

IGCSE INTERNATIONAL GENERAL CERTIFICATE OF SECONDARY EDUCATION

GRADES 9 AND 10

The International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) is the world's most popular international curriculum for 14 to 16 year-olds. It is an international curriculum that develops students' skills in creative thinking, enquiry and problem solving, and provides excellent preparation for the next stage in their education.

The IGCSE course is externally examined at the end of two years of study. Students sit examinations in each of their chosen subjects.

2026 HIGH SCHOOL CURRICULUM

	PATHWAY A (Single Sciences)	PATHWAY B (Coordinated Sciences)	LESSONS OVER 2-week timetable
Compulsory	Mathematics (Additional Mathematics may also be offered where appropriate)		8
	English Language and English Literature (One distinct IGCSE for each)		7
	Additional Language Chinese/Hindi/Indonesian/Malay/Spanish/Tamil/Home Languages*		6
Science Pathway	Biology Chemistry Physics Lessons over 2 weeks - 5 per subject	Coordinated Sciences (equivalent to two IGCSEs) Lessons over 2 weeks - 10 per subject	Refer to options
Options	<i>Students choose 2 additional subjects to study</i>	<i>Students choose 3 additional subjects to study</i>	5 lessons per selected subject
	First choice must be one of the following Humanities subjects: Economics Geography History Religious Studies		
	Second choice can be an additional Humanities subject or one of the following: Art Drama Music Physical Education Computer Science Design Technology	Second and third choice can be additional Humanities subjects or any of the following: Art Drama Music Physical Education Computer Science Design Technology	
Non-examinable	Religious Education / Wellbeing Education		1
	Physical Education (Core)		2
Students are also required to participate in	• The Service Programme • The Activity and Sports Programme (over 100 options available each week) • A compulsory one-week NYAA Expedition in Grade 9 (voluntary in Grade 10)		

* For those with a MOE-approved Mother Tongue Language-in-lieu OR a home language not listed above, our Home Languages Programme allows students to build the learning of that language into their schedule. More details are available on request. Additional fees apply.