



# Assumption College Catholic High School



# International Baccalaureate Programme

APPLICATION PACKAGE  
2012



## ***Mission Statement of the International Baccalaureate Organization***

*“The International Baccalaureate Organization aims to develop inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people who help to create a better more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect.*

*To this end the IBO works with schools, governments and international organizations to develop challenging programmes of international education and rigorous assessment.*

*These programmes encourage students across the world to become active, compassionate and lifelong learners who understand that other people with their differences can also be right.”*

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Vice Principal

Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme at Assumption College Catholic High School.

The International Programme challenges students by presenting the opportunity to develop a perspective of the world outside the conventional classroom. In grades nine and ten, the International Programme prepares students for admission into the internationally recognized International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme offered in grades eleven and twelve.

Once all applications have been received and assessed by our selection committee, interviews will be held for qualified candidates. After the interview process is concluded, successful students will be notified. Selection of our 2012 International Programme Candidates should be completed by the beginning of April 2012. Please note that space in the Diploma Programme is limited.

We are proud to offer the International Programme to the students of Windsor and Essex County. Please take a few moments to review the package and contact the Coordinator should you have any questions or concerns. **Remember, the application is due no later than 3:00 pm, January 31, 2012.**

For more information about the International Baccalaureate Programme go to  
**International Baccalaureate Organization:** <http://www.ibo.org>

Sincerely,

Mr. Joseph Ibrahim  
Principal

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IB Coordinator  
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# International Programme

## STUDENT PROFILE

An IB student is one who:

- is highly motivated
- is an effective communicator
- is a reflective and creative thinker
- is a self-directed, responsible, lifelong learner
- is a collaborative contributor
- is a risk-taker
- is a responsible citizen
- recognizes and celebrates cultural diversity
- is open to the international flavour of this programme
- demonstrates perseverance and self-discipline
- has an average over 70 %

## Fee

Upon acceptance in the International Programme, a onetime administrative fee of \$100.00, and a \$50.00 annual activity fee is due.

## Transportation

Transportation to Assumption College Catholic High School is the responsibility of the parent(s)/guardian(s).

# APPLICATION CHECKLIST

All applicants must submit the following:

- Personal Information Sheet
- Teacher Reference 1
- Teacher Reference 2
- Grade 7 Final Report Card (Photocopy)
- Most Recent Report Card / Evidence of Academic Success (Photocopy)
- Essay

## ESSAY

Answer the following question in your essay:

### Why I chose the International Programme?

Explain why you are applying to the International Programme at Assumption College School. Include your personal strengths, your work habits, your extra-curricular contributions, and any other additional information.

- Attach your essay to the Application Package
- Follow standard essay format
- Type the essay
- Ensure the essay is double-spaced
- Ensure the essay is 1 ½ to 2 pages in length

**APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BEFORE 3:00 PM  
JANUARY 31, 2012**

**INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ASSESSED**

# ASSUMPTION COLLEGE SCHOOL

## International Programme

### Personal Information

<b>2012</b>	Please print information clearly below
Student Last Name	
Student First Name	
Gender	
Home Address	
City	
Postal Code	
Home Phone	
Email	
Current School	
Current Grade	
Citizenship	
<b>PARENTS / GUARDIANS</b>	
Last Name(s)	
First Name(s)	
Daytime Phone	

Date received: _____
Date of interview: _____

<u>Office use only</u>
Activity fee paid <input type="checkbox"/>
Administration fee paid <input type="checkbox"/>

**Assumption College School  
Application for the International Programme  
Teacher Reference**

Student: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Subject: \_\_\_\_\_

**To the teacher:**

Thank you for taking the time to complete this reference. The International Programme is a rigorous course of study. Students must not only demonstrate strong academic skills, but also, and more importantly, demonstrate a high motivation for learning. The programme is demanding and requires excellent organizational skills on the part of the student. Please take a few moments to complete this reference and write any additional comments on the back of this page. We rely heavily on your professional judgment and appreciate your time and effort in completing this form.

**Please place this reference in a sealed envelope and return to candidate.**

**Please rate the student by checking the appropriate box:**

**Academic Ability:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Academic Performance:** \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Attendance:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Punctuality:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Independence:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

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**Perserverance:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Study Habits:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Respect for others:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Citizenship:**     \_\_\_ Outstanding     \_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_ Good \_\_\_ Average \_\_\_ Below Average \_\_\_ Poor

**Teacher recommendation: (please check one)**

- \_\_\_ Highly recommend
- \_\_\_ Recommend
- \_\_\_ Recommend with reservation
- \_\_\_ Cannot recommend

**Teacher's Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date :** \_\_\_\_\_

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Student: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

School Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

School Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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