The IB DP Programme requires students to test in **six** areas (3 subjects will be taken at the Higher Level and 3 subjects at the Standard Level)

- 4 core academics
- 1 second language
- 1 elective subject

To fulfill the State of Florida requirements, IB DP Students must pass all required courses, complete all internal assessments and external assessments (including completed Extended Essay and Theory of Knowledge), complete required CAS hours (to include completed CAS logs on ManageBac), meet any state proficiency exam requirements, and sit for all required AP exams to satisfy graduation requirements. Students in the IB programme do not need to meet an online course requirement, American Government, or HOPE. If for any reason, students exit the IB programme, these courses are required for high school graduation along with ½ credit course of World History.

## **Standard Level versus Higher Level:**

"Both SL and HL courses are meant to span the two years of the DP. SL courses are recommended to have at least 150 hours of instructional time, and HL courses are recommended to have at least 240 instructional hours. In most cases both SL and HL courses consist of the same educational aims, core syllabus and curriculum and assessment models. HL courses typically also include a range of additional elements designed to allow students to explore areas of interest within the subject in more depth. In this sense, SL courses are not watered-down versions of their HL counterparts." -IBO-

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Curriculum Area		Grade 9	Grade 10		Grade 11	Grade 12
Group 1: Language and Literature	Offered only in Higher Level	FL Pre-IB English 1	AP Language		IB English Literature 3	IB English Literature 4
Group 2: Language Acquisition	Offered only in Standard Level <u>and</u> must take all four years -Spanish <b>OR</b> German	FI Pre-IB Spanish 1	Fl Pre-IB Spanish 2		IB Spanish 4	IB Spanish 5
		FL Pre-IB German 1	FL Pre-IB German 2		IB German 4	IB German 5
Group 3: Individuals and Societies		FL Pre-IB US Government and Fl Pre-IB World History	AP European History		AP US History	IB Contemporary History (SL or HL)
Group 4: The Sciences	FL Pre-IB Biology	FL Pre-IB Biology	FL Pre-IB Chemistry <u>and</u> FI Pre-IB Physics	Must take the same science sequence in 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> grade.  HL courses must have approval from instructor with final approval from administration	IB Biology 1 SL IB Biology 1 HL IB Chemistry 1 SL IB Chemistry 1 HL Must meet PSAT cutoff score IB Physics 1 SL Must meet PSAT cutoff	IB Biology 1 SL IB Biology 3 HL IB Chemistry 2 SL IB Chemistry 3 HL IB Physics 2 SL
					score IB Physics 1 HL Must meet PSAT cutoff score	IB Physics 3 HL
Group 5: Mathematics	High school math courses taken in middle count as high school credits.	Algebra 2 Honors OR	Algebra 2 Honors OR	Must take the same math sequence in 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> grade.  Must have approval from instructor with final approval from administration.	IB Math Applications & Interpretations 1 SL	IB Math Applications & Interpretations 2 SL
	Must successfully complete Algebra 1 prior to application year. All offers/accepts are contingent upon this prerequisite.	Geometry Honors	Geometry Honors OR		IB Math Analysis & Approaches 1 SL Must meet PSAT cutoff score	IB Math Analysis & Approaches 2 SL
			AP Pre-Calculus OR  FL Pre-IB Calculus Honors /Geo Honors		IB Math Analysis & Approaches 1 HL Must meet PSAT cutoff score	IB Math Analysis & Approaches 3 HL
Group 6 The Arts	Must have approval from instructor with final approval from APC/Guidance/Coordinator Taken during only 11 <sup>th</sup> and 12 <sup>th</sup> grade <u>and</u> must take the same sequence.				IB Psychology 1 SL IB Psychology 1 HL IB Economics 1 HL	IB Psychology 2 SL IB Psychology 3 HL IB Economics 3 HL
	Economics and a 2 <sup>nd</sup> science elective must <i>meet PSAT cutoff score</i> . Are you on the STEM track? Most colleges do not give extra weighting to double sciences; they are looking for a well-rounded transcript				IB Visual Arts 1 SL IB Visual Arts 1 HL 2 <sup>nd</sup> IB Science SL	IB Visual Arts 2 SL IB Visual Arts 3 HL 2nd IB Science SL
The IB Core		FL Pre-IB Inquiry Skills CAS	CAS		IB Theory of Knowledge Extended Essay CAS	IB Theory of Knowledge Extended Essay CAS
Elective(s)		One traditional elective paired with a Study Hall Full Research Class	One traditional elective paired with a Study Hall		Approval needed	Approval needed