

DWIGHT GLOBAL ONLINE

2023-24 COLLEGE PROFILE

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THE DWIGHT SCHOOLS

The Dwight Schools, a world-renowned network of independent International Baccalaureate World Schools, was founded in New York in 1872. Dwight now has campuses in New York, London, Seoul, Shanghai, Dubai, Hanoi (opening in 2024), as well as a campus in the cloud, Dwight Global Online School. Each campus is independent, yet connected to the network's central administration in New York, ensuring that all students receive an equally excellent, personalized educational experience. Students participate in a wide range of cross-campus exchanges, curricular and creative collaborations, and community service and leadership programs. The Dwight Schools network boasts an international student body representing over 50 nationalities with graduates who enroll in top colleges and universities in North America, Europe, Asia, Australia, and worldwide.

DWIGHT GLOBAL ONLINE SCHOOL

Founded in 2014, Dwight Global is the online campus of The Dwight Schools network. A pioneer in online education, the school offers students worldwide a college-preparatory experience equivalent to that of a brick-and-mortar independent school, but with greater accessibility. Dwight Global's virtual classrooms and community spaces bring together change-makers from across the globe with a multitude of sparks of genius, all dedicated to making an impact on their local and larger communities. They are drawn to Dwight Global for its rigorous academics, including extensive AP and IB offerings, synchronous classes offered in multiple time zones, diverse student body, and rich extracurricular opportunities. Dwight Global students experience a flipped-classroom model with twice-weekly college-style seminars dedicated to rich academic inquiry.



In 2022, Dwight Global was selected by the International Baccalaureate as a partner in its online IB Diploma Programme (DP) Pilot. The Pilot is designed to evaluate the delivery of the comprehensive two-year program entirely online and increase access to the DP. Our pilot for the delivery of the online IB DP began in 2022 with a class of eight students and has grown to include 15 for the Class of 2024 and 28 students for the Class of 2025.



ACCREDITATION

Cognia Global Commission:

- North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement
- Northwest Accreditation Commission
- Southern Association of Colleges and Schools Council on Accreditation and School Improvement

MISSION & PRINCIPLES

Dwight Global Online School is dedicated to igniting the spark of genius in every child. Kindling their interests, we develop inquisitive, informed, self-aware, and ethical citizens who will build a better world. Each Dwight School rests on three pillars: personalized learning, community, and global vision.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Over 45 clubs and extracurricular opportunities offer students a plethora of choices, including National Honors Society/ National Junior Honors Society, Global Issues Network, Science and Technology Explorers Club, Creative Writing Club, American Sign Language, Yearbook, Model UN and Diplomatic Leadership, Music Ensemble Club, Math Club, Engineering Club, WISER, and the Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Advisory Board.



grades 9-12



financial aid



by Faculty by Students



Average class size



in grades 9-12



Faculty with postgraduate degrees



Average # of APs taken

% of students taking 5 or more APs 92.63
Average

15
IB Diploma
Candidates







SPECIAL PROGRAMS & COURSES

Dwight Global encourages and provides both in-person and virtual opportunities for students to collaborate with faculty and peers.

STEAM Weekend: In addition to our annual inperson orientation, our STEAM weekend takes place on Dwight New York's campus each spring and brings together students in grades 6-12 from all over the country and globe. The multidisciplinary STEAM program ignites academic investigation and discourse as students explore themes such as "NYC Under the Microscope" and the "Science of Food and Taste," and "DNA In Focus."

Spark Projects: From writing, producing, and directing a play to starting a non-profit organization that addresses food insecurity, students pursue their passions or "spark of genius." Each Spark Project requires months of independent inquiry and planning, and culminates in a presentation of the project to a committee of faculty and students.

English Senior Seminar: Designed to engage students in a college-level English course, prerequisites include completion of an AP

English course or earned departmental approval. Students begin with a film study and analysis in trimester one, move into the study of nature in literature in trimester two, and end the year with an examination of graphic novels in trimester three. Weekly writing assignments focus on specific literary techniques, stylistic features and/or inferential messages. Each trimester ends with a cumulative assessment, challenging students to analyze material in a variety of forms.

Dwight Partnerships: Dwight Global students may cross-register at any Dwight brick-and-mortar campus; students at four of our Dwight campuses are currently enrolled in courses through Dwight Global. Dwight Global also boasts numerous faculty members from Dwight's network of schools. Students residing in New York have the opportunity to earn a diploma from Dwight School New York upon completion of graduation requirements.

















AP CURRICULUM

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SUBJECT	GRAD. REQ.	UPPER-LEVEL COURSEWORK	
English	4	AP English Literature and Composition, AP English Language and Composition, English Senior Seminar	
History	4	AP U.S. History, AP U.S. Government and Politics, AP European History, AP World History: Modern	
Language	3	AP French Language and Literature, AP Chinese Language and Literature, AP Spanish Literature and Literature, Hispanic Literature and Film, Mandarin Literature and Film, Introduction to Francophone Literature, French Classics A: Renaissance to Enlightenment (intended for native speakers)	
Math	4	AP Calculus AB, AP Calculus BC, AP Statistics, Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra and Differential Equations	
Science	4	AP Biology, AP Chemistry, AP Physics 1, AP Physics C: Mechanics, AP Environmental Science	
Electives	3	AP Microeconomics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Psychology, AP Computer Science A, AP Music Theory, AP Art and Design, AP Art History	

 $^{^{\}ast}$ All courses are taught synchronously except for Economics (standard/honors), Anatomy, and Health

IB CURRICULUM

SUBJECT	GRAD. REQ.	COURSE OFFERINGS
English	4	IB English A Literature (SL and HL), IB English A Language and Literature (SL and HL), IB Spanish A Language and Literature (HL)
Social Sciences	4	IB History (SL and HL), IB Business Management (HL), IB Economics (SL and HL), IB Global Politics (SL and HL), IB Psychology (SL and HL)
Language Acquisition	3	IB Mandarin (Ab Initio and B SL), IB French (Ab Initio, B SL, and B HL), IB Spanish (Ab Initio, B SL, and B HL), IB German (Ab Initio)
Math	4	IB Applications and Interpretations (SL and HL), IB Analysis and Approaches (SL and HL)
Science	4	IB Physics (SL and HL), IB Biology (SL and HL), IB Chemistry (SL and HL), IB Computer Science (SL and HL)
Arts	3	IB Music (SL and HL), IB Film (SL and HL)

- Dwight Global does not add weight to any courses.
- Average unweighted cumulative average GPA is based on end-of-the year junior grades and only includes Dwight Global courses
- GPA distribution: Dwight Global offers two very rigorous paths for students: our AP and IB
 curricula. We do not report GPA distributions given the unique nature of each curriculum. Also,
 students may enter Dwight Global throughout their high school journey, including senior year.

^{*}AP Microeconomics or AP Macroeconomics may count towards one history requirement; IB History fulfills US History requirement