

Dover Campus

(I)GCSE subject offerings

Students take the following programme of core and elective subjects		Periods per week
Core subjects	Coordinated Science	8
	English Language and Literature <i>or</i> English as a Second Language	6
	Mathematics	5
	Physical Education (non-examination)	4
Language other than English option	First Language (advanced) Examined: Chinese; Spanish Non-examined: Dutch; French; German; Japanese; Korean; School Supported Self-Taught Language	5
	Second Language (advanced) Chinese	
	Foreign Language (continuation) French; Mandarin; Spanish	
Humanities option	Economics; Enterprise; Geography; Global Citizenship; History	4
Creative Arts or Practical option	Creative Arts Art and Design: Fine Art; Art and Design: Photography; Dance; Drama; Music	4
	Practical Computer Science; Design Technology: Product Design; GCSE Physical Education	
An additional option	Selected from Languages, Humanities, Creative or Practical option	4
Total		40

Languages other than English

Students select one additional language, based on their level of attainment. The School Supported Self-Taught Language option is for students who wish to pursue studies in their mother tongue in the IB Diploma, but for whom there is no taught course available. Please refer to our Languages at UWCSEA factsheet for more information.

Some home languages (mother tongue) are offered as small-group, after school classes at an additional charge.

Progression into Grade 11

All students who display a commitment to the values of the College and have actively participated in all elements of the learning programme are welcome to join Grade 11. The transition process relies upon an open partnership between students, parents and the school, in which the best educational interest of the student is of paramount importance.

Assessment: coursework and examinations

Across all courses, assessment patterns differ from subject to subject. Many courses include a coursework, practical or oral component, meaning that the students' final grade is based on both work done during the two-year course and on results of the final examinations.

To prepare our students for examinations, students sit internal examinations towards the end of Grade 9, and are provided feedback and guidance based on their results. A second round of internal examinations in Term 2 of Grade 10 provides a final opportunity for feedback and exam preparation before students undertake the external (I)GCSE examinations in May and June of their Grade 10 year.

For in-depth information on each subject, please refer to the Dover Campus (I)GCSE academic programme guide on the Brochures page on our website.



East Campus

IGCSE subject offerings

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	Mathematics	5
	Physical Education (non-examination)	4
Language other than English option	First Language (advanced) Chinese; French; Japanese; School Supported Self-Taught Language	5
	Second Language (advanced) Chinese	
	Foreign Language (continuation) Chinese (Mandarin); French; Spanish	
	Beginner Language Chinese (Mandarin)	
Humanities option	Economics; Enterprise; Geography; History	4
Creative Arts or Design Technology option	Creative Arts Art and Design: Fine Art; Art and Design: Graphic Design; Dance; Drama; Film; Music	4
	Design Technology Food and Nutrition; Resistant Materials; Systems and Control	
An additional option	Selected from Global Perspectives, Humanities, Creative or Design Technology option	4
Total		40

Languages other than English

Students select one second language, based on their level of attainment. First language classes are offered when there are sufficient numbers to run a class. Our School Supported Self-Taught Language (SSST) option is for students who wish to pursue studies in their home language (mother tongue), but for whom there is no taught course available. There is a small additional charge. See our Languages factsheet for more information.

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