

SUMMARY OF DP1 INFORMATION EVENING

20 SEPTEMBER 2017

- International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme: only international school-leaving diploma accepted by universities worldwide (over 135 countries)
- Six subjects: 3 higher level (5 lessons a week), 3 standard level (3 lessons);
- CAS (Creativity, Action, Service), TOK (Theory of Knowledge) and Extended Essay are compulsory and failing conditions
- DP CAS Trip Krakow: 28 Sept. – 3 Oct. 2017
- Extended Essay: Nov. 2017 - Oct. 2018
- First Full Draft Extended Essay to supervisor on 22 May 2018
- Mentor monitors students for two years
- Tutorials
- Assessment
 - One progress check before the autumn break- Oct. three written reports; December, March and July
 - Test week after the Febr. Break: Thu. 8– Wed. 14 March + one at end of school year: Thu. 28 Jun. – Fri. 6 July
 - Grades 1 to 7; 4 lowest passing grade
 - Internal assessment for all subjects is externally moderated
- After each report: appointment evenings; Thu. 14 Dec. and Wed. 11 April, to discuss progress with individual teachers and mentor
- Promotion to DP2: and failing conditions (further details in the Diploma Programme Guide)
- ToK presentations – in the last two weeks of term, after the July test week – compulsory for all students
- Group 4 Project – in the last two weeks of term, after the July test week – compulsory for all students
- Thursday 19 July: summer report published on Managebac

- Further education advisor: Wiebe Kees Goodijk: w.goodijk@maartens.nl
- Open Days of Universities and Hogescholen (HBO) are important (see careers info.)
- NT2: (Dutch as a second language) certificate often required by Dutch universities; students get info. from Mr. Rietveld, teacher of Dutch B; examination 2 – 3 times a year (for students who do not take the IBDP Dutch A exam). For further details, please see Mr. Rietveld, teacher of Dutch B

- Final examinations in May of DP2, re-sits in November (only for students who failed the Diploma) or following May
- Final exam grades: 70 - 75% written examination, 20-25% internal assessment, minimum of 24 points needed to pass
- Possible extra points for Extended Essay and ToK with a maximum of 3, e.g. when an A is scored both on the Extended Essay and TOK three extra points are awarded (“grades” from A - E, E being a failing grade for the diploma)
- Basic requirements for final IBDP final exams in year 2: min. 24 points, min. 12 points HL required, 9 points for SL, min. grade D in ToK and Extended Essay, CAS completed. Max. no. of points is 45 (6x7 + 3 extra points). Please see Ms. Jansma for further detail

- Attendance: lateness and absence and role of parents (see Diploma Programme Guide) which has already been handed out to students
- Catch up Tests restricted (see Diploma Programme Guide)
- Deadlines are vital (see Diploma Programme Guide)

Please note that the summer holiday starts on Friday 20 July 2018 and students may be required to be in school till Thursday 19 July.

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