

IB workshops in Beirut,
September 5-6, 2024



International College
In cooperation with the International Baccalaureate Organization
offers

IB Workshops:

Making the PYP Happen: Implementing Agency – Cat 1 (English)
The Role of Science and Social Studies Cat 3 (English)
The Role of Mathematics Cat 3 (English)
Concept and Inquiry in the DP/CP –Cat 3 (English)

Thursday, September 5 – Friday, September 6, 2024

Registration opens: March 15, 2024
Registration closes: August 15, 2024

Workshop Venue

International College
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Beirut, Lebanon
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Details of the workshops

Category 1 PYP Workshop Making the PYP Happen: Implementing Agency

Recommended Audience:

All Primary Years Programme (PYP) teachers (early years, Primary Years, new to PYP and with some experience of the PYP)

Purpose of the Workshop

This workshop invites you to inquire into your own teaching practices and reflect on how you can develop the capabilities of a PYP teacher. By exploring the PYP framework, you will connect how voice, choice and ownership is recognized and developed in all members of the IB community. You will be supported in your understanding of learning and teaching in a transdisciplinary, concept-driven curriculum and how to design this in your own school context.

NB: Prior to the training, you might be contacted to bring any required material for the workshop.

Category 3 PYP Workshop

The Role of Science and Social Studies

Recommended Audience:

Classroom teachers

Purpose of the Workshop

Many issues of personal and social relevance to students in the Primary Years Programme require both science and social studies understanding yet transcend the boundaries of these traditional subject areas. Their interdependent relationships, together with other disciplines, assist students in understanding the transdisciplinary themes. This workshop explores the key and related concepts and the development of skills within the context of science and social studies. It supports the development of a balanced programme of inquiry that addresses a breadth and depth of both science and social studies.

NB: Prior to the training, you might be contacted to bring any required material for the workshop.

Category 3 PYP Workshop

The Role of Mathematics

Recommended Audience:

Classroom teachers

Purpose of the Workshop

How is mathematics taught using an inquiry approach? How is mathematics addressed within and outside of the context of the programme of inquiry? How do learners construct and transfer meaning and then apply with understanding? The aim of this workshop is to support you with the skills, knowledge and ideas needed to successfully address the teaching and learning of mathematics within the context of their educational setting. You will have an opportunity to discuss the teaching and learning of mathematics, share resources and work on relevant curriculum documentation.

Category 3 DP Program

Concept and Inquiry in the DP/CP – Cat 3

Recommended Audience:

Diploma Programme (DP) and Career-related Programme (CP) teachers who are new to teaching through inquiry and concepts, and those who would like to learn more about planning lessons with concepts and inquiry central to students' learning experience.

Purpose of the Workshop

With the introduction of approaches to teaching and learning in the programme model, this workshop provides a forum for DP/CP teachers to develop their understanding of the transferable and universal nature of concepts and inquiry so that they take a more constructivist approach to teaching in the DP/CP classroom. Throughout the workshop, you will be exposed to strategies that challenge practices of focusing on isolated facts rather than the underlying conceptual connections. You will be guided through the process of backward planning through learning opportunities, actual content of courses and students' skill development. Activities will be structured so that you model a practical inquiry appropriate for the Diploma Programme or Career related Programme level using student-generated guiding questions. The workshop will be underpinned by current research in the education field through guided reading with opportunities to discuss and reflect on understanding. There will also an opportunity to work on individual unit plans and gain feedback from other participants so that you leave the workshop with a practical solution for improving classroom practice

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General Schedule for IB workshops

Thursday, September 5

8:00 – 10:30	Session 1
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshment break
11:00 – 13:30	Session 2
13:30 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:30	Session 3

Friday, September 6

8:00 – 10:30	Session 1
10:30 – 11:00	Refreshment break
11:00 – 13:30	Session 2
13:30 – 14:00	Lunch
14:00 – 16:30	Session 3

NB: Participants who attend all sessions of the workshop will receive a certificate of attendance.

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REGISTRATION FORM

This form should be emailed to the following address: erc@ic.edu.lb

School: _____

Address: _____

Tel No.: _____ **Fax No.:** _____

Contact email: _____

Current School status:

PYP authorized

PYP candidate

Non IB school

IB School code:

Workshop selected	Participant(s)	Position(s)	Participant's email

Registration fee per person: \$500

Total fee due : \$ _____

The registration fee includes:

- Tuition
- Workshop materials
- 2 lunches - 2 snacks
- Bottled water and coffee during workshops

Mode of Payment

For payment of fees, kindly contact the Educational Resources Center at:

Tel: +9611364016

Email: erc@ic.edu.lb

Registration and Cancellation Policies

Registration will be confirmed only upon receipt of payment.

Participants should not make any travel or hotel arrangements until their registration has been paid for and confirmed in writing.

International College reserves the right to cancel any workshop if sufficient bookings are not received (and paid for) at least 3 weeks prior to the workshop starting day. If IC cancels any workshop, registered participants are entitled to a full fee refund.

If a registered participant decides to cancel the registration, IC must be advised by email to erc@ic.edu.lb by Wednesday, August 14, 2024.

Cancellations received after August 14 will be charged the full workshop package. "No shows" at the workshop will also be charged the full workshop package.

Accommodation

Participants are responsible for making their own accommodation arrangements.

Participants must settle accommodation bills directly with the hotel. IC does not handle payment for hotel bookings. When making the hotel reservation, please mention the **IC Conference** to benefit from the special rate.

In the case of cancellation, the cancellation policy of the chosen hotel will apply.

All the hotels listed below are fifteen minutes away from Beirut International Airport.

Mayflower Hotel ****

Yafet Street, Hamra
Beirut-Lebanon
P.O. Box: 113 5304
Tel: + 961-1-340680
Fax: + 961-1-342038
E-mail: res@mayflowerbeirut.com
Website: www.mayflowerbeirut.com

The hotel's central location is convenient for walking around the city. It is also a five-minute walk to International College on Bliss Street. For more information, please check the hotel's website.

Single room : \$55/night

Double room: \$65/night

Rates are inclusive of breakfast, WiFi but are subject to 11% VAT (Government tax).

Crown Plaza Beirut *****

Hamra Street, Beirut, Lebanon, P.O. Box 113-7512
P.O.Box: 113-7512
Beirut - Lebanon
Phone: 961- 1- 754 755 / 755 754
Fax 961- 1- 749 555
Contact person: Mr. Mohamad Bilal
E-mail: Mohamad.Bilal@ihg.com
Website: www.cpbeirut.com

The Crown Plaza Beirut is located in Hamra which is a main shopping area in Beirut. The hotel is a 7-minute walk to International College. For more information, please check the hotel's website

Deluxe Single room: \$80/night

Deluxe Double room: \$90/night

Rates are inclusive of buffet breakfast but are subject to 11% VAT (Government tax).

Hotel Accommodation Booking Form

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Name: _____

School: _____

Address: _____

Telephone/Office: _____ Mobile Phone: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Single room Double room

Sharing with: _____

Smoking Non Smoking

Arrival date: _____ Departure date: _____

Number of nights: _____

Credit Card details

Credit card type: _____

Card Number: _____

Expiration date: _____

Name on the card: _____

Date: _____ Signature: _____

Please fax this form to the hotel of your choice.

General information

Visa

Please check visa requirements with the appropriate embassy or consulate, or with a travel agency.

IC can provide a visa support letter upon request for participants whose registration has been confirmed.

Climate

Lebanon's climate in September is mild. We suggest you check weather forecasts nearer the date of the conference.