

# INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMME

Halton District  
High School



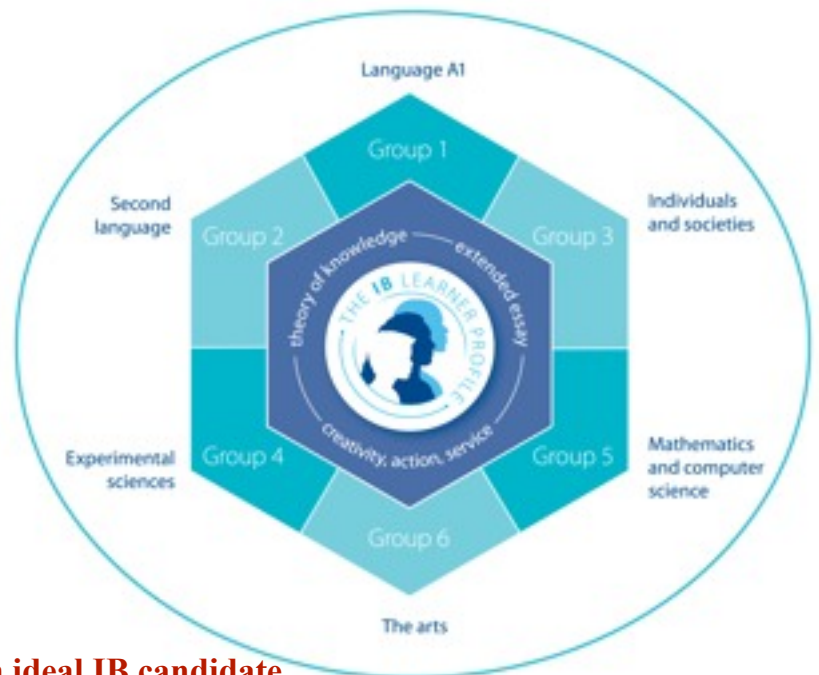
**What is IB?** The IB Diploma Programme is designed as an academically challenging and balanced programme of education with final examinations that prepare students, normally aged 16 to 19, for success at university and life beyond. The programme is normally taught over two years and has gained recognition and respect from the world's leading universities.

Since its inception in 1968, IB World Schools have developed inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better world through intercultural understanding and respect.

**Why IB?** The international rigor of the IB curriculum has developed an outstanding reputation among the leading undergraduate colleges and universities around the world. All Canadian universities accept the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

IB is strongly committed to the "Liberal Arts Tradition" of education, which also provides the philosophical basis for undergraduate programmes in many of the world's leading universities. IB Diploma students take subjects from each of the six groups of the IB Hexagon, as well as completing the core requirements.

## IB Hexagon



### An ideal IB candidate

- *is self-motivated, confident, and independent*
- *has a strong desire to be challenged academically*
- *thinks critically and creatively*
- *demonstrates integrity, honesty, fairness, empathy & compassion*
- *is open-minded, well-balanced, and a reflective individual*
- *participates in school and community activities*
- *has global awareness and strives for equity, inclusiveness and social justice*

# Georgetown District High School

## INTERNATIONAL STUDIES PREPARATION PROGRAMME

## INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMME



Established 1887  
"Abent Studia in Mores"

**The International Studies Preparation Programme** is a two-year enrichment programme for grades 9 and 10, designed to prepare students for the challenges and rewards of the rigorous IB programme.

**The International Baccalaureate Programme** requires all Diploma Candidates to study languages, sciences, mathematics, humanities and the arts. The six groups and subjects offered at Georgetown District are:

Language A1	English (HL) = 3 credits
Language B	French (SL) = 2 credits
Individuals & Societies	History (SL) = 2 credits History of the Americas (HL) = 3 credits Economics (SL) = 2 credits Economics (HL) = 3 credits
Experimental Sciences	Chemistry (SL) = 2 credits Biology (HL) = 3 credits
Mathematics	Mathematics (SL) = 2 credits
Arts and Electives	Theatre Arts (SL) = 2 credits Visual Arts (SL) = 2 credits A 2nd subject from group 3 or 4



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### Application Details and Contact Information:

To apply for the International Studies Preparation Programme or the International Baccalaureate Programme, please log onto [www.georgetowndistricthighschool.com](http://www.georgetowndistricthighschool.com).

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