

Welcome to this exciting stage of your QACI journey; the point where you design your Pre-IB experience that will prepare you for the IB Diploma Program through opportunities to develop:

- foundation skills and knowledge
- stimulating and motivating learning challenges
- critical thinking skills
- balanced academic, creative and cultural competencies
- international-mindedness
- effective use of information technology
- attributes of the IB Learner Profile

The QACI Pre-IB Program comprises three phases:

Phase One – Subject Selection:

Students select their subjects for Terms 1 - 4

1. English
2. French, Mandarin or Spanish
3. Business and Management, Psychology, Science
4. Science, Design Technology or second Group 6 subject (refer 6.)
5. Mathematics
6. Design Technology, Dance, Film, Music, Theatre, Visual Arts

Phase Two – SET Plan:

By the end of Term 3 subject choices and levels (Standard or Higher) have been consolidated through the SET Plan process.

This will form the basis of the Diploma program of study. Students who seek to change their subject choice during Semester 1 may need to have an assessment as to their suitability for that subject.

Phase Three – Year 11 Commencing IB Diploma Program:

Students cannot change subjects at this stage.

A requirement of the IB Diploma Program is that students will study 3 of their subjects at Higher Level (240 hour course) and 3 of their subjects at Standard Level (150 hour course). For most students the outcome of this is a straight forward decision.

QACI IB Handbook:

Further information about how QACI delivers the IB Diploma Program is available at:
<https://qaci.eq.edu.au/learning/ib-diploma-programme/>

Please turn over to complete Subject Selection form

STUDENT NAME:

2018 Enrolment

❖ Please select one (1) subject from each section in the right hand column.

IB Subjects at QACI	Year 10 Subject Choice
<p>Group 1: Studies of Language and Literature – English</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> English 	<input type="checkbox"/> English
<p>Group 2: Language Acquisition *</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> French (ab initio) Spanish (ab initio) Mandarin (ab initio) <p>* Depending on student numbers, students may be streamed according to their level of proficiency.</p>	<input type="checkbox"/> French <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Mandarin Indicate level of proficiency: <input type="checkbox"/> Beginner (no experience) <input type="checkbox"/> Limited (up to 100hrs tuition) <input type="checkbox"/> Developed (over 100hrs tuition) <input type="checkbox"/> Proficient (e.g. native speaker)
<p>Group 3: Individuals and Societies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science (see note below) Business and Management Psychology <p><i>Note: In the IB Diploma Program during Year 11 and 12, Environmental Systems & Societies SL (ESS) is compulsory if a student studies two Group 6 subjects – if this is applicable, choose Science as your Group 3 subject in Year 10.</i></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Science NB: must select Science if studying two Group 6 subjects <input type="checkbox"/> Business and Management <input type="checkbox"/> Psychology
<p>Group 4: Sciences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Science <i>Indicate the Science subject (if known) you are interested in for your IB Diploma Program (Y11 & Y12).</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Biology <input type="checkbox"/> Chemistry <input type="checkbox"/> Physics Design Technology <p>Second Group 6 Subject</p> <p><i>Note: ESS is compulsory if a student studies two Group 6 subjects – therefore Science must be chosen as the Group 3 subject in Year 10.</i></p>	<input type="checkbox"/> Science <input type="checkbox"/> Design Technology <input type="checkbox"/> Dance <input type="checkbox"/> Film <input type="checkbox"/> Music <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Arts
<p>Group 5: Mathematics</p> <p><i>Indicate the Maths subject (if known) you are interested in for your IB Diploma Program (Y11 & Y12).</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematical Studies SL <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics SL <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics HL 	<input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics
<p><i>The subjects in this section are those that you indicated at your interview as an area of interest.</i></p>	
<p>Group 6: Arts</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dance Film Music Theatre Visual Arts <p>Group 4: Sciences</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Design Technology 	<input type="checkbox"/> Dance <input type="checkbox"/> Film <input type="checkbox"/> Music <input type="checkbox"/> Theatre <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Arts <input type="checkbox"/> Design Technology

NOTE: All subjects are offered subject to interest – minimal class sizes will apply.



Student Signature



Parent/Carer Signature