Social Studies Curriculum Area

Zurich International School

Social Studies

Grade 9

History I

Grade 10

History II or AP World History

Grade 10

Students may take an additional social studies course as one of their elective courses:

- AP World History (1-year course)
- Global Issues (Semester 1)
- World Religions and Belief Systems (Semester 1)
- AP Art History (2025/26) (1-year course)
- Cultural Anthropology (Semester 2)
- Global Politics (Semester 2)

Grades 11–12

ZIS and IB Diploma Pathway or **ZIS Diploma Pathway with ZIS and AP Courses**

ZIS and IB Diploma Pathway

- IB Economics SL/HL (2-year course)
- IB Geography SL/HL (2-year course)
- IB Psychology SL/HL (2-year course)
- IB History SL/HL (2-year course)
- IB Environmental Systems & Societies SL (2-year course)

ZIS Diploma Pathway with ZIS and AP Courses

- AP Economics
- AP Human Geography
- AP Psychology
- AP World History
- AP European History
- AP United States History (2024/25) (offered in alternate years) AP Art History (2025/26)
- Global Issues (Semester 1)
- World Religions and Belief Systems (Semester 1)
- Global Politics (Semester 2)
- Cultural Anthropology (Semester 2)

Grades 9 and/or 10 Courses | ZIS and/or AP Courses | IB Courses | Electives

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