

IB at Huron



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The IB Middle Years Programme 9th and 10th grade



Huron 9th and 10th graders participate in the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme

What is the Huron MYP?

Huron High School is an International Baccalaureate (IB) World School offering the Middle Years Programme (MYP).

The MYP* is based on best educational practices that focus on and promote student engagement in the learning process:

- Inquiry - Students asking and seeking answers to questions
- Thinking critically and creatively
- Connecting learning to solving real-world problems
- Focus on both academic and personal success
- Interacting and communicating with others about learning.



*In the MYP all Michigan Academic Standards and graduation requirements are fulfilled.

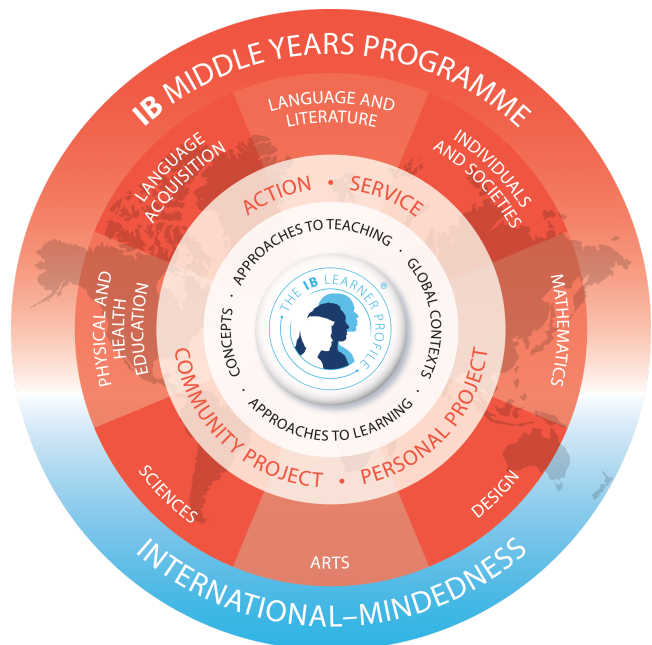
MYP Subjects

All 9th and 10th graders at Huron study six of the MYP subjects all year, each year as part of the school day.

The six MYP subjects are:

1. Language and Literature (English Language Arts)*
2. Language Acquisition (World Language)*
3. Individuals and Societies (Social Studies)*
4. Sciences*
5. Mathematics*
6. and **ONE of the following subjects**

- Physical Education/Health (Personal Fitness, Health and Wellness, etc.)
- Visual or Performing Arts (Visual Arts, Band, Choir, Orchestra, etc.)
- Design (Project Lead The Way, Business, Automotive Technology, Foods, etc.).



*Required in 9th and 10th grade

Courses are organized as units of study and can be viewed at <http://ib.a2schools.org>.

Click on the parent resource link. Then look for the “Scarlett/Huron MYP Curriculum Unit Planners” link and click on it.

What does a typical Huron 9th and 10th grade schedule look like?

Subject	9 th Grade		10 th Grade	
Language and Literature	English 9 (IB)		English 10 (IB)	
Language acquisition	World Language - continue with language taken in 8 th grade		World Language - continue with language taken in 9 th grade	
Individuals and Societies	World History and Geography (IB)		Economics (IB)	Government (IB)
Sciences	Biology (IB)		Chemistry I (IB)	Physics I (IB)
Mathematics	Math course - Algebra I (IB), Geometry (IB), Algebra II (IB) or appropriate math course		Math course - Geometry (IB), Algebra II (IB), or appropriate math course	
Subject 6 IB elective	Visual/Performing Arts OR PE/Health OR Design Electives - consider Personal Fitness (IB) and Health (IB)		Visual/Performing Arts OR PE/Health OR Design Electives	
Subject 7 Any elective or MYP core component	Elective	Elective	MYP Personal Project (see below)	Elective - consider Earth: History, Systems, and Sustainability (IB)

MYP Personal Project in 10th grade

Students complete the required **MYP Personal Project** in the first semester of the 10th grade. Students pursue a personal interest while applying the skills developed through the *MYP Approaches to Learning*.

During the course, students are guided to follow a process for learning that includes:

1. Planning
2. Applying Skills
3. Reflecting

At the conclusion of the project, students present their project during the Personal Project Exhibition at Huron.

Additional information can be viewed at <https://www.a2schools.org/domain/3664>.

MYP Approaches to Learning are:

- Research Skills
- Social Skills
- Thinking Skills
- Communication Skills
- Self-management Skills

The IB Learner Profile

The IB Learner Profile is the language used at Huron to talk about the behavior of successful learners. The Learner Profile addresses both academic and social-emotional learning.

IB learners are:

- Inquirers
- Knowledgeable
- Thinkers
- Communicators
- Principled
- Open-minded
- Caring
- Risk-takers
- Balanced
- Reflective



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