

HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE

2025 - 2026



OUR
VISION

To be a globally minded community of diverse learners,
empowered as agents of positive change.



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ISE was founded in **1995** and is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (**NEASC**) and the Council of International Schools (**CIS**). ISE is associated with the **United States Embassy** and is also a member-assisted school of the **U.S. Department of State Office of Overseas Schools**.

The only school in Estonia offering all students an American High School Diploma

LEARNING AT ISE

ISE has proudly offered the **International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme since 2003**, proudly awarding our first diplomas in 2005. A pioneer in innovation, ISE was also the first school in Eastern Europe to introduce a 1:1 iPad program, seamlessly integrating technology to support 21st-century learning.

As a full-continuum IB World School, ISE provides students with a challenging, **college-preparatory education** from the early years through high school. Rooted in the IB framework and enriched by Estonia's strong cultural and educational heritage, our programs empower students to think critically, act responsibly, and lead with confidence.

Students advance through the **PYP (Grades 1–5)**, **MYP (Grades 6–10)**, and the **DP (Grades 11–12)**, graduating with a well-rounded education and the option to earn both the prestigious IB Diploma and a NEASC-accredited American High School Diploma—opening doors to top universities worldwide.

ISE HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA (Grades 9–12)

At ISE, the high school program is built on the strengths of the **American education model**, combining the **academic rigor of IBDP with choice and flexibility**. Students engage in a wide range of in-person and online courses that encourage them to discover their passions, develop their talents, and build the skills needed to create a positive impact in the world. Through partnerships with leading educational providers and internship opportunities, **ISE personalizes each student's learning journey**. With a balanced course load of eight classes in Grades 9–10 and seven in Grades 11–12, students graduate with a globally recognized U.S. high school diploma that opens doors to top universities worldwide.

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Grading Scale

7		A+		Excellent
6		A		Very Good
5		B		Good
4		C	...	Satisfactory
3		D		Pass
2		F		Fail

The only school in Estonia using internationally proven  **WIDA** tools to support multilingual learners.

Our IBDP Results

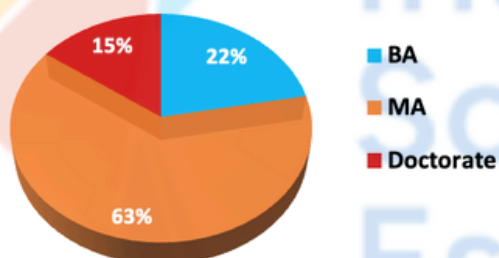
ISE is **non-selective** and allows all students access to the full IB Diploma. Our results compared to worldwide (WW)

	2021	2022	2023	2024 (WW)	2025 (WW)
Pass Rate	100%	86%	75%	90% (80%)	90% (81%)
Mean Grade	6.5	5.3	5	5.02 (4.9)	5.22 (4.7)
Mean Total Points	41	34	31	32 (30)	33 (30.5)
Cohort Size (Bilingual DP)	1	7 (1)	6 (1)	10 (2)	13 (4)
Highest score	41	40	33	40	40

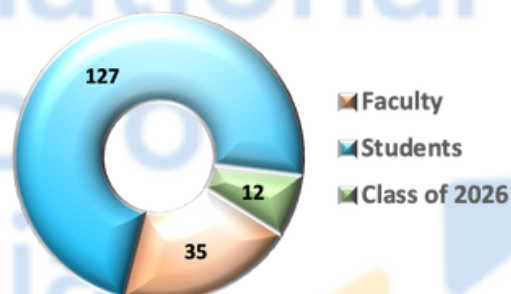
Our Diverse Community

At ISE, **diversity is our strength**: students and faculty from **34 nations** come together to create a uniquely global learning community. With an exceptional **1:10** teacher-to-student ratio, we ensure every learner receives the individual attention they deserve. Our dedicated student support team, including a **multilingual learner educator** and a **learning support specialist**, empowers students to thrive academically and personally on global pathways designed to unlock their full potential.

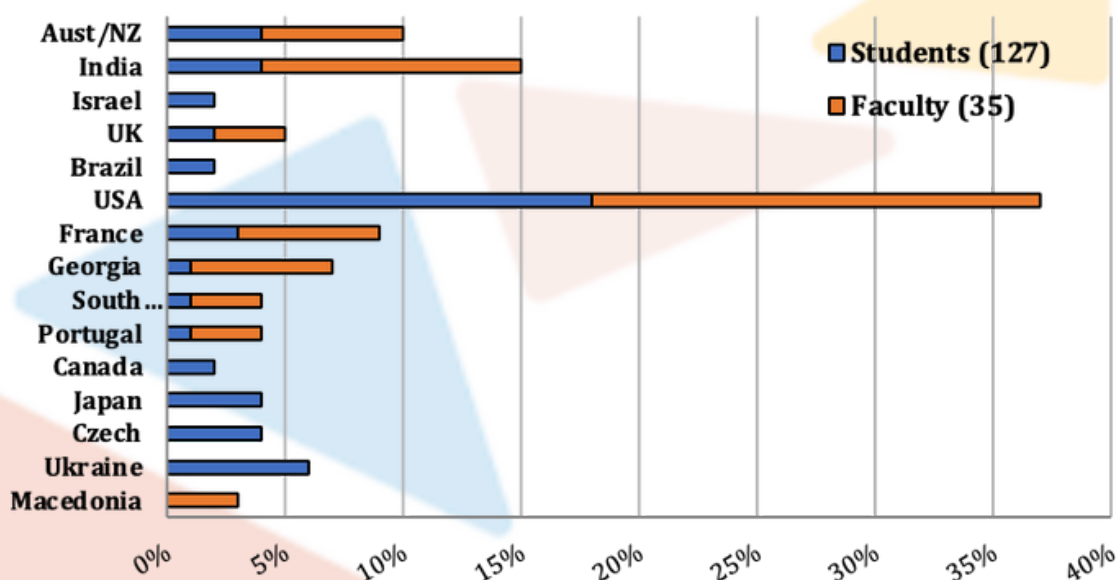
Faculty Highest Degree Earned



ISE in Numbers



Nationalities Beyond Estonia



High School Course Offerings

All students take at least five courses

Group 6 - Arts

IBDP Art
IBDP Film
MYP Art 4/5
MYP Music 4/5

Group 4 - Sciences

IBDP Biology
IBDP Chemistry
IBDP Design Technology
MYP Science 4/5

Group 2 - Language B Acquisition

IBDP French Ab Initio
IBDP French B
IBDP Pamoja
MYP French 4/5

Group 5 - Mathematics

IBDP Maths AA
MYP Maths 4/5

Group 3 - Individuals & Societies

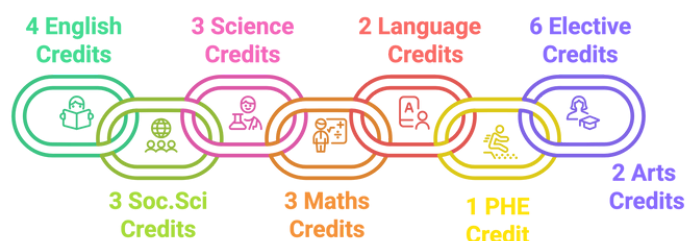
IBDP Business
IBDP History
MYP Individuals
& Societies 4/5

Group 1 - Language & Literature A

IBDP English Lang. & Lit
IBDP Estonian Literature
IBDP Self-Taught Lang. & Lit
MYP Lang. & Lit 4/5

High School Diploma

24 Credits Total (22 credits for students with approved IEP)



Our Accreditations & Affiliations



Global Destinations

Last 5 years

United Kingdom

- Beckett University Leeds
- King's College London
- London School of Arts
- University of Bath
- University of Glasgow
- University of Sussex
- University of Warwick

Estonia

- Tal Tech
- University of Tartu

Netherlands

- Leiden University
- Maastricht University
- University of Amsterdam

Finland

- Tampere University
- University of Aalto

Austria

- Sigmund Freud University

Ireland

- Trinity College Dublin

Israel

- Reichman University

Ukraine

- Igor Sikorsky Kyiv Polytechnic Institute

United States

- Purdue University
- Texas A&M University
- Virginia Tech
- West Virginia University

Singapore

- ESSEC Business School

Belgium

- Artevelde University of Applied Sciences
- Vrije Universiteit Brussel

Italy

- Polimoda School of Design

Sweden

- Uppsala University