

WESTWIND COMMUNITY SCHOOLS

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The International Baccalaureate Program Application

Please carefully print all information on this form – thank you!

Name: _____ Male _____ Female _____

Address: _____ City _____ AZ. Zip _____

Home phone: _____ Parent(s) cell Phone: _____

Parent(s) Names: _____ Family e-mail address: _____

Current year in school: 8th _____ Freshmen _____ Other? _____

School you are currently attending: _____ School District: _____

Please list two teachers at your school from whom you are requesting recommendations. They should send the recommendations directly to WestWind Preparatory Academy. (Please include their first and last names):

1) _____ 2) _____

The International Baccalaureate Program is a rigorous, integrated program of studies for highly-motivated, hard-working students. You are encouraged to apply for admission to this program if you meet the qualifications..

- Take challenging, honors-level classes Have good attendance Maintain a B average
- Turn in assignments on time Score well above average in all areas on a standardized achievement test
- Obtain recommendations for an academically-challenging program from two of your teachers.

Please sign below, acknowledging that you understand that the International Baccalaureate courses are rigorous and demanding of your time and effort and that you are willing to meet this challenge.

Student: _____ Date: _____

Parents, please sign below acknowledging that you are aware that your son/ daughter is applying to be part of an academically-challenging program and that you support this choice. Admission to the junior and senior level IB classes will depend upon successful completion of pre-IB courses.

Parent: _____ Date: _____

To this application please attach the following:

- A copy of grade reports for 7th and 8th grade.
- A copy of the Stanford 10 (or other widely-recognized achievement test) from the 7th grade.
- A short (about one typed page) essay to begin as follows: ***"I am really interested in ..."*** We are not looking for any particular answers but are interested in your ability to express yourself fluently while following accepted conventions of writing. This should not be about your interest in the IB program. It should be a more personal essay.

The International Baccalaureate Diploma Program includes the 11th and 12th grades. However, 9th and 10th grade students will be enrolled in Pre-IB classes which will provide the necessary prerequisites for their admission and success in the IB Program.

Please send the application and accompanying documents to:

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