Support your child's grades even if they aren't "All A's"



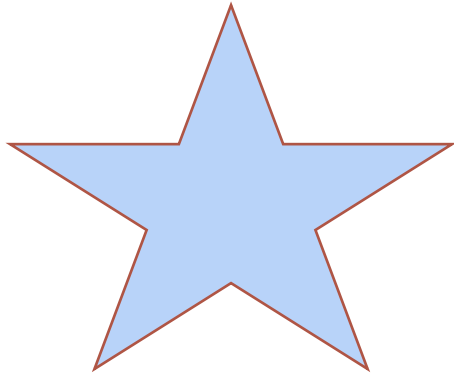
# Expectations

- Students will struggle
- Students will receive more than the average amount of work
- Contact the teacher first with any problems, then the coordinator, then you may take it higher
- You cannot do this for your child, they have to want to do it



## AICE Exams

- Offered in April - June of each year
- Mandatory for each student



- **June 2019 Exam Series**
- ***\* Administered 300 exams***
- 97% pass rate - English General Paper
- 97% pass rate –Global Perspectives
- 91% pass rate - International History
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- **June 2020 Exam Series**
- ***\* Administered 700 exams***
- Average - 97% pass rate in all subjects
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- 43 students in the Class of 2021 have already earned their AICE Diploma.

# AICE Program History

Began 4 years ago with 75 students → there are now almost 300 students in the program

Started with approximately 75 students → Graduating 70

Started with 3 Pre-AICE courses → Currently offer 11 AICE courses → will add 2 next year

The entire county gave 300 exams 4 years ago → SHS gave +700 last year

# AICE Accolades

## **Colleges and Universities our students have been accepted to**

- M.I.T.
- West Point
- University of Florida
- Florida State University
- University of South Florida
- University of Central Florida
- University of North Florida
- University of West Florida
- Florida Atlantic University
- Rollins College
- Florida Southern College
- Florida International University
- Florida Technical Institute
- Auburn University
- University of Alabama
- Georgia Southern University
- Rutgers University
- Florida Gulf Coast University
- Hawaii Pacific University
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- University of North Carolina, Charlotte
- Michigan State University
- Flagler College
- Stetson University
- Berea College
- Jacksonville University
- University of Kentucky
- Virginia Poly-Technical University
- Marquette University

*With over \$1,000,000 in offered scholarship money. Just to name a few!!*

# More Accolades

- Over 2/3 of our AICE students are in the top 25% of the Class of 2021.
- Mr. and Miss Seabreeze are Cambridge AICE students
- Almost 100% of our students are involved in extracurricular activities
- 3 of our students will earn their Associates Degree along with and AICE Diploma by the time they graduate.
- All Seabreeze Student Government Officers are AICE students. Our students are in leadership in many school clubs, active members of the community, members of the SAC committee and leaders on athletic teams
- As of March 2021, our AICE students have been offered more than \$1,000,000 in college scholarship awards with more coming in each day

# Join in AICE Boosters!

<https://shsaiceboosters.square.site/home>

Welcome to AI CE



Questions

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