

San Clemente High School International Baccalaureate Diploma

Course Sequence & Curriculum Guide updated 8/25

Subject Groups	9	10	<i>IBDP: 11</i>	<i>IBDP: 12</i>
Subject 1: Language A	Honors English 1	Honors English 2	<i>IB/AP Lang & Comp</i>	<i>IB Literature HL</i>
Subject 2: Language Acquisition	French I, II Spanish I, II, III, IV	French II, III Spanish II, III, IV, SL	<i>French III, IB SL Spanish III, IV, SL, AP</i>	<i>IB French SL or HL IB Spanish SL or HL</i>
Subject 3: Individuals & Societies	*Honors World History (Optional)	AP European Hist AP Art History *VPA	<i>IB/AP US History</i>	<i>IB Global Politics HL</i>
Subject 4: Sciences	Biology Honors Biology	Chemistry Honors Chemistry	<i>AP Biology (must take for IB Bio) IB/AP Enviro Sci SL IB Marine Sci SL IB Design Tech SL</i>	<i>IB Biology HL IB/AP Enviro Sci SL IB Marine Sci SL IB Design Tech SL or HL</i>
Subject 5: Mathematics				
<i>Option 1:</i>	Algebra 1 (Geometry in summer)	Algebra 2	<i>Precalculus</i>	<i>Topics in Calculus (IB Math AA SL Exam)</i>
<i>Option 2:</i>	Geometry	Honors Alg 2/Trig	<i>Honors Precalc</i>	<i>IB/AP Calc AB (IB Math AA SL Exam)</i>
<i>Option 3:</i>	Honors Alg 2/Trig	Honors Precalc	<i>IB/AP Calc AB (IB Math AA SL Exam)</i>	<i>IB/AP Calc BC (IB Math AA SL or HL Exam)</i>
6th Subject: *scan for IB info 	PE or Sport *scan for guidance 	PE or Sport Note: All HL courses are based on 2 years of study and have prerequisites	<i>IB Psych SL (6th period only) IB Film SL *VPA IB Music SL *VPA IB Theater SL * IB 2nd Science SL IB 2nd Language SL</i>	<i>IB Psych SL or HL *HL Psych must take AP Psych or HAnat 1st (offered 6th period) IB Film SL or HL *VPA IB Music SL * IB Theater SL *VPA IB 2nd Science SL IB 2nd Language SL</i>

The Diploma Program CORE Requirements

CAS (Creativity/Activity/Service) Real, purposeful activities to meet the 7 Learning Outcomes	11th: CAS Experiences & Project *See the handbook	12th: CAS Experiences & Project *See the handbook
ToK (Theory of Knowledge course) Reflects on how we claim to know what we know in the 5 Areas of Knowledge through the 12 Key Concepts.	11th: Meets Mon 4-5:30 pm * ToK Exhibition in March (900-word paper and presentation)	12th: Meets Mon 4-5:30 pm * ToK Essay in February (1600-word essay on prescribed title)
EE (Extended Essay) An independent essay on a self-selected subject, guided by a faculty supervisor	11th: Proposal of EE topic and selection of supervisor. Work with the supervisor and draft during the senior year.	12th: *Final EE due in Feb. (4000-word maximum research paper).