

Welcome Guide





The world is here.

We are an international school that sees the world in every person.

There is a curiosity in difference,
and compassion in inclusion.



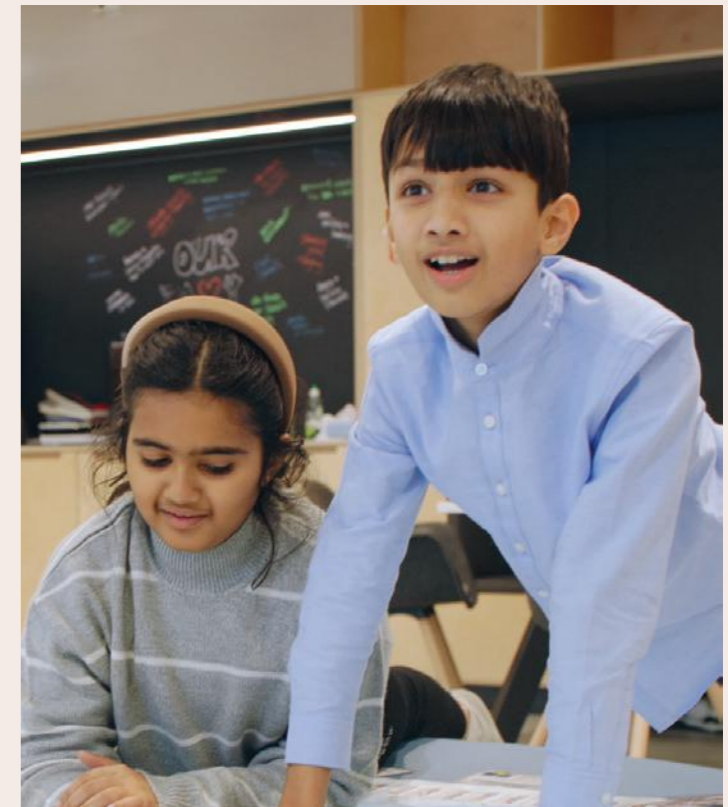
International School Almere thrives on diversity. We encourage students to celebrate their unique heritage and culture while exploring the universal truths, values and feelings that make us all human. By seeing the world in every person, we also find the world within ourselves. This is the key to success in an intercultural society.

International School Almere is a shared hub for students, ages 4-18, to learn together in the same environment, look after one another, and practice patience and kindness. This unique setting, one campus for primary and secondary education, promotes acceptance and solidarity.

Almere is the fastest growing city in the Netherlands, and we are growing together with it.

International School Almere is committed to providing each student with the space to shape their own future, develop holistically and discover personal academic excellence.

With a wide and rich outlook on the world, we invite our students to uncover greater possibilities and adopt problem-solving strategies which contribute to a confident and strong sense of self.





We stand for
collaboration & diversity



Compassionate

We create a safe and inspiring school environment that encourages meaningful care for ourselves, each other, and our changing world.



Committed

We are motivated to be involved in all aspects of school life and to go the extra mile to build a deeply involved community.



Curious

We develop intrinsic motivation to take ownership of our own learning process and thrive on the sense of wonder.



Inclusive

We bring together different personalities, nationalities, cultures and abilities. We are a diverse unit where everybody is equal and respected.



Holistic

We focus on the whole person: academically, emotionally, socially and morally. We consider everyone in our community to be a life-long learner.

Our educational vision

At International School Almere, we provide future-oriented, high-quality international education. We offer education in a continuous learning line for international students aged 4-18. Our education is inclusive and accessible to students with different learning styles and abilities according to the support profile that we are able to adhere to.

The education we provide consists of three programmes that are seamlessly connected and used all over the world. This continuity allows our students to develop as smoothly as possible at our school, and in the event that they move to another country.



The International Baccalaureate (IB)

At International School Almere our students learn through the International Baccalaureate Programme. This is an excellent preparation for further education anywhere in the world.

Our primary section is a candidate for the Primary Years Programme. The primary section shares the same common philosophy as our secondary section; a commitment to high quality, challenging international education that International School Almere believes is important for our students.

With authorised IB World School status, our secondary section proudly offers the Middle Years Programme and the Diploma Programme, and is currently a candidate school for the Career-related Programme. Secondary students work towards obtaining the coveted International Baccalaureate diploma.

To learn more,
please go to IB
website



Bhuvankarthik, Year 4

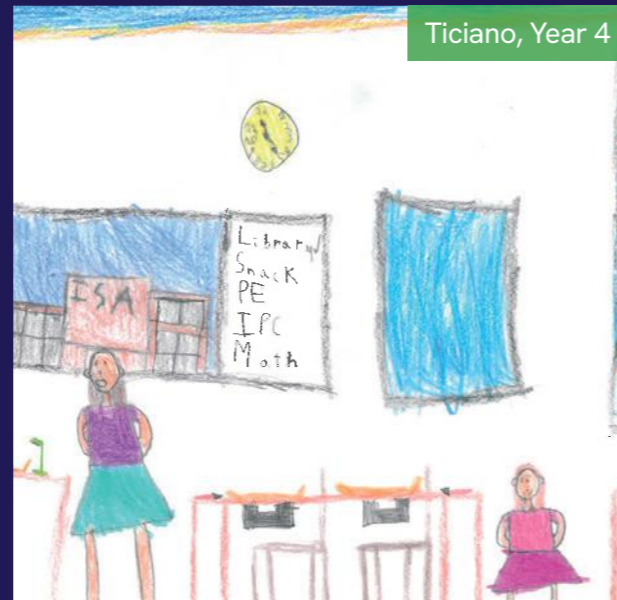


Deshna, MYP3

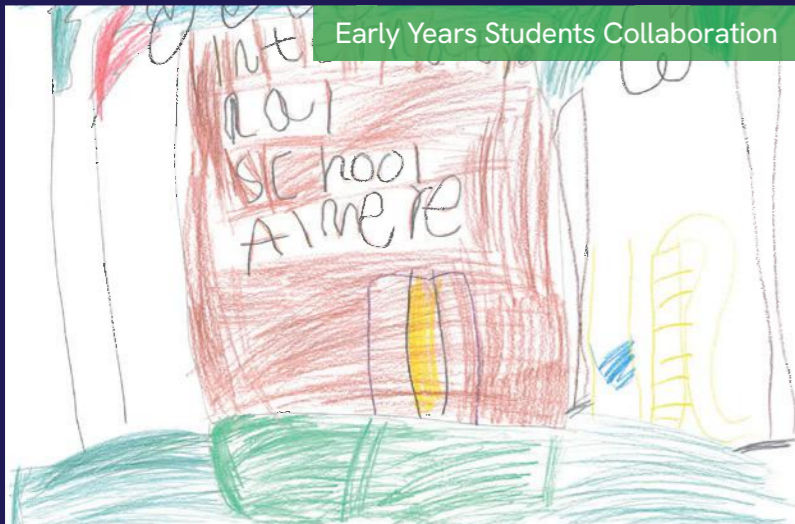


Sanjana, DP 1

Ticiano, Year 4



Early Years Students Collaboration



“Our school is like a rollercoaster that never goes down.”

Dimitar, Secondary Student

“Everyone belongs here.”

Achyuth, Primary Student

“School is a wonderful place for students to connect with one another and socialise.”

Ethan, Secondary Student

“I love the school, it is so big.”

Myra, Primary Student

“It is as if the whole world is inside this building, with all communities living together.”

Rob, Secondary Staff

“We take learning seriously, but we also have fun.”

Sonya, Primary Staff

“A great opportunity to learn, a new world in education.”

Annemarie, Secondary Staff

“This school feels like a home away from home.”

Colleen, Primary Staff

Fun facts about our world



600+ students



3.600 books in the library



80+ staff



7 species of trees



35+ nationalities



2 gym halls



45+ home languages



7.606 m²



200+ cups of coffee consumed daily



200+ bicycles outside

Admission

Eligibility

As Dutch International Schools are state subsidised international schools, admission is subject to conditions set in Dutch legislation.

Students within international mobile families, between the age of 4 and 18 can only be admitted to our school if the student complies with one of the following three conditions:

- The student has a non-Dutch nationality* and has a parent that is working in The Netherlands (or in a Dutch border region) for a limited time.
- The student has the Dutch nationality and has lived and gone to school abroad for at least two years because a parent was stationed abroad.
- The student has the Dutch nationality and has a parent (with whom the student will be living) that will be stationed abroad within two years and for at least two years. This is to be proven by a written statement of the parent's employer.

In addition, a student can be admitted to the DP-programme (last two years) of Dutch International Secondary Schools if:

- The student has a havo-diploma or a certificate of promotion to year 5 in a vwo-school, and;
- The student can prove that he/she is sufficiently fluent in English, at the discretion of the international school.


All students that are enrolled in the primary section of International School Almere must re-apply for enrolment into secondary school as according to Dutch regulations, the primary and secondary departments are considered separate schools.


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