The International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme is today offered by over 3500 schools in more than 140 countries world wide (www.ibo.org).

The IB programme at Vasa övningsskola (in co-operation with Vaasan lyseon lukio) accepts Swedish-speakers, Finnish-speakers and students with other native languages.

**Become a citizen of the world!**

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In the IB curriculum, the importance of international understanding and responsible citizenship is stressed, and students are taught to think critically but with compassion, to become lifelong learners and well-informed participants in local and world affairs.

1. **Preparatory year (pre-DP)**
   During the preparatory year the subjects and curriculum follow the Finnish national system, but taught in English.

2. **Two-year IB studies (Diploma Programme)**
   During the two IB years you study six subjects for your Diploma. In those subjects that interest you most, you can choose Higher Level (240 teaching hours). In the other subjects you choose Standard Level (150 h).

   **Specialize in what interests you most!**

   We offer the following subjects:
   1. Language A1 (Swedish, Finnish, Other)
   2. English A/B, French B
   3. Economics, History, Psychology
   4. Biology, Chemistry, Physics
   5. Mathematics

   From each subject group at least one subject is chosen, for a total of 6 (or 7).

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