

# 10 Reasons

why the IB Middle Years Programme (MYP) encourages you to become a creative, critical and reflective learner

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## Become a life-long learner

Learn 'how to learn' using communication, research, self-management, collaboration and critical thinking skills.

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## Learn by doing and experiencing

Through the MYP community project you learn to service the community and connect what you learn in the classroom to "real life".

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## The MYP encourages critical thinking

It teaches you to analyse and evaluate issues, generate novel ideas and consider new perspectives.

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## Learn for understanding

Not just to memorize facts or topics and prepare for exams.

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## Explore global challenges

The MYP helps you increase your understanding of the world by exploring globally significant ideas and issues.

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## Train yourself to:

- organize and plan your work
- meet deadlines
- concentrate
- bounce back
- persist
- think positively.

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## Subjects are not taught in isolation

You are encouraged to make connections between subjects.

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## It empowers you to develop your talents

Feel empowered to prove what you know and earn the MYP certificate or MYP course results.

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## It encourages international-mindedness

The MYP helps you critically appreciate your own culture and personal history, as well as the values and traditions of others.

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## It prepares you for future education

Prepare yourself for the IB Diploma Programme or IB Career-related Programme delivered by IB World Schools globally.