



“ Spanish immersion has been the highlight of my high school journey. I’m very lucky to be able to challenge myself to learn a new language while participating in fun classes with my best friends.

Jessica Power
Spanish Immersion Student



“ The Arts at ISHS have extended my knowledge in various artistic disciplines including Film, Music and production through the excellent support of my teachers and practical applications.

Ikshvak Sobti
Arts Student



“ ISHS has contributed a lot to my success in schooling, especially in Maths and CISCO Networking. With the school's support, I am receiving an excellent education

Brendon Duncan
CISCO Networking Student

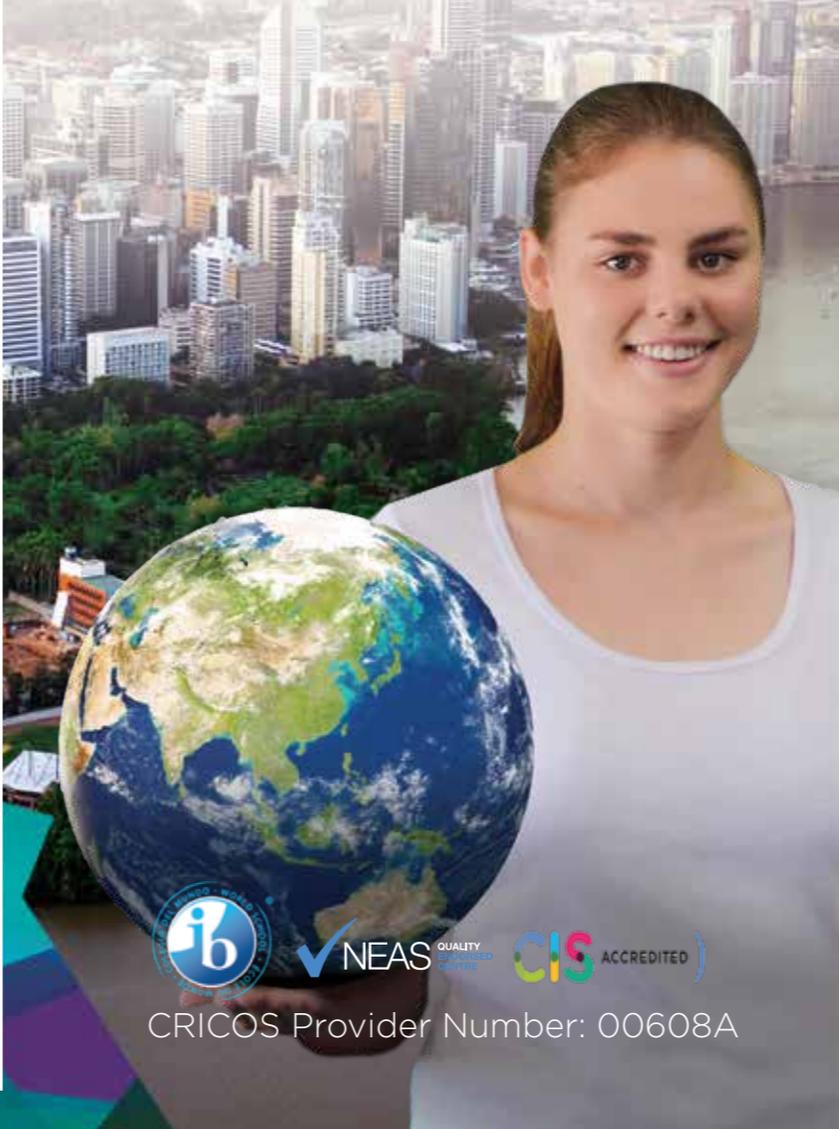


“ The IB has offered me a unique and high-quality high school experience through challenging me academically and providing me with opportunities to develop and grow into a global citizen.

Maja Popovic
IB Student



A World Class Education for Forward Thinkers



Why Choose Our School?

Global Education for Forward Thinkers

The above statement really captures and highlights what is different about our school. Our progressive teaching style, diverse community and collaborative learning environment will prepare you for the challenges facing modern global leaders.

As a co-educational Independent Public School we have the freedom to make stronger choices that will ultimately guide future directions. Indooroopilly State High School's curriculum is wide and varied, offering choices in Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority and Vocational Education subjects, as well as the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme. Our cutting edge learning experiences, enriched by a strong international focus, ensure that the talents and interests of all students are able to be recognised and cultivated. Our school attained Council of International Schools accreditation in 2003, and IB accreditation in 2005.



Our Vision and Values guide the school's strategic direction and every day actions. As **A Community of Forward Thinkers**, we strive to prepare our students for a global future which they will help to shape as productive, ethical citizens.

Our four core values are embedded into all aspects of school life, and are manifested in a unique “Indro” sensibility.

- Each person's dignity
- Our community's diversity
- Open communication
- Quality learning

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Aerospace Studies



Aerospace Studies provides the knowledge, concepts and basic skills that our aerospace industries believe are essential for people entering the workforce.

Students have access to a flight simulator and an Unmanned Aerial Vehicle simulator. Excursions are conducted to Archerfield Airport, Brisbane Airport and Amberley RAAF Base. During their first semester of the program students are offered a Trial Introductory Flight at one of our partner flying schools.

For students interested in becoming flight attendants or aircraft maintenance engineers, our school has direct links with Aviation Australia at Brisbane Airport and ATAE at Archerfield Airport.

Aviation



Aviation Studies is a subject for senior students who are looking forward to either a career in Aviation or flying for pleasure. They can qualify for a Recreational Pilot's Licence and, ultimately, a Private Pilot's Licence.

Whilst the school teaches the theoretical components of the course, private flying schools are engaged for the flight component.

On graduating from high school, students may continue with their training provider in order to work towards a Commercial Pilot's Licence or an Airline Transport Pilot's Licence. An alternative avenue is to enrol in an Aviation Degree at Griffith University.



CISCO Networking Academy Program



The CISCO Networking Academy Program is a two year internationally recognised course offered by Indooroopilly State High School in conjunction with CISCO system manufacturer of networking equipment.

Students learn to construct and configure Local and Wide Area Networks using state of the art equipment.

A student who has successfully completed the course and attained certification will be able to build, maintain and interconnect computer networks.

The CISCO Networking Academy Program is a self-directed learning system using online curriculum and examinations.

IB Diploma Programme



The International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme is an academically challenging programme of education that aims to develop internationally minded people who, recognising their common humanity and shared guardianship of the planet, help to create a better and more peaceful world. The Diploma is widely recognised for entry into universities throughout the world. Assessment is largely based on externally set and marked examinations. As well as the academic studies, the program aims to develop in students the ten attributes of the Student Learner Profile. The IB Diploma Programme:

- encourages students to think critically and challenge assumptions
- develops multilingual students who are encouraged to consider both local and global contexts
- provides quality assurance independently of government and national systems, incorporating quality practice from research and our global community of schools

International Student Program



Indooroopilly State High School has been at the forefront of educating international students since 1999 and we are the largest provider for Education Queensland International. The school is a multicultural community with students from over 80 nationalities. We were the first state high school in Brisbane to be awarded Council of International Schools (CIS) accreditation, and the first government school in Australia to receive NEAS accreditation as an intensive English provider for overseas students.

Our program has strong links to The University of Queensland and other Universities. International students have helped to shape our commitment to a global education for all students.

Language Acceleration



SPANISH IMMERSION

The Spanish Immersion Program is an intensive course in Years 7 to 9, which provides students with the deepest possible exposure to a second language and culture. Students receive instruction in Spanish in at least 60% of the curriculum. No previous knowledge of the language is required.

In Year 9 students are able to participate in a 4 week immersion program, attending Alfonso XII High School near Madrid.

Upon completion of the program in Year 9, students may complete their senior Spanish studies in Years 10 and 11, with entry to Advanced Spanish at The University of Queensland in Year 12.

CHINESE ACCELERATION

Chinese Acceleration allows students to undertake additional Mandarin language studies from Years 7 to 9. The program provides students with the opportunity to accelerate their listening, writing, speaking and reading skills. It also provides a deeper understanding and appreciation of Chinese history, culture and current developments.

Chinese Acceleration will equip students to excel in Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA) Languages, the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme or Chinese Proficiency Tests (HSK).

Maths and Engineering Acceleration



Students entering Year 7 have the option of joining an innovative and challenging program in Maths and Engineering. This accelerated program incorporates broad-ranging enrichment activities and exposes students to pathways which are mathematically oriented.

Maths and Engineering Acceleration covers the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority (QCAA) secondary Maths course, as follows:

- Junior Maths: Years 7, 8, 9 and 10 completed in Years 7, 8 and 9;
- Mathematical Methods and Specialist Mathematics in Years 10 and 11;
- Engineering Technology completed in Years 11 and 12;
- University Maths subjects commenced in Year 12.



To qualify for the course, students need to perform well in the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER) test, which is conducted at Indooroopilly State High School.

Music Acceleration



Music acceleration enables students with a passion and talent in the area of music to learn with like minded students.

The course is designed to develop the students' area of interest through an accelerated course of study leading to early completion of Senior Music in Year 11.

Students will also have the flexibility in Year 12 to pursue Music Extension or University courses and the opportunity to work with other students who have a passion for, and talent in, Music. Students are required to participate in the Co-curricular Music Program and perform at the many events throughout the year.

Entrance to the Music Acceleration Program requires a video audition of a performance and an interview at the school.

