



IB Diploma Programme

Information Session

for


Year 2 Students and their parents/caregivers

September 12, 2024



Organizing is what you do before you do something,
so that when you do it, it is not all mixed up
A. Milne (Winnie-the-Pooh)

(



Exams and CAS Exit
Interviews take place in
May.

Please DO NOT book any
trips or events during
this time.

ABSENCES

ANY TYPE OF ADVANCED SCHEDULED/PLANNED ABSENCES MUST BE DISCUSSED WITH THE SUBJECT TEACHER AND COORDINATOR

All student absences during the major Year 2 IB assessment must be documented with a medical note. Please remember, the predictive grade evaluation has no alternative dates.

REQUESTS FOR INCLUSIVE ACCESS ARRANGEMENTS (IEP DOCUMENTS)

DUE DATE:

NOVEMBER 08, 2024

Important Due Dates and Deadlines

2024-2025

Core Subjects (3)

and

Group Subjects (6)

Core Subject: Extended Essay

EE Feedback Session with Supervisor

- MANDATORY Second Formal Reflection Session (Document on Managebac on the 'Interim Reflection' portion of the Planning and Progress Form, Supervisor will electronically initial it)

20 October, 2024

Revising and Refining the EE

- It is strongly suggested that students make revisions quickly and submit final EE early to avoid any technical glitches.

October- November 2024

FINAL EE DEADLINE!!!

- Final Extended Essay uploaded to Google Classroom and Turnitin.com
- ONE printed/digital copy to be submitted to Ms. Hamilton

18 November, 2024

Viva Voce/Concluding Interview

- MANDATORY Third Formal Reflection
- To be completed on Managebac on the Planning and Progress Form

13 December, 2024

Core Subject: Theory of Knowledge

| | | |
|---|---|--|
| Initial Information meeting | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> to present TOK process to students and provide timeline | October, 2024 |
| First Formal Interaction & TK/PPD completion | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> unpacking the six TOK Prescribed Titles All students complete first component of TK/PPD on Managebac | November, 2024 |
| Declaration of topic choice (no meeting) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> to declare topic/Prescribed Title on Managebac or electronically <u>NO TOPIC CHANGES MAY BE MADE AFTER THIS DATE</u> | November, 2024 (Managebac) |
| Second Formal Interaction & TK/PPD completion | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> to see candidate`s notes, detailed essay outline and briefly discuss candidate`s ideas Students must be prepared in advance for this interaction All students complete the TK/PPD form on Managebac | December, 2024 (approx. 20 min per student) (Schedule to be posted on Managebac) |

Core Subject: Theory of Knowledge

Continued

| | | |
|---|--|---|
| Draft submission For feedback and PREDICTED GRADE | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• to submit hard copy of TOK essay | Dec. 20, 2024 |
| Third Formal Interaction & TK/PPD completion | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• to get general feedback - comments only• to use the comments provided to revise/refine the final version of essays• All students complete the TK/PPD form on Managebac | January 22 and 29, 2025 (approx. 30 min per student) |
| Final Submission | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• To receive final student essays• Upload to Managebac and Turnitin.com | Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2025 |
| Essay upload | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Essay upload to IBIS• TK/PPD upload to IBIS• TK/PPF upload to IBIS• Predicted grades | Tuesday, Feb. 25, 2025 IBIS |

Core Subject: Creativity, Activity, Service

CAS Project Completion: **13 November, 2024**

Completion of 18 months of regular engagement with Creativity, Activity and Service Experiences: **31 March, 2025**

CAS Portfolio: **30 April, 2025** (Reflections and evidence recorded on Managebac)

CAS Exit Interview: **May 2025** (after exams)

IBSO DP Table of Equivalent [ToE] Grades

| DP Grade Levels | OSSD% | MoE |
|------------------------|--------------|------------|
| 1 | Below 50% | |
| 2 | 50% - 60% | 1 and 2 |
| 3 | 61% - 71% | 2 and 3 |
| 4 | 72% - 83% | 3 and 4 |
| 5 | 84% - 92% | 4 |
| 6 | 93% - 96% | 4 |
| 7 | 97% - 100% | 4 |

Post-Secondary Institutions Understand IB Levels

OUAC receives separate mark submissions from IB Schools of Ontario at each IB Reporting Time - Preliminary Grades (February); Predicted Grades (April) and Final IB Grades from IB in July.

Ontario % marks **MUST** fall within the IBSO DP Table of Equivalent Grades ranges. Universities expect this and offers of admission and scholarships depend on this.

Group 1 Subject: English HL

Individual Oral (IA): December 2-13, 2024

Submit final, formatted Higher Level Essay: November 1, 2024

Predictive exam, Paper 2: end of January 2025

Group 1 Subject: Français A

Individual Oral (IA): March 31-April 4, 2025

exam Paper 2: March 24-28, 2025

Group 2 Subjects: French SL and Spanish Ab initio SL

Predictive exams (French & Spanish, Paper 1 & 2): **March 24-28,2025**

Internal Assessment (Oral): **March/April 2025**

Group 3 Subjects:

Psychology HL and History HL

Psychology

Final IA Due: **November 10, 2024**

Paper 1: Jan. Exam Period, **Jan. 22 – 27, 2025**

Paper 2: Predictive Exam Period **March 24 – 28, 2025**

Paper 3: Predictive Exam Period, **March 24-28, 2025**

History:

History Internal Assessment: **Feb. 12, 2025**

Paper 2: Jan. Exam Period, **Jan. 22 – 27, 2025**

Paper 1: Predictive Exam Period, **March 24 – 28, 2025**

Paper 3: Predictive Exam Period, **March 24 – 28 2025**

Group 4 Subjects:

Chemistry HL, Biology SL, Physics SL

Chemistry

“Practice” modified exam (Paper 1 & 2): **January exam period**

Draft Due: **February 2**

Final IA Due: **March 8**

Paper 1, 2 & 3 Predictive Exams: **March 24-28, 2025**

Biology

IA Draft Due: **November 13th / 14th**

Final IA Due: **January 9th / 10th**

Paper 1A, 1B & 2 Predictive Exams: **March 24-28, 2025**

Physics

IA Draft Due: **November/December, 2024**

Final IA Due: **January/February, 2025**

Paper 1A, 1B & 2 Predictive Exams: **March 24-28, 2025**

Group 5 Subjects: Mathematics A&A SL

IA First Draft due: November, 2024

Final IA due: late January/early February, 2025

Paper 1 & 2 Predictive Exams: March 24-28, 2025

Group 6 Subject: Film HL

Textual Analysis (External Assessment): **November 2024**

Film Portfolio (Internal Assessment): **January 2025**

Comparative Study (External Assessment): **February 2025**

Collaborative Film Project: **March 2025**

Statement from the IB about ChatGPT and artificial intelligence in assessment and education.

Students should be aware that the IB does not regard any work produced—even only in part—by such tools, to be their own. Therefore, as with any quote or material from another source, it must be clear that AI-generated text, image or graph included in a piece of work, has been copied from such software. The software must be credited in the body of the text and appropriately referenced in the bibliography. As with current practice, an essay which is predominantly quotes will not get many, if any, marks with an IB mark scheme.



Web Sources for Additional Information and Updates

Parkdale C.I. School Website:
<http://schoolweb.tdsb.on.ca/parkdale/>

Managebac:
<https://www.managebac.com>

TDSB Connects App

Teachers' TDSB Email
firstname.lastname@tdsb.on.ca