

**INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF BREMEN
INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAMME
ADMISSION POLICY**

This admission policy is an adjunct to the General Admission Policy of the school. All criteria within General Admission Policy apply.

Admission into the ISB IB Diploma Programme is non-selective regarding academic ability as long as the student can construct a suitable Diploma combination of subjects, meets ISB General Admission requirements and is committed to an international education that is academically demanding.

In addition, the following factors will determine entry into the IB Diploma Programme:

- Attendance in Grade 10 at ISB with grades that suggest that it is worthwhile that the student continues their studies at ISB. Normally students would have completed IGCSE's, and teachers, in consultation with the MTM, will deem it appropriate for the student to continue attending ISB into the IB Diploma Programme.
- Students entering into Grade 11 to begin the IB Diploma must
 - Show evidence that they have completed appropriate courses to a Grade 10 level in a previous school. This is usually done by providing a school report of the first semester of Grade 10 (or the second semester of Grade 10 if applying in the summer prior to Grade 11) or IGCSE or equivalent examination results.
 - Be interviewed with a parent or guardian by the Director of the school or their designate and meet all general entry requirements.
 - When declaring a learning disability at admission point, provide appropriate official documentation describing the difficulty and official recommendation as to how best support the student. The general rules of accepting students with learning difficulties will apply. Support for such students during the Programme will be within the Special Education Needs ISB IB Policy.
 - When declaring a physical handicap, a judgment will be made as to whether the student can reasonably, safely and comfortably be accommodated in the building, in offsite facilities, and through the school's timetable after all reasonable adjustments have been made. (It should be noted that the school has a lift and all sections of the school are reachable by wheelchair.)
 - Show evidence that they will be supported by parents or guardians during the whole of the Diploma Programme. Either a parent or guardian must usually be resident within the environs of Bremen. If not, a suitable carer living within the environs of Bremen needs to be designated. When a student has refugee or similar status, a representative of the caring organization must be interviewed by the Director or their designate.
- Accept that failure by the obligor to pay all stated fees in a timely manner will result in the curtailing of the right to continue with the IB Diploma Programme at ISB.
- Accept that breaches in the Academic Honesty Agreement Declaration might result in the ending of the right to continue with the IB Diploma Programme at ISB.