



# AISL

American International  
School of Lagos

## High School Profile 2025-2026

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### Accreditation and Memberships

AISL is fully accredited by the Council of International Schools and the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools. The International Baccalaureate Organization (IBO) has authorized AISL to offer both the IB Middle Years Program and IB Diploma Program. Additionally, AISL has an ongoing cyclical review of curricular needs and academic programs.

### Calendar

The 180 days in the school year are divided into two semesters, the first from August to December and the second from January to June.

### The School

Founded in 1964, the American International School of Lagos, Nigeria (AISL) is a non-selective institution established to serve diplomatic communities, multinational business communities, and globally minded local families. English is the medium of instruction. AISL strives to meet the diverse needs of children who come from a variety of educational systems from around the world. AISL is located in Lagos State, a densely populated and economically important region of southwestern Nigeria. Many businesses and major corporations, including Chevron, ExxonMobil, and Shell, have offices here. As the former capital of Nigeria, the city of Lagos is also the site of a number of consulates.

### The Students and Faculty

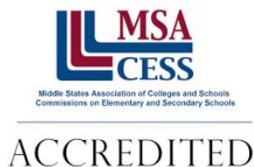
AISL is a close-knit community with a diverse student body of 448 students aged 3-18 from 50+ nationalities. Our faculty includes expatriate and local faculty members, representing 16 nationalities. We have 225 students in Primary School and 223 in Secondary School. Our families come from various backgrounds, including entrepreneurship, multinational companies, consulates, and NGOs.

### Mission

AISL provides exceptional learning experiences within a global community where all voices count. We spark the inspiration in students to be the best version of themselves so that they can joyously soar on their own paths of learning, growing, leading, and contributing as world citizens.

### Secondary Program

The Secondary Program (Grades 6-12) offers a rigorous curriculum, preparing students for higher education or their chosen career path. They can earn an American High School Diploma as well as an IB Diploma, tailoring coursework to their goals. Secondary students can engage in co-curricular activities such as clubs and sports (swimming, soccer, volleyball, basketball). The school utilizes the IB Middle Years Program to deliver the American curriculum in grades 6 - 10.



## International Baccalaureate Diploma

Our IB Diploma Programme (IBDP) enhances a student's educational experience by offering a comprehensive and integrated course of study during the last two years of Secondary school. Students choose to study three subjects at the "higher level" (HL) and three "standard level" (SL) subjects. In addition, full diploma candidates are required to complete a course of study entitled Theory of Knowledge, along with a 4000-word Extended Essay. A further requirement is that students actively reflect upon their extracurricular activities and service projects through Creativity, Activity, and Service (CAS). Pamoja (the only online provider of IB courses), is used to diversify our course offerings.

## Non-International Baccalaureate Classes

Due to the small size of our school, in grades 11 and 12, the majority of non-IBDP classes are taught in the same classroom as the IBDP subject equivalents. Consequently, these non-IB options adhere to the same scope and sequence as the corresponding IB SL course, but they feature teacher-designed assessments that align with the goals and objectives of the subject. They employ the AISL 1-7 grading scale rather than the more demanding IBDP scale and incorporate internal summative assessments that mirror those found in the IBDP subjects. All IBDP courses are mapped to American standards.

## University Acceptances Classes of 2018-2025

Universities in **bold** indicate matriculation

### Canada

#### **Brock University (2)**

Carleton University  
Lakehead University

#### **McGill University**

#### **McMaster University (2)**

Mount Allison University

#### **Toronto Metropolitan University (2)**

#### **Trent University (2)**

University of British Columbia, Okanagan

#### **University of British Columbia,**

#### **Vancouver (3)**

#### **University of Calgary (2)**

#### **University of Prince Edward Island (3)**

#### **University of Toronto (10)**

#### **University of Waterloo (5)**

#### **Western University (2)**

#### **York University (3)**

### Europe

'Ecole hoteliere de Lausanne

#### **IE University**

Jacob's University

Leiden University (3)

#### **Maastricht University (2)**

Queen Margaret University

#### **Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences**

#### **Royal College of Surgeons Ireland**

#### **Tilburg University**

VU Amsterdam

Webster University, Geneva

WHU, Beisheim School of Management

### United Kingdom

Aston University, Birmingham

Cardiff Metropolitan University

Cardiff University

#### **City University of London (2)**

Concordia University

#### **Coventry University**

Hartpury University

#### **King's College London (2)**

London Metropolitan College

#### **Loughborough University (2)**

#### **Manchester Metropolitan**

#### **Newcastle University (2)**

Queen Mary, University of London

Royal Holloway, University of London

#### **SOAS University of London**

St. Mary's University

#### **Swansea University**

#### **University (2)**

University College London

#### **University of Bath (3)**

University of Birmingham

University of Bradford

University of Brighton

University of Edinburgh

#### **University of Essex (2)**

University of Exeter

#### **University of Glasgow**

University of Kent

#### **University of Leeds (3)**

#### **University of Leicester**

University of Lincoln

#### **University of Manchester (2)**

University of Northampton

University of Nottingham

University of Salford

University of Sheffield

#### **University of Southampton (3)**

University of Stirling

#### **University of Strathclyde (2)**

#### **University of Surrey (2)**

#### **University of Sussex (2)**

#### **University of the West of England**

#### **University of Warwick (3)**

University of West London

University of Westminster, London

University of Winchester

#### **University of Worcester (2)**

University of York

York St. Jogn University

## United States of America

American University  
Arizona State University (Tempe)  
**Baylor University (2)**  
Becker College  
Beloit College  
Bemidji State University  
**Bentley University (2)**  
Boston College  
**Boston University (4)**  
Brown University  
Cal Poly, Pomona  
**California Institute of Architecture**  
California State University  
**Case Western Reserve University (2)**  
Colorado State University  
Cornell University  
DePaul University  
DePauw University  
**Drexel University (3)**  
**Duke University (3)**  
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University  
Emory University  
Florida Institute of Technology  
**Fordham University (2)**  
Fort Collins  
George Mason University  
George Washington University  
**Georgetown University**  
**Georgia Institute of Technology**  
Georgia State University  
Hult International Business School  
Illinois Institute of Technology  
Illinois State University  
**Indiana University (Bloomington)**  
Iowa State University  
Ithaca College  
Kalamazoo College  
Long Beach  
Loyola University Chicago  
**Marist College (2)**  
Marshall College  
Marymount University  
Mesa Community College  
Miami University (Oxford)  
Miami University Ohio  
Michigan State University (3)  
Michigan Technological University  
New Jersey Institute of Technology  
New York Institute of Technology (2)  
New York University (2)  
North Carolina State University (2)  
Northeastern University (3)  
Northwestern University  
Ohio Wesleyan University  
Pennsylvania State University (4)  
Purdue University (5)  
Reed College  
Rhodes College  
Rice University  
Rochester Institute of Technology (3)  
Rutgers University, Camden  
Rutgers University, New Brunswick (2)  
Siena College  
Southwestern University  
St. Cloud University  
St. John's University, New York  
**St. Olaf College (2)**  
Stephen F Austin State University  
Suffolk University  
SUNY, Albany  
Swarthmore College  
**Syracuse University (4)**  
Temple University  
**Texas A&M University (2)**  
**Texas State University**  
The New School  
**The Ohio State University (2)**  
**The University of Tampa**  
The University of Texas at Dallas  
The University of Texas at San Antonio  
**Tufts University**  
Tulane University  
**University of California, Berkeley (5)**  
**University of California, Davis (4)**  
**University of California, Irvine (2)**  
University of California, Los Angeles  
University of California, Riverside  
**University of California, San Diego (6)**  
University of California, Santa Barbara  
University of Chicago  
University of Cincinnati  
**University of Delaware (2)**  
University of Florida  
**University of Houston (2)**  
**University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (2)**  
University of Iowa  
University of La Verne  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
University of Massachusetts, Boston  
**University of Miami (2)**  
**University of Michigan**  
**University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (3)**  
**University of Minnesota Bemidji**  
University of Nebraska, Lincoln  
University of Nebraska, Omaha  
University of North Dakota  
University of Rochester  
University of San Diego  
**University of San Francisco (2)**  
University of South Carolina  
University of Southern California  
**University of St. Thomas, Minnesota**  
University of Texas, Austin  
University of Washington  
University of Washington (Seattle Campus)  
University of Wisconsin, Eau Claire  
**University of Wisconsin, Madison (2)**  
Washington University, St. Louis (2)  
Wesleyan University  
Western Michigan University  
**Whitman College**  
Worcester Polytechnic Institute

### IB Current Course Offerings

Group 1 - Studies in Language and Literature: English A: Literature SL/HL, Language and Literature SL/HL

Group 2 - Language Acquisition: French B SL/HL/Ab; Spanish B SL/HL/Ab

Group 3 - Individuals and Societies: Economics SL/HL, Psychology SL/HL, Business Management SL/ HL

Group 4 - Experimental Sciences: Biology SL/HL, Chemistry SL/HL, Physics SL/HL, Environmental Systems and Societies SL/ HL

Group 5 - Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches SL/HL, Applications and Interpretations SL/HL

Group 6 - The Arts: Visual Arts SL/HL, Theatre SL/HL, Film SL (Pamoja)

## Criterion Referenced Learning and Assessment 2025-26

AISL uses a criterion referenced approach to assessment in the IB Middle Years Program in grades 6 - 10 and the IB Diploma Program for grades 11 and 12. Students are assessed on their proficiency in the objectives found within the criteria and mapped to the appropriate education standards (Common Core State Standards, The Next Generation Science Standards (NGSS), and the American Education Reaches Out (AERO)).

## AISL Grade Scale

7 = Outstanding 6 = Excellent 5 = Very good 4 = Good 3 = Satisfactory 2 = Needs improvement 1 = Unsatisfactory

## AISL IB Results Summary 2021 – 2025:

Year	Total # of Students in Grade (Including Non-Full IBDP)	Total # of Full IBDP Students in Grade	Diploma Awarded	Pass Rate		Average Results	
				AISL	World	AISL	World
2021	28	26	24	92%	89%	34	33
2022	24	22	20	91%	86%	34	32
2023	19	18	13	72%	80%	29	30
2024	21	16	16	100%	80%	31	30
2025	24	16	14	88%	81%	31	30



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