

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

The International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme prepares high school students for success at the university level. The academically challenging, internationally focused curriculum includes courses in six subject areas. Students taking year-end IB examinations can also potentially receive college credit.

Once students commit to John Carroll and submit their enrollment deposit, they should request that a transcript from International Baccalaureate North America (IBNA) be sent directly to John Carroll for an official credit evaluation. The tables below show current departmental practice for IB exams.

For courses not listed below, the student must also provide a syllabus from his or her high school for each course being considered for credit. A copy of the syllabus will be sent to the department chair at John Carroll for input on what credit may be given before the official credit evaluation is sent to the student.

Course credit for IB exams will satisfy divisional requirements of the Core Curriculum course equivalent at JCU. Special Core Curriculum designations (D, L, R, S, or W) are not awarded.

John Carroll accepts Higher Level (HL) course work only, except as noted below.

STUDIES IN LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| English A: Language and Literature | 6-7 | 6 | EN 111-112 |
| English A: Literature | 6-7 | 6 | EN 111-112 |

LANGUAGE ACQUISITION*

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Classical Languages | SL 6-7 | 6 | LT 101-102 or |
| | | 6 | GK 101-102 |
| | HL 5-7 | 6 | LT 201-202 or |
| | | 3 | GK 232 |
| French B | SL 6-7 | 6 | FR 101-102 |
| | HL 5-7 | 6 | FR 201-202 |
| German B | SL 6-7 | 6 | GR 101-102 |
| | HL 5-7 | 6 | GR 201-202 |
| Mandarin/Chinese B | SL 6-7 | 6 | CN 101-102 |
| | HL 5-7 | 6 | CN 201-202 |
| Spanish B | SL 6-7 | 6 | SP 101-102 |
| | HL 5-7 | 6 | SP 201-202 |

*For language courses not listed, the student must also provide a syllabus from his or her high school for each course being considered for credit.

INDIVIDUALS AND SOCIETIES

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Business and Management | 5-7 | 3 | GE ELEC |
| Economics | 5 6-7 | 3 6 | EC 201 EC 201-202 |
| Geography | 6-7 | 3 | HS 271 |
| Global Politics | 6-7 | 3 | PO 3XX |
| History | 6-7 | 3 | HS 1XX |
| Information Technology in a Global Society | - | - | NA 000* |
| Philosophy | 6-7 | 3 | PL 101 |
| Psychology | 5-7 | 3 | PS 101 |
| Social and Cultural Anthropology | 6-7 | 3 | SC 245 |

*Not currently accepted for credit. To be considered, the student must provide a syllabus from his or her high school for this course, along with a transient petition form.

SCIENCES

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|-------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Biology | 4-5 6-7 | 4 8 | BL 102, BL 102L BL 155-158 |
| Chemistry | 5 6-7 | 3 6 | CH 1XX CH 1XX |
| Computer Science | 5 6-7 | 3 6 | CS 128 CS 128, CS 228 |
| Design Technology | 6-7 | 3 | EP 1XX |
| Physics | 5 6-7 | 4 8 | PH 1XX, PH 1XXL PH 125-126, PH 125L-126L |

MATHEMATICS

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Mathematics | 5 6-7 | 4 8 | MT 135 MT 135-136 |
| Further Mathematics | 5 6 7 | 3 6 8 | MT 271 MT 271, MT 2XX MT 271, MT 2XX |

THE ARTS

| <i>IB Course</i> | <i>IB Score Required for Credit</i> | <i>Semester Hours</i> | <i>JCU Course Equivalent (Course Credit)</i> |
|------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Dance | 5-7 | 3 | FA ELEC |
| Film | 5-7 | 3 | CO 2XX (does not count toward major) |
| Music | 5-7 | 3 | FA ELEC |
| Theatre | 5-7 | 3 | CO 2XX (may petition for Theatre minor) |
| Visual Arts | 5-7 | 3 | AH 1XX |