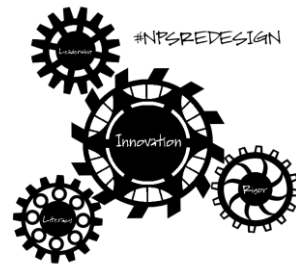
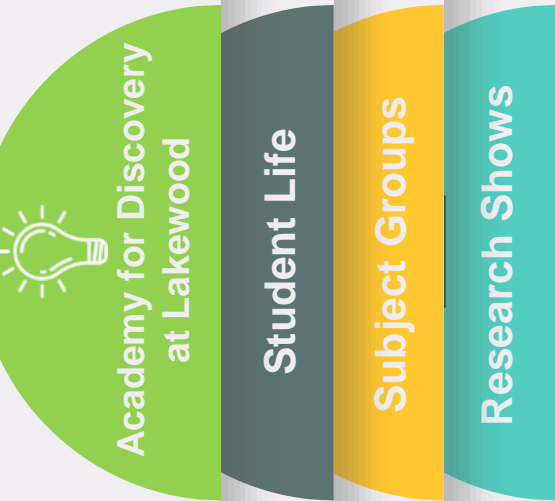




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**INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE  
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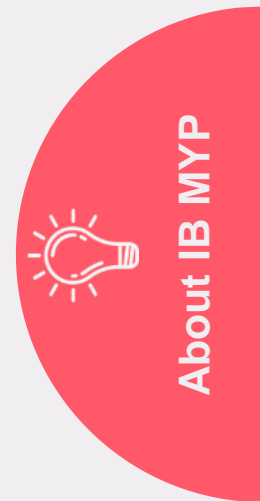
Academy for Discovery at Lakewood (ADL) is a fully authorized International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme (IB MYP) school. In order to become an IB World School, a school must go through a rigorous multi-year authorization process. There are only 5,175 schools in 157 countries that have an authorized IB Program. ADL is only one of two authorized IB MYP programs in all of Hampton Roads.

**IB offers a challenging framework that encourages students to make practical connections between their studies and the real world.**

**IB promotes conceptual learning, focusing on powerful organizing ideas that are relevant across subject areas.**

**IB emphasize the importance of making connections, exploring the relationships between academic disciplines, and learning about the world in ways that reach beyond the scope of individual subjects.**

**IB also focus on offering students authentic opportunities to connect their learning to the world around them.**





# RESEARCH SHOWS THAT STUDENTS PARTICIPATING IN THE MYP:



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# 1

**Build confidence in managing their own learning**



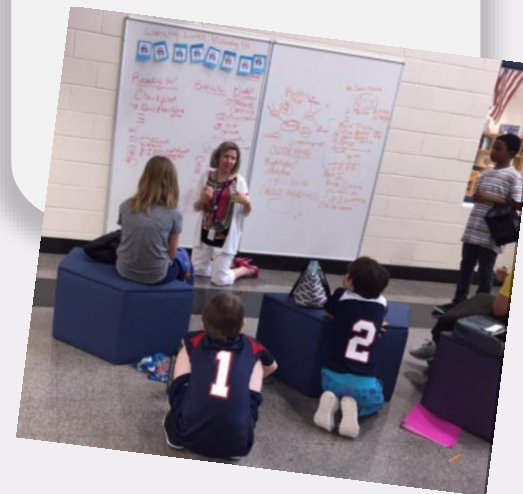
# 2

**Learn by doing, connecting the classroom to the larger world**



# 3

**Develop an understanding of global challenges and a commitment to act as responsible citizens.**



Research Shows

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# IB MYP SUBJECT GROUPS

IB MYP 8 Subject Groups:	6 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	7 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE	8 <sup>TH</sup> GRADE
1. Language Acquisition	Beginning Chinese 6 Beginning Spanish 6	Chinese 1* or Spanish 1* or Repeat Beginning Courses	Chinese 1* or Spanish 1*, or Chinese 2* or Spanish 2*
2. Language and Literature	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Language Arts 6 or Honors Language Arts 6	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Language Arts 7 or Honors Language Arts 7	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Language Arts 8 or Honors Language Arts 8
3. Individuals and Societies	Honors Social Studies 6	Honors Social Studies 7 (Civics)	World Geography* (Must have passed Civics SOL) or Social Studies 8 (Repeat Civics)
4. Sciences	Unified Science 6 or Honors Unified Science 6	Life Science 7 or Honors Life Science 7	Science 8 or Earth Science*
5. Mathematics	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Math 6, Honors Math 6 or Pre-Algebra 6	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Pre-Algebra 7 or Algebra 1*	<b>Single Blocked:</b> Pre-Algebra 8 or Algebra 1*, or Geometry*
6. Arts <i>Visual and Performing</i>	Art 6/Theater 6 or Beginning Band or Beginning Chorus or Beginning Orchestra or Theater 6/Art 6	Digital Art 7 (FY) Intermediate Band (FY) Intermediate Chorus (FY) Intermediate Orchestra (FY) Theater 7 (FY)	Introduction to Art*(FY) Advanced Band (FY) Advanced Chorus (FY) Advanced Orchestra (FY) Theater 8 (FY)
7. Design	Future Problem Solving	Mobile Technologies (Full Year) Digital Art 7/Mobile Technologies (Music Students Only)	Digital Applications*
8. Physical and Health Education	Health and Physical Education 6	Health and Physical Education 7	Health and Physical Education 8

\*High school level classes (10 available)

- All students take 8 subject groups.
- IB believes in Arts – both Visual and Performing
- Unique classes: US History 2 (6<sup>th</sup>), Future Problem Solving, Digital Art, Theater, Integrated Sciences, full year Mobile Technologies and Digital Applications

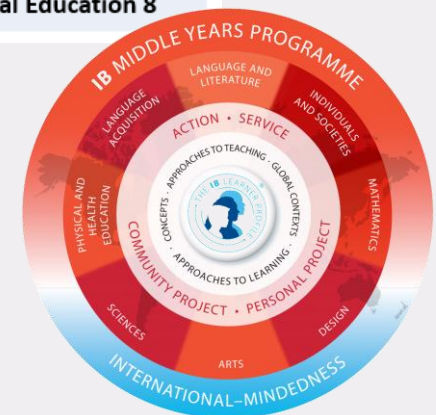
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# STUDENT LIFE

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01

A full athletic program...Go Eagles!



02  
Fun events and activities.  
(Dances, Field Day, Field Trips, 5K, & More)



03

After school clubs and activities.



- Art/Digital Art Club
- Battle of the Books
- Chess Club\*
- Club Golf & Cross Country (New 2019)
- Drama\*
- Future Business Leaders of America (New)
- Future Problem Solving
- Intramural Sports\*
- National Junior Honor Society (7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup>)
- Newspaper
- Poetry Club
- Spanish Club
- Spelling Bee\*
- Sylvan STEM Club<sup>§</sup>
- Student Council Association
- Technology Student Association/Robotics Club
- WADL Television Production
- Yearbook
- \*Seasonal



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FALL	WINTER I	WINTER II	SPRING
Football	Wrestling	Forensics	Boys Track
Boys Volleyball	Boys Soccer	Boys Basketball	Girls Track
Girls Volleyball	Girls Soccer	Girls Basketball	Baseball
Cheerleading	Scholastic Bowl	Competitive Cheer	Field Hockey
Softball			Coed Tennis