Decree no. 2021-1054 of August 6, 2021 amending the provisions of the Education Code for the establishment of classes leading to the international option of the baccalaureate entitled “French International Baccalaureate”

Publics concerned: students in the Terminale class of secondary education in public and private schools under contract to the public education system; academy rectors; vice-rectors; heads of secondary education establishments; staff teaching in general secondary schools.

Subject: creation of the international teaching curricula to implement in the Première and Terminale classes of general education, in place of the international sections of the Terminale cycle allowing students, candidates for the general baccalaureate, to prepare for the international option of the baccalaureate known as the "French International Baccalaureate" (BFI).

Entry into force: the decree enters into force the day after its publication.

Notice: This decree provides that, in general education, the international sections of the Terminale cycle become classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate. A plurality of pathways (bilingual, trilingual, and quadrilingual) is established. This decree modifies the title of the international option of the baccalaureate, which becomes the "French International Baccalaureate", issued to candidates enrolled in this Terminale cycle course entitled "classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate".

References: The decree and the Education Code that it modifies, as amended, can be consulted on the Légifrance website (https://www.legifrance.gouv.fr).

The Prime Minister,
On the report of the Minister of National Education, Youth and Sports,
In view of the Code of Education ;
In view of the opinion of the Board of Education dated July 8, 2021,

Orders:

Article 1

In Article D. 314-52 of the Education Code, after the words "international sections", the words "and classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted.

Article 2

In Article D. 333-11 of the same code, after the words "international sections", the following words are inserted: "in
Seconde or in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate”.

Article 3
In the last paragraph of Article D. 334-11 of the same code, the words "International Option" are replaced by the words "International French Baccalaureate".

Article 4
In the last paragraph of Article D. 334-21 of the same code, the words "the International Option Baccalaureate" are replaced by the words "the international option of the baccalaureate, entitled "French International Baccalaureate".

Article 5
In Section 7 of Chapter I of Title II of Book IV of the same Code, the title of Subsection 1 entitled "International Sections" is replaced by the following title "International sections and classes leading to the international option of the baccalaureate, entitled the French International Baccalaureate."

Article 6
In Article D. 421-131 of the same code, after the words "international sections," the following words are inserted: "and, for the Terminale cycle, classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate."

Article 7
In Article D. 421-132 of the same code, after the words "international sections," the following words are inserted: "and in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate."

Article 8
Article D. 421-133 of the Code is amended as follows:
1° In the first paragraph, after the words "international sections," the words "and in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted;
2° In the first paragraph, after the words "these sections," the words "and classes" are inserted;
3. In the second paragraph, after the words "international sections," the words "and classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted.

Article 9
Article D. 421-134 of the same code is amended as follows:
1° In the first paragraph, after the words "international sections," the words "and in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted;
2° The second sentence of the fourth paragraph is replaced by the following sentence: "Complementary modern foreign language courses are added to the normal teaching hours, subject to the arrangements to be made in vocational high schools;
3. The fifth paragraph is replaced by a paragraph worded as follows:
"In collèges and lycées, the subject(s) or additional courses concerned and the terms and conditions of their teaching (timetable, percentage of time taught in a foreign language) are set by order of the minister responsible for education, after consultation with the partner country.

Article 10
Article D. 421-135 of the Code is amended as follows
1° The second paragraph is replaced by the following paragraph:
"Depending on the agreements concluded with partner countries, the specific courses taught in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate are taken into account for the general baccalaureate in the form of an international option, entitled "French International Baccalaureate;"
2° The third paragraph is replaced by the following paragraph:
"For the French International Baccalaureate, these specific courses may be taken into account in the context of the derogatory arrangements provided for in the last paragraphs of Articles D. 334-6 and D. 334-8 and Articles D. 334-10, D. 334-14 and D. 334-19, specified by order of the minister responsible for education. The tests for the French International Baccalaureate are set by order of the Minister of Education.

Article 11
Article D. 421-136 of the same code is amended as follows
1° After the words "international sections," the words "and classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted;
2° After the words "international sections," the words "and classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are
Article 12
The first paragraph of Article D. 421-137 of the same code is replaced by the following paragraph:
"In schools or establishments with one or more international sections or classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate, an international section and international course council gives an opinion on all matters concerning the life of the international section(s) and class(es) leading to the French International Baccalaureate and, in particular, on"

Article 13
Article D. 421-139 of the Code is amended as follows:
1. In 3°, after the words "in the international section," the words "or in the classes leading to the French international baccalaureate" are inserted;
2° In 4°, 5° and 6° c, after the words "in the international section," the words "or in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted.

Article 14
In Article D. 421-140 of the same code, after the words "international section," the words "and international course" are inserted.

Article 15
Article D. 421-141 of the same code is amended as follows:
1° In the first sentence, after the words "international section," the words "and international pathway" are inserted;
2° In the second sentence, after the words "international section," the words "and international pathway" are inserted.

Article 16
Article D. 421-142 of the Code is amended as follows:
1° After the words "international sections," the words "and classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted;
2° After the words "international sections," the words "and international courses" are inserted.

Article 17
Article D. 421-143 of the same code is repealed.

Article 18
In Article D. 421-161 of the same code, after the words "the international option," the following words are inserted:
"entitled 'French International Baccalaureate'."

Article 19
Article D. 422-39 of the same code is amended as follows:
1° After the words: "several international sections," the words: "or one or more classes leading to the French international baccalaureate" are inserted.
2° After the words "international section," the words "and international course" are inserted.

Article 20
Article D. 912-1 of the same code is amended as follows:
1. In the first paragraph, after the words "international sections," the words "and in classes leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are inserted;
2. In the second paragraph, after the words “the section,” the words "or the class leading to the French International Baccalaureate" are added.

Article 21
I.- The table appearing under I of Article D. 371-3 of the same code is modified as follows:

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« Article D. 334-11 Resulting from decree n° 2021-1054 of 6 August 2021 »;
2° The line:
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III. The table appearing at I in Article D. 374-3 of the same code is modified thus:
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| Articles D. 333-12 to D. 333-18 | Resulting from decree n° 2015-652 of 10 June 2015 |
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Article 22
The provisions of this decree shall apply as of the beginning of the 2022-2023 school year for Première classes and the beginning of the 2023-2024 school year for Terminale classes.

Article 23
The provisions of this decree apply in the islands of Wallis and Futuna, in New Caledonia, and in French Polynesia.

Article 24
The Minister of National Education, Youth and Sports and the Minister of Overseas Territories are each responsible for the execution of this decree, which will be published in the Official Journal of the French Republic.

Executed 6 August 2021
Jean Castex

By the Prime Minister:

Minister of National Education, Youth and Sports,
Jean-Michel Blanquer

The Minister of Overseas Territories,
Sébastien Lecornu