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The School

Founded in 2007, Brookes Westshore is a purpose-built day and boarding school sitting on 4-acres in the heart of Victoria, British Columbia, Canada. Brookes Westshore is a co-educational, day and boarding school offering the world-renowned International Baccalaureate® (IB) programmes of education across the Middle Years Programme (MYP) and Diploma Programme (DP) in addition to the BC Ministry Curriculum. Brookes provides outstanding opportunities, locally and abroad, to 300 students from over 23 different nationalities across Grades 4-12.

Mission

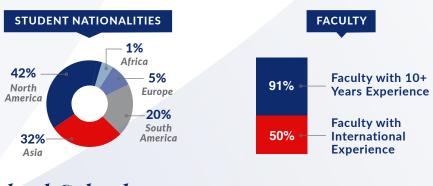
Brookes uses the International Baccalaureate as its platform for learning. Students are supported in a caring environment and given opportunities to learn about themselves and to take action in areas in which they are passionate. Our students and teachers come from diverse backgrounds and we connect globally with our other campuses to learn about the world, from the world. We inspire and teach students about global issues by connecting ideas and stories locally. We strive to use our environment as a tool and a canvas for learning and action.

Vision

A world of self-confident lifelong learners connected and inspired to help others.

Values

Through leadership challenges and opportunities, we help students discover their passion, develop their character, and understand their connection to others and society. We espouse creativity, build character and develop connections to deliver exceptional educational learning experiences.



School Calendar

Brookes Westshore is a 3 term schedule and a report card is provided at the end of each term with grades and teacher comments. Students attend 4 - 80 minute blocks of instruction per day. The school year begins following the September long weekend. There is a 3 week Winter Break at the end of December to early January and a 2 week spring break the last 2 weeks of March. The completion of the school occurs the third week of June. Students receive 37 weeks of instruction through the academic year.

Graduation Requirements

Students graduating from Brookes Westshore receive an International Baccalaureate Diploma and/or a British Columbia (BC) Dogwood Diploma. The BC Dogwood Diploma requires 80 credits (each full year course is 4 credits) of course work from Grades 10-12 and completion of Career Life Connections. All IB subjects receive credit towards the BC Dogwood Diploma.



Receipt of BC Dogwood Diploma 100%

> Students with Bilingual Diploma

87.5% of students who passed the IB receive a bilingual diploma

Number of students registered in IB examinations		
2018	30	
2019	44	
2020	40	

 Average points earned for the IB Diploma

 (out of a total of 45 possible points)

 2018
 31

 2019
 30

2020	28
Highest grade received	

Highest grade received towards the IB Diploma

2018	38
2019	39
2020	40

Grading

The IB grading scale of 1-7 is used for all MYP and DP subjects. IB grading is distributed on a 1-7 scale, with 4 representing a passing score (equivalent to a C+) and 6 and 7 representing outstanding work (equivalent to an A and A+, respectively). The BC Ministry of Education requires a conversion of IB Grades to % grades for the BC Dogwood Diploma.

International Baccalaureate (IB)

At Brookes Westshore we are committed to delivering a world-class education in line with the values and goals of the IB programme.

The IB programmes offer an academic approach with an unprecedented emphasis on personal development, equipping you well for post-secondary education and life beyond Brookes. In order to receive the IB Diploma, students must fulfill the following requirements:

- Completion of a Theory of Knowledge course
- Completion of a 4,000 word research paper (Extended Essay)
- Completion of the Creativity, Activity, and Service learning program (CAS)
- Enrollment in 3 higher level (HL) and 3 standard level (SL) courses
- A total score of at least 24 points out of 45 (with a minimum score of 12 in the HL courses)

IB Courses

The following IB courses are offered in Higher Level (HL) and Standard Level (SL):

Visual Arts

Group 1: Language and Literature English Literature, Chinese Literature, School-supported Self-taught	Group 4: Sciences Biology, Physics, Chemistry
Group 2: Language Acquisition French ab initio, French B, English B	Group 5: Mathematics Mathematics Analysis and Approaches, Mathematics Applications and Interpretation
Group 3: Individual and Societies	Group 6: The Arts

Economics, History

British Columbia BC Courses

Mathematics Foundations 11 Mathematics PreCalculus 11

Geography, Business Management,

PreCalculus 12 Mathematics Foundations 12

School Statistics

- 44 Number of candidates registered in the session
- 29 Number of diploma and retake candidates registered in the session
- **310** Number of subject entries in the session
- 30 Average points obtained by candidates who passed the diploma
- **39** Highest diploma points awarded to a candidate
- 4.80 Average grade obtained at the school by candidates who passed the diploma
 - 0 Total number of candidates excluded from statistics

University Acceptances

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Australian National University Macquarie University Monash University The University of Adelaide The University of Melbourne

Canada

Alexander College Bishop's University British Columbia Institute of Technology Camosun College Capilano University Coquitlam College Douglas College Emily Carr University of Art and Design Fraser International College Kwantlen Polytechnic University Langara College Laurentian University **McGill University McMaster University** Mount Allison University **Quest University Canada Ryerson College** Sheridan College Simon Fraser University The University of British Columbia University of Alberta University of British Columbia Okanagan



Brunel University London Durham University University of Bristol

Graduates for the class of 2013-2020

The University of Sydney The University of Western Australia University of New South Wales University of Technology Sydney

University of Fraser Valley University of Ottawa University of Toronto University of Waterloo Vancouver Film School Vancouver Island University Vancouver Premier College of Hotel Management Western University Western University - King's University College Western University - Huron College **Carleton University** The Art Institute of Vancouver (LaSalle College Vancouver) **Trinity Western University University of British Columbia University of Northern British Columbia** University of Toronto Mississauga University of Toronto - St. George Campus University of Toronto - Victoria College **University of Victoria**

University of York Royal Holloway, University of London St. Mary's University

University Acceptances

Graduates for the class of 2013-2020



Chinese University of Hong Kong

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology



University of Amsterdam University of Twente Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam



Auckland University of Technology The University of Auckland University of Canterbury University of Otago



Queen's University Belfast



Glion Institute of Higher Education



Taiwan National University

United States of America

Mt. San Antonio College State University of New York Stony Brook University University of California University of San Francisco University of Texas