

ELIGIBILITY FOR UNIVERSITY STUDIES IN GERMANY

FOR INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE DIPLOMA HOLDERS



The following criteria is valid for applicants who will complete their IB Diploma in May 2025 or later.

1 Applicants must have at least 12 years of progressive full-time schooling.

2 Among the six IB examination subjects are:

Two languages

either "Language A SL/HL" (Language A: Language and Literature or Language A: Literature) or "Language B HL". One language must be a foreign language. A language "ab initio" is not recognized as a full language.

Science

Biology, Chemistry or Physics SL/HL

Mathematics

Analysis and Approaches or Applications and Interpretation SL/HL

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At least one of these three subjects (Language, Science, Mathematics) must be completed as a Higher Level (HL) subject.
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Humanities

History, Geography, Economics, Psychology, Philosophy, Social Anthropology, Business and Management, Global Politics

3 The sixth examination subject may be one of the above or one of the following:

- any other modern language
- any other language "ab initio"
- Applied Chemistry
- Classical Greek
- Computer Science
- Design Technology
- Digital Society
- Environmental Systems and Societies
- Film
- World Religions
- General Chemistry
- Latin
- Literature and Performance
- Music
- Theatre
- Visual Arts
- Sports exercise and health science

4 All subjects must have been studied continuously throughout the Diploma Programme on the same level.

5 All subjects need to have a minimum grade 4. If a maximum of one subject is graded with 3, applicants may compensate by having one other subject graded with at least 5. No subjects can be graded with grade 2 or lower.

6 All subjects must be taught face to face and not online. However, should a school not offer an applicant's native language, applicants are able to complete the self-taught language course instead.

