

# International Baccalaureate Programme



## IB Coordinator Recommendations

September 19, 2011

Dear Interested Students and Parents:

Thank you for your interest in the International Baccalaureate Programme offered at Semiahmoo Secondary School. We look forward to reviewing your complete application no later than 3 p.m., December 1<sup>st</sup>, 2011. All late applications will be reviewed for wait-listing.

In completing the resume section of the application, please feel free to use more or less space than provided on the form or attach a resume. Please include sponsor names and contact numbers. Teacher reference letters are only needed in support of applicants who do not have an A average for full diploma. Sometimes there are a few spots available for Semiahmoo students to take up to three IB courses part-time. Class enrolment for certificate students is never secured or guaranteed until the end of the second week of class in September of the Grade 11 year, due to graduation requirements for diploma students. Certificate or part-time placement will be awarded based on grade point in the pre-requisite course.

There is no charge to make an application to the IB Programme and your cheque is only cashed when the student is accepted to register them as an IB candidate through the IB Organization.

Please use the application checklist to ensure your package is complete with a current photo. Current report cards may be added to your file if mailed after the initial application. Once we review all the packages, diploma applicants will be advised of their admission status by email or phone in early January. Certificate applications will see the IB course on their schedule in June. If you are a diploma candidate and have not heard back by January 31<sup>st</sup>, please call to check on your application to ensure we have the correct contact information.

Best wishes for success in your application process,

Lynne Porpaczy  
International Baccalaureate Coordinator  
IB World School 0159, Semiahmoo Secondary School  
[PORPACZY\\_L@SD36.BC.CA](mailto:PORPACZY_L@SD36.BC.CA) 604.542.5270