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North Hagerstown High School

International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme

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Program Descriptions:

IB Diploma Programme (IBDP)

As an approved IB World School, North Hagerstown High School provides competitive IBDP students with a well-rounded preparation for post-secondary education. The IBDP provides students with a freshman college experience during the students' junior and senior years of high school. IBDP students complete college level courses in six academic groups while also completing a Theory of Knowledge course, writing an Extended Essay and participating in Creativity (the arts), Activity (physical activity) and Service (community service) activities. Students receive recognition from IBO for IB courses by completing the assessment process of an internal assessment and two or three external assessments. IBO recognizes successful diploma candidates with an International Baccalaureate Diploma.

IB Course Opportunities for NHHS Students:

Any student at North Hagerstown High School can take a series of courses that conclude with an IB course(s). Participants prepare for the rigors of college academics through an IB course that requires internal assessment (mid-term assessment) and external assessments (final exams). Course candidates who successfully complete the experience are recognized by IBO with an official IB Certificate.

Fast Facts:

1. Interdisciplinary curriculum requires critical thinking
2. Collaborative IB Team working with and for students
3. Class size promotes personal relationship development
4. Global student centered curriculum
5. IB Higher Level courses offer new and exciting academic opportunities

Open House: October 10, 2018 and October 24, 2018 at 6:30 PM

Application Deadline – December 7, 2018

