

## Course Requests for Grade 11, 2017-18

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (print official name) Date Submitted \_\_\_\_\_

Email for Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Email for Parent: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please follow all steps for registration:** Students who register first will get priority.

1. New Student Orientation is Thursday, August 10th from 12:30-2:30, students **must attend** and also bring their computer to this session!  
Please sign here that you will attend: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Learn more about the IB Program. All IB courses are two year courses. To be an IB DP Candidate, you must take 3 HL courses and take TOK as your 7th class. Read through this material. <http://www.kas.tw/learning/hs/ibdp/> Do you plan to be an IB Diploma Candidate?
3. Please "x" the course(s) you wish to take. Course descriptions found at: [www.kas.kh.edu.tw](http://www.kas.kh.edu.tw)
4. Submit final official transcript from previous school to [ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw](mailto:ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw)
5. Submit this form completed to [ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw](mailto:ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw)

### Group 1: Language A (Literature) (Placement tests might be required if previous experience is not evident on past transcript)

- \_\_\_ IB English Language and Literature SL
- \_\_\_ IB English Language and Literature HL
- \_\_\_ IB English HL (recommended that YOU LOVE to READ BOOKS in English.....You read all the time!!!)
- \_\_\_ IB Chinese SL (recommended that you have a very high level of Chinese for both reading and writing)
- \_\_\_ IB Chinese HL ( (recommended that you have a very high level of Chinese for both reading and writing)

### Group 2: Language B -(Placement tests are required if you DO NOT meet the prerequisites)

- \_\_\_ IB Japanese SL (Japanese 4)
- \_\_\_ IB Spanish Ab Initio(Spanish 2)
- \_\_\_ IB Spanish SL (Spanish 4)

Please note: If you are taking Chinese then you do not need to take a course from this group!

### Group 3: Individuals and Societies (Social Sciences) Choose a 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> choice! You might not get your first or second choice.

- \_\_\_ IB History SL
- \_\_\_ IB History HL (recommended a B or higher in 10th grade History)
- \_\_\_ IB Economics SL
- \_\_\_ IB Economics HL (recommended a B or higher in 10th grade History)
- \_\_\_ IB Psychology SL
- \_\_\_ IB Psychology HL
- \_\_\_ IB Business Management SL
- \_\_\_ IB Business Management HL

### Group 4: Experimental Sciences (Science) Choose a 1<sup>st</sup> and 2nd choice! You might not get your first choice.

- \_\_\_ IB Biology SL
- \_\_\_ IB Biology HL (recommended a B or higher in 10<sup>th</sup> grade Science)
- \_\_\_ IB Physics SL
- \_\_\_ IB Physics HL (recommended a B or higher in 10<sup>th</sup> grade Science)
- \_\_\_ Forensics (for non diploma students only-not really recommended for 11th graders).

### Group 5: Mathematics (Placement tests might be required if previous experience is not evident on past transcript)

- \_\_\_ IB Math Studies SL
- \_\_\_ IB Math SL (prerequisite: successful completion of Algebra II)
- \_\_\_ IB Math HL (prerequisite: Pre Calculus recommended a B or higher)

**Group 6: Arts or Electives** (Choose 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> choice) **You might not get your first or second choice.**

**For IB Diploma Candidates:**

To fulfill Group 6 requirement for the IB DP, students can choose a course from below OR an additional course from Group 3 or 4.

\_\_\_ IB Music SL (only for students who have previous music experience)

**For IB Certificate and/or KAS Diploma Candidates, additional elective choices include:**

**Fine Arts Classes**

**Additional Classes**

\_\_\_ Music 1

\_\_\_ Intro to Theater

\_\_\_ Design (IT-Computers) & Film Studies

(students will have one semester Design & one sem Film Studies)

**Additionally All IB Diploma Students will take Theory of Knowledge (TOK) as their 7th class.**

KAS Graduation Requirements	Subject Areas	Recommendations for College
4 years	English	4-5 years
3 years	Social Studies	4 years
3 years	Math	4 years
3 years	Science	4 years
3 years	World Language	4 years
1 year	PE	None
1 year	Fine Arts	1-2 years
6 credits	Electives	3-5 credits
24 credits		25-29 credits

**Please note each college is different. These are just an estimate of what is expected.**

**Course Selection Reminders:**

- 11<sup>th</sup> graders are required to enroll in seven classes.
- Math and English placement depends on prior course work, previous grades, and placement scores- teachers determine class placement.
- English, World Language, Social Science, Science, and Math are required courses.
- It is not recommended to take more than three HL courses in one year.
- The IB diploma does not allow students to take more than four HL courses in one year.
- It is recommended to start in level one of all World Language courses unless you are a native speaker/writer in that particular language.
- In order to move to a higher level of World Language, students must test with the language teacher.

The counselor is available after August 1st for appointments if you have questions or concerns.

Please call or email to set up an appointment. [ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw](mailto:ldietrich@kas.kh.edu.tw)