

CVHS IB Diploma Programme Admissions Policy

The IB Diploma Programme is an academically challenging, internationally recognized, pre-university course of studies that is best suited to highly motivated students. The programme's goal is to develop students who are critical thinkers, open-minded, caring, balanced, reflective, principled, communicators, and internationally minded.

Students who are interested in Capo Valley's IB Diploma programme should meet the following requirements:

- Be self-motivated
- Have a strong work ethic and good time-management skills
- A desire to think critically and to be challenged academically
- Be willing to participate in school and community service
- Be open to new ideas and be tolerant of other's ideas
- Have academic integrity
- Completion of the following courses by the end of 10th grade (minimum requirements):
 - English II Acc / ATMS English II Acc (or get approval from Mr. Miller)
 - 2 years of French, Chinese or Spanish (or be bilingual in another language)
 - World History or European History (AP preferred)
 - Science course
 - 2 years of Math
- Have a 3.0 GPA or better
(note: if you don't meet the grade requirements but would like to be considered for admission, please contact the IB coordinator to arrange a meeting)

Students who wish to enter the programme will meet with the coordinator who will review their transcripts and interview the students to ensure that students have the skills and work ethic required of diploma candidates. At this time, the student and the coordinator will make a 2-year plan of courses that the student will take. The student choices for IB electives will be based on the student's interests.

Students who do not wish to participate in the full Diploma programme may still take most IB classes in 11th and 12th grade.

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