#### **Overview of IB**

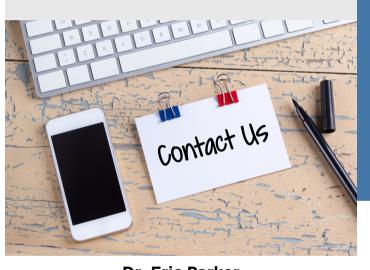
- The most rigorous programme offered at Tucker High School.
- A comprehensive and world-class education for 11th and 12th grade students.
- Designed as an academically challenging and balanced program that prepares students for college and life beyond.
- Has gained recognition and respect from the world's universities.
- Excellent preparation for college level work.
- Colleges look favorably upon the IB program as an indication of a student's level of motivation and ability to perform in a rigorous and challenging program.
- Studies on acceptance rate of IB Diploma students show that these students have higher acceptance rates at colleges in the U.S.

"Education is not the filling of a pail, but the lighting of a fire."

-William Butler Yeats

# "Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm."

-Coleridge



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# Tucker High School

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE
(IB)
DIPLOMA PROGRAMME

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### **Discover**

What Our School Has to Offer!

# Benefits of Being an IB Student

- Be encouraged to think independently and drive their own learning.
- Take part in programs of education that can lead them to some of the highest ranking universities around the world.
- Become more culturally aware, through the development of a second language.
- Be able to engage with people in an increasingly globalized, rapidly changing world.

#### **Framework**

- Take 6 subject DP courses
  - English
  - Language Acquisition
  - History
  - Math
  - Science
  - Elective- Visual Arts, Film, Psychology
- DP Core
  - Theory of Knowledge course (TOK)
  - Extended Essay
  - Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS)

#### **How to Apply**

## THS IB Preparatory Programme (9th & 10th Grade)

- Minimum core of 3.0 average 8th grade
- Completing of Advanced/ Accelerated/Gifted core curriculum in 7th & 8th grade
- Two favorable teacher recommendations from 7th & 8th grade core subject teachers
- Completing the School Choice & IB Application

## IB Diploma Programme (11th & 12th Grade)

- Minimum core of 3.2 average the end of 1st semester 10th grade
- Completing of Advanced/ Accelerated/Gifted core curriculum in 9th & 10th grade
- Two favorable teacher recommendations from 9th & 10th grade core subject teachers
- Completing the School Choice & IB Application

#### **Important Dates**



School Choice & IB
 Applications are open
 January 5 - February 9, 2024

#### Why choose us?

College Credit

Up to 24 credits for your IB coursework (equates to 1st year of college for many schools)

Class Cohorts

You are placed in an IB class with like-minded and motivated individuals

IB Faculty Support IB teachers have their own department and work together to not only provide integrated curriculum, but to ensure student growth.

IB Coordinator

Personalized scheduling and conferencing with the coordinator to ensure that students are prepared for their classes and for College.

Varied Assessments Students get to choose their own assessments, research topics, and thesis development. Student Based learning emulation of College classes.

International Benchmarking

The IB Diploma is recognized worldwide.

