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about Nease IB

Allen D. Nease IB Program Dates, Deadlines, and Steps to Apply



Important Dates for First-Time Students Considering Nease IB

Thurs. January 9	High School Showcase at World Golf Village 3:30 - 7 pm
Thurs. January 9	Academy Registration Opens Online
Thurs. January 16	Academy Night at Nease at 6:00 - 7:30 pm
Tues. January 28	IB Parent and Student Panel at Nease at 6 pm
Mon. February 3	Online Applications Close at 5 pm
Mon. February 3	All required documents (listed below) should arrive at Nease

To apply to the Nease IB Program, you MUST:

All steps should be complete and submitted by Feb. 3rd, 2020 to Missy Kennedy

Current St. Johns County PUBLIC school students:

Step 1 - Apply online by February 3, 2020 at 5 pm – see how to register at: <http://cte.stjohns.k12.fl.us/join>.



Step 2 –IB applicants must:

- Print out four **IB Application Teacher Recommendation forms** (see <https://cte.stjohns.k12.fl.us/join/>). Distribute to the **four core academic teachers: Math, Science, Social Studies and Language Arts**. Teachers are responsible for returning these forms to Missy Kennedy, the Nease IB Coordinator, by February 3, 2020 through interoffice mail. Please give teachers at least 1 week to complete and send.
- If new to St. Johns County in 8th grade please, submit 7th grade report cards and standardized test scores from previous school to Missy Kennedy at Nease by February 3, 2020. Otherwise, Mrs. Kennedy can access scores and grades if you have attended St. Johns County Schools.

Current St. Johns County PRIVATE OR HOMESCHOOL students:

Step 1-

- Pre-register for school on-line at the SJCS D website: <http://www.stjohns.k12.fl.us/student/enrollment/>
- Complete a Program of Choice paper application during the online pre-registration.

Step 2-

- Print out four **IB Application Teacher Recommendation forms** (see <https://cte.stjohns.k12.fl.us/join/>). Distribute to the **four core academic teachers: Math, Science, Social Studies and Language Arts**. Teachers are responsible for returning these forms to Missy Kennedy, the Nease IB Coordinator, by February 3, 2020 through the mail or email. Please give teachers at least 1 week to complete and send.
- Submit report cards (7th grade final & 8th grade January) and standardized test scores to Missy Kennedy at Nease by February 3, 2020.



FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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IB compared to AP

International Baccalaureate

- International standard of excellence
- Comprehensive curriculum of college level work
- Encourages academically talented and highly motivated students
- Diploma based on educational philosophy

COURSES & EXAMS

- Six exams in six areas required for IB diploma
- Students must be enrolled in an authorized school
- Scores include teacher assessments, and external assessments graded by educators throughout the world

SCOPE

- Exams based on broad general understanding of concepts and fundamental themes
- Exam questions emphasize essay writing
- Oral assessments in language A and B
- Policies are determined by international educators

Advanced Placement

- National standard of excellence
- College level courses
- Encourages academically talented students
- Diploma based on four courses from three academic areas

COURSES & EXAMS

- Students generally take AP exams only in areas of personal strength
- Students do not have to be enrolled in an authorized school
- Exams graded externally by College Board testing service in the US

SCOPE

- Exams based on specific course content
- Emphasis on multiple choice
- Oral exams in foreign languages
- Policies are determined by national educators

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Allen D. Nease High School- International Baccalaureate (IB) Course Sequence 2020-2021

IB Curriculum Area	Grade 9	Grade 10	Grade 11	Grade 12
Group 1- English	Pre-IB English 1	AP English Language (Pre-IB)	AP English Literature (IB)	IB English IV
Group 2 – World Language Spanish or French	Pre-IB Spanish 1 Pre-IB Spanish 2 <small>(Pre-IB Spanish 2 if HS credit was earned in middle school)</small> Pre-IB French 1	Pre-IB Spanish 2 IB Spanish 3 Pre-IB French 2	IB Spanish 3 IB Spanish 4 (SL) IB French 3	IB Spanish 4 IB French 4
Group 3 – History	AP World History (Pre-IB)	AP Government (Pre-IB)	AP U.S. History (IB)	IB History of America
Group 4 – Science Students will take the same science over a two-year period in 11 th and 12 th grade.	Pre-IB Biology	Pre-IB Chemistry	AP Biology (IB) or AP Chemistry (IB) or AP Physics B (IB)	IB Biology 3 or IB Chemistry 3 or IB Physics 3
Group 5 - Mathematics High school math courses taken in middle school count as high school credits	Geometry Honors or Algebra 2 Honors (Pre-IB) <small>(Algebra 2 H if Geometry credit was earned in middle school)</small>	Algebra 2 Honors or Prob./Stat. Honors or AP Statistics and Pre-Calculus Honors (Pre-IB)	IB Apps. & Interpretation 1 or IB Analysis & Approaches 1 or AP Calculus AB (IB)	IB Apps. & Interpretation 2 or IB Analysis & Approaches 2 (SL) or IB Analysis & Approaches 3 (HL)
Group 6 – Elective Some group 6 subject courses are completed during 11 th grade. Some courses have required pre-requisites and some continue into 12 th grade	Students who might be interested in the following group 6 subjects should take the appropriate electives as pre-requisites (these are suggestions): <u>Possible Pre-requisites for:</u> IB Visual Art: Pre-IB Art 1 IB Film Studies: Theatre, Cinema, & Film Production IB Music: Band or Chorus IB Psychology: None IB Computer Sci: Foundations of Programming IB Science: Honors Science course (need 2 electives)	Students who might be interested in the following group 6 subjects should take the appropriate electives as pre-requisites (these are suggestions): <u>Possible Pre-requisites for:</u> IB Visual Art: AP Art History IB Film Studies: Pre-IB Music 2 IB Music: Pre-IB Music 2 IB Psychology: AP Psychology IB Computer Sci: AP Computer Science Principles IB Science: Honors or AP Science (need 2 electives)	Students <u>must</u> select 1 of the following: IB Visual Art 2 IB Film Studies 2 IB Music 2 IB Psychology 2 AP Computer Science A (IB) IB 2 nd Science (Group 4)	The following group 6 subjects <u>must</u> be taken over a two-year period: (11 th & 12 th) IB Visual Art 3 (SL & HL) IB Computer Science 3 (SL & HL) <u>IB 2nd Science (SL & HL)</u> The following group 6 subjects have the <u>option</u> to continue studying at the higher level: IB Psychology 3 (HL) IB Film Studies 3 (HL) IB Music 3 (HL)
TOK			TOK 1	TOK 2
Other Requirements			CAS Experience & Extended Essay	