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International Baccalaureate World School



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ib Primary Years Programme

ib Middle Years Programme

ib Diploma Programme



How Do Students Enroll at YIS?

Students who wish to enroll for the current or next academic year, may complete the YIS Registration Form that is available online (www.yis-edu.org) or at the school's admission's office. Students from non-IB schools may enroll at YIS, provided that they meet the school's admission criteria. YIS aims to offer high quality international education, while keeping school fees affordable, as compared to other International schools which also offer the full IB programme.



Why International Education?

The Yogyakarta Independent School (YIS) was established in 1989 as Yogyakarta's flagship for international education. The YIS is an activity of the Yogyakarta Foundation for International Education (YPIY). The school is run by a team of educators from around the world who apply the highest standards of international education. In sharing their knowledge and experience, YIS teachers serve as role models for their students. An international education invites students and teachers to see the big picture - to think about our common humanity and interdependence on a global level.

What is the International Baccalaureate?

The highly respected International Baccalaureate (IB) is an international education foundation that has been designed to prepare students to find their place and excel in the world. It focuses on inquiry-based education that prepares students to succeed by teaching them to think critically and independently. At YIS we pride ourselves on being the only international school in Yogyakarta authorized to offer the complete range of IB education for children aged 3 to 18. We offer the Primary Years Programme (PYP), Middle Years Programme (MYP), and Diploma Programme (DP). All reports, diplomas and certificates issued by YIS are compatible with other international schools in Indonesia and abroad, as well as with universities worldwide.



What is the Vision and Mission of YIS?

Yogyakarta Independent School provides a stimulating environment for young people to become caring, curious and critical thinkers. We empower our students to become relevant and to make a difference in a rapidly changing world by maintaining due respect for intercultural diversity, human values and professional integrity. Our students are ready to aim high when pursuing their personal ambitions; at the same time they support the aspirations of others by sharing their knowledge, skills and experience, and by committing to lifelong learning.

How is the National Curriculum Integrated into Our Programs?

Based on the licenses issued by Indonesia's Ministry of Education and Culture, the YIS curriculum also integrates the core subjects of Ujian Nasional (UN), particularly for Indonesian students. Teaching is delivered in English, but at the same time reflects and is responsive to the school's international population. Other languages taught at YIS include: French and Spanish.

What Makes the YIS Campus Unique?

The YIS campus is strategically located in a quiet residential neighborhood in the northern part of Yogyakarta, with convenient access from the city's Ring Road. The campus grounds of 6.5 hectares comprises botanical gardens, the gymnastics and Olympic-sized sports fields. YIS students and parents are invited to visit our campus to enjoy our green environment.

What Extra-Curricular Activities are Offered by YIS?

YIS students enjoy a wide range of choice in their extra-curricular activities, which are designed to nurture their creative and athletic skills. Offered on a rotating basis, some of the programs available include: Music Club, Basketball, Taekwondo, Soccer, Volleyball, Visual Arts, Dance, Scouting, Journalism, Computer Science, Student Council and Science Club. In addition to these activities, students may also join cultural, environmental, and scientific excursions.

