

Guidelines for Grade Placement 2019-2020 Academic Year

Age of Student on Sept. 1	Year of Birth	IGBIS Programme Grade	Equivalent grade in other educational systems									
			Malaysia	USA/ Canada	Australia	U.K. and U.K. international schools	New Zealand	Japan	China	Singapore	Korea	
Elementary School - Early Childhood												
(2-3)	01.09.16 - 31.08.17 2016 - 2017	Fireflies										
(3-4)	01.09.15 - 31.08.16 2015 - 2016	Early Years 1	Nursery	Nursery	Pre-school	Nursery	Kindergarten	Kindergarten			Pre-school	Kindergarten
(4-5)	01.09.14 - 31.08.15 2014 - 2015	Early Years 2	Kindergarten	Junior K	Pre-school	Reception	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Pre-school	Kindergarten
Elementary School - PYP												
(5-6)	01.09.13 - 31.08.14 2013 - 2014	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	KG/Prep	Year 1	Year 1	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten	Kindergarten
(6-7)	01.09.12 - 31.08.13 2012 - 2013	Grade 1	Standard 1	Grade 1	Year 1	Year 2	Year 2	Grade 1	Year 1	Primary 1	Primary 1	1 st Grade
(7-8)	01.09.11 - 31.08.12 2011 - 2012	Grade 2	Standard 2	Grade 2	Year 2	Year 3	Year 3	Grade 2	Year 2	Primary 2	Primary 2	2 nd Grade
(8-9)	01.09.10 - 31.08.11 2010 - 2011	Grade 3	Standard 3	Grade 3	Year 3	Year 4	Year 4	Grade 3	Year 3	Primary 3	Primary 3	3 rd Grade
(9-10)	01.09.09 - 31.08.10 2009 - 2010	Grade 4	Standard 4	Grade 4	Year 4	Year 5	Year 5	Grade 4	Year 4	Primary 4	Primary 4	4 th Grade
(10-11)	01.09.08 - 31.08.09 2008 - 2009	Grade 5	Standard 5	Grade 5	Year 5	Year 6	Year 6	Grade 5	Year 5	Primary 5	Primary 5	5 th Grade
Secondary School - MYP												
(11-12)	01.09.07 - 31.08.08 2007 - 2008	Grade 6	Standard 6	Grade 6	Year 6	Year 7	Year 7	Grade 6	Year 6	Primary 6	Primary 6	6 th Grade
(12-13)	01.09.06 - 31.08.07 2006 - 2007	Grade 7	Form 1	Grade 7	Year 7	Year 8	Year 8	Grade 1	Year 1	Secondary 1	Secondary 1	1 st Grade
(13-14)	01.09.05 - 31.08.06 2005 - 2006	Grade 8	Form 2	Grade 8	Year 8	Year 9	Year 9	Grade 2	Year 2	Secondary 2	Secondary 2	2 nd Grade
(14-15)	01.09.04 - 31.08.05 2004 - 2005	Grade 9	Form 3	Grade 9	Year 9	Year 10	Year 10	Grade 3	Year 3	Secondary 3	Secondary 3	3 rd Grade
(15-16)	01.09.03 - 31.08.04 2003 - 2004	Grade 10	Form 4	Grade 10	Year 10	Year 11	Year 11	Grade 1	Year 1	Secondary 4	Secondary 4	1 st Grade
Secondary School - IBDP and IBCC												
(16-17)	01.09.02 - 31.08.03 2002 - 2003	Grade 11	Form 5	Grade 11	Year 11	Year 12	Year 12	Grade 2	Year 2	Secondary 5	Secondary 5	2 nd Grade
(17-18)	01.09.01 - 31.08.02 2001 - 2002	Grade 12	Form 6	Grade 12	Year 12	Year 13	Year 13	Grade 3	Year 3	Tertiary	Tertiary	3 rd Grade

Note: These are guidelines only. The grade placement decision will depend on the academic programme and time of year a student moves to IGBIS.