RIFFA VIEWS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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IB MIDDLE YEARS PROGRAMME (MYP)

Designed for students aged 11–16, the **IB Middle Years Programme (MYP)** offers a challenging and engaging framework that connects academic learning to real-world experiences. By emphasising conceptual understanding, practical application, and intellectual curiosity, the MYP supports the holistic development of every student.

Through eight subject groups, students build knowledge, skills, and attitudes that support critical thinking, creativity, and communication.

The programme encourages inquiry-based learning, interdisciplinary connections, and global perspectives, preparing students to become active, internationally-minded citizens ready for future academic pathways.



MYP SUBJECT GROUPS

- **Language & Literature (English & Arabic):** Develops communication, analytical thinking, and creativity through a range of texts and perspectives.
- **Language Acquisition:** Builds proficiency in an additional language while encouraging intercultural understanding and curiosity.
- **Individuals & Societies:** Explores history, geography, economics, culture, and politics. Students analyse evidence, evaluate perspectives, and develop global awareness.
- **Sciences:** Encourages inquiry, experimentation, and critical thinking. Students investigate real-world scientific questions and consider ethical implications.
- **Mathematics:** Develops logical reasoning, problem-solving, and practical application of concepts from algebra to probability.
- **Design:** Guides students through a creative cycle of investigating, planning, creating, and evaluating. Students gain practical skills and innovative thinking to tackle real-life challenges.
- **Physical & Health Education:** Promotes healthy lifestyles, resilience, teamwork, and sportsmanship.
- **Arts:** Engages students in visual and performing arts, encouraging creativity, expression, and critical reflection across multiple art forms.

APPROACHES TO LEARNING (ATL SKILLS)

The MYP cultivates essential skills for lifelong learning:

- **Communication:** Expressing ideas clearly and listening effectively.
- **Collaboration:** Working productively with peers and communities.
- **Self-Management:** Setting goals, organising tasks, and reflecting on learning.
- **Research:** Finding, evaluating, and using information responsibly.
- **Thinking:** Analysing, innovating, and solving problems creatively.





SERVICE AS ACTION

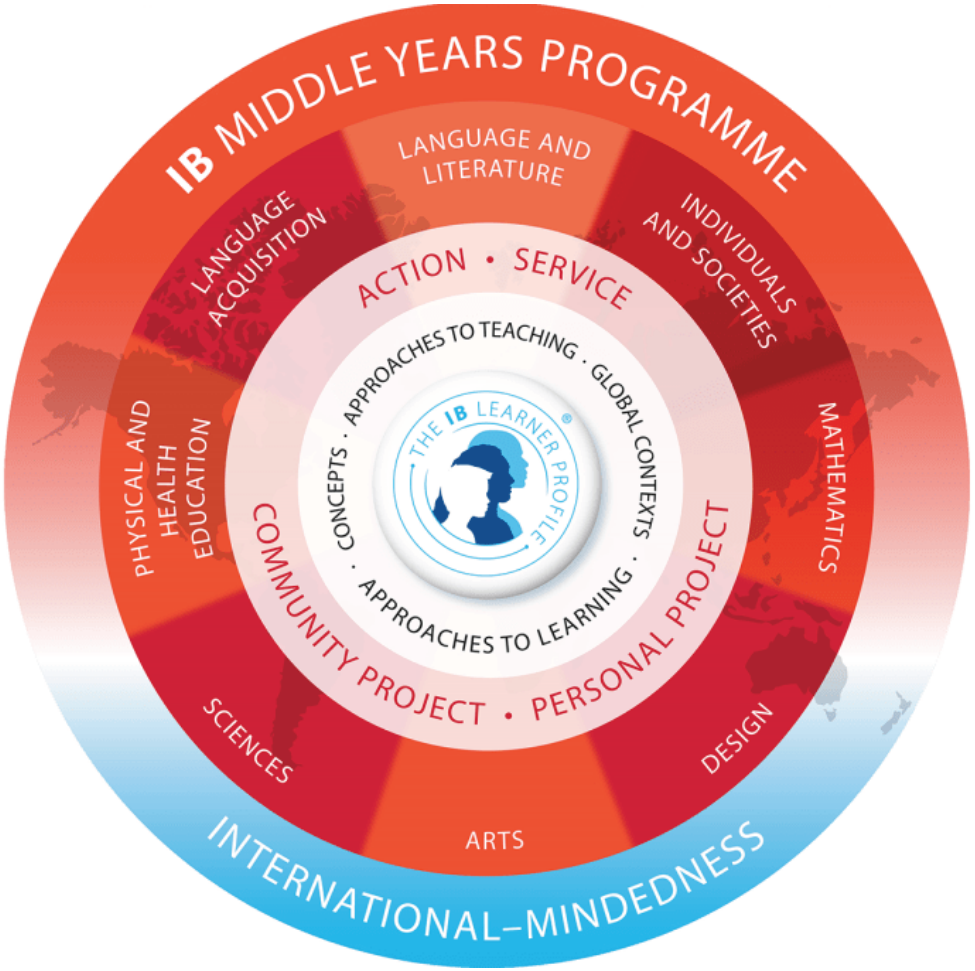
Learning extends beyond the classroom:

- Students identify real-world needs.
- They apply classroom knowledge to make a positive impact on their community.
- Encourages leadership, empathy, and responsibility.

THE PERSONAL PROJECT (GRADE 10)

A student-led capstone experience allowing learners to explore a personal passion:

- Demonstrates research, creativity, and reflection skills.
- Prepares students for independent learning in the IB Diploma Programme.



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Riffa Views International School is a Candidate School* for the Middle Years Programme. This school is pursuing authorization as an IB World School. These are schools that share a common philosophy - a commitment to high quality, challenging, international education that Riffa Views International School believes is important for our students.

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