



# Yonkers Middle/High School

## INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

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GRADES 7-12

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International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IB) (Academic Admission Requirements)

STATE ACCOUNTABILITY: Targeted Support and Improvement School (TSI)



We seek highly motivated and dedicated students who have a genuine interest in learning. We excitedly begin to welcome students into our school in middle school. We welcome students from our District's PreK-6 schools in Grade 7. While we welcome all learners in middle school, our own students are subject to our high school's academic admission requirements. Our incoming Grade 9 students will have to perform above average in four core areas: English, Mathematics, Social Studies and Science. The International Baccalaureate (IB) Programme offers our high school students an educational experience that is committed to high standards. Our goal is to empower our students to take ownership in their own learning and help them develop future-ready skills to make a difference and thrive in a world that changes fast.

### MIDDLE SCHOOL: GRADES 7 & 8

#### 2023-24 ENROLLMENT BY RACE/ETHNICITY

Asian	2%
Black	26%
Latino	63%
Multi-Racial	4%
White	4%

#### GENDER

Female	54%
Male	46%

#### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Students with Disabilities	13%
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#### MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS

Multilingual Learners	12%
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#### LANGUAGES

Spanish	36%
Arabic	1%
Urdu	1%

#### GRADE 7 & 8 ELA

NYS Level 1	36%
NYS Level 2	25%
NYS Level 3	16%
NYS Level 4	2%

#### GRADE 7 & 8 MATH

NYS Level 1	40%
NYS Level 2	22%
NYS Level 3	13%
NYS Level 4	4%

#### GRADE 8 ENROLLED IN REGENTS COURSE

Algebra	20%
Earth Science	20%

### SCHOOL HIGHLIGHTS

- *U.S. News and World Report* currently ranks us as the best high school in the city of Yonkers, and our International Baccalaureate Program provides an internationally accepted qualification for entry into higher education that is recognized by many universities worldwide.
- Graduation rate is the highest among the high schools in the city of Yonkers, and our graduates are accepted with academic honors by some of the most renowned colleges and universities.

### OUR CURRICULUM AND PHILOSOPHY

- The acclaimed International Baccalaureate Programme is the cornerstone of our school's rigorous curriculum. Our teachers facilitate lessons that are aligned to our District's and New York State Next Generation Learning Standards. The IB pathway encourages our students to experience learning with a deeper level of commitment.
- Our curriculum prepares our students to be competitive within a global context and this is why we teach lessons that promote civic responsibility and multilingualism. In fact, the New York State Department of Education awards the Seal of Civic Readiness and the Seal of Biliteracy to our graduates.

### CAREER READINESS AND MAGNET PROGRAMS

- **International Baccalaureate Programme** - (ACADEMIC ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS) The acclaimed International Baccalaureate Programme is the cornerstone of the school's rigorous curriculum. Students will have access to opportunities for academic enrichment. Students will participate in IB examinations and work to fulfill the requirements for an IB Diploma. Students will develop the characteristics of IB Learners and become better thinkers, communicators and problem-solvers while earning all of the benefits of an IB education.

### ABOUT OUR LEARNING COMMUNITY

- Our school believes that it is important to complement classroom learning with enrichment opportunities for our students. We encourage our students to become involved in sports and clubs.
- We believe that every student should be inspired to work to their full potential. We have a College Center and guidance team that instill the value of a college-bound culture in our students when they enter and supports their growth all the way through the college application process.

### SPECIAL ADMISSION PROCESS

- Our incoming Grade 9 students will have to perform above average in four core areas: English, Mathematics, Social Studies and Science. Our admission team will review Grade 8 report cards for all our applicants. Applicants who do not meet the academic criteria will be excluded from the randomized assignment process.

### HIGH SCHOOL: GRADES 9-12

#### 2023-24 ENROLLMENT BY RACE/ETHNICITY

Asian	16%
Black	13%
Latino	54%
Multi-Racial	1%
White	15%

#### GENDER

Female	58%
Male	42%

#### STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Students with Disabilities	13%
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#### MULTILINGUAL LEARNERS

Multilingual Learners	12%
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#### LANGUAGES

Spanish	35%
Bengali	1%
Bosnian	3%
Cebuano	1%
Philippine	1%
Urdu	1%
Vietnamese	1%
Wolof	2%

#### REGENTS

Living Environment	12%
Algebra	13%

#### ADVANCED PROGRAMS

IB	44%
Century Honors	59%
AP and College Link	12%

#### GRADUATION

Graduation Rate	99%
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