



INTERNATIONAL ACADEMY OF SAINT PETERSBURG

"BUILDING BRIDGES FOR THIRD CULTURE CHILDREN"

School Profile 2026-2027

International Academy of St. Petersburg (IASP)

From the very beginning IASP's goal has been to provide quality educational services for international students from grades K-12 living in St. Petersburg, Russia. Even today our vision is to see students transformed through our mission by offering exceptional international Christian Educational programs in English.

The School

The school is housed in the historical center of St. Petersburg, Russia on Bolshaya Konnyushennaya street, 8 (Большая Конюшенная ул. 8) the former FinnHouse Building. We have dedicated classrooms for general study, science, art and an inhouse elementary gym and outside play area. For Middle School and High School sports and P.E. activities we rent two state-of-the-art gymnasiums. IASP provides students with computers, internet and technical support.

The Student

For over three decades, IASP students have come from more than thirty countries, the largest groups being from the U.S., South Korea, India and Turkey. Currently, the school has students from over ten different nations.

Instruction is given in English and students must demonstrate satisfactory academic English language proficiency to enter high school. There are other world languages included in our program, such as Russian, German, Korean, Finnish and Chinese.

Student Assessments

Placement Exam for English. An oral interview, a grammar test and a short essay on random topics will determine the student's level of English for ELL placement.

MAP Testing. Three times a year a national standard testing is given to determine the level of growth and educational understanding the student has achieved.

Curriculum

The International Academy offers an (AP) Advanced Placement program. The AP Program is recognized by more than 4000 international universities in over 100 countries. High School students may take an AP Exam, in

accordance with the guidelines of IASP policy. Our internationally recognized diploma provides exceptional global opportunities for our students evidenced in the list of schools attended by our graduates. Through our AP Courses, students have shown exceptional aptitude and have entered top universities and institutes worldwide.

We offer guidance to students considering taking university and college entrance level exams.

Full credit classes meet five times a week for 45 minutes per class and half-credit classes meet 2 to 3 hours per week; a credit correlates to 120 academic hours.



We are fully accredited by two major accrediting associations recognized worldwide. First is the **Middle States Association (MSA-CESS)** and the **Association of Christian Schools International (ACSI)**. In addition, we are a licensed non-profit educational institution for supplementary education by the Russian Federation Committee for Education in St. Petersburg, Russia.

Our Community

St. Petersburg has long been the cultural capital of Russia and is a hub for music and the arts. The city is also a base for international businesses and consulates worldwide. Classes at the International Academy engage with the cultural heritage of St. Petersburg and take advantage of the many opportunities offered. At times we visit the Hermitage, the Russian Museum, the Marinsky Theater, and much more. IASP is a great investment for your child's future.

Mission Statement

"The International Academy of St. Petersburg is committed to providing quality International Christian Education in English."



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Grade Point Average

Semester course grades are reported numerically on transcripts. These are used to determine GPA on a four-point scale. Semester grades are used to calculate the cumulative GPA. Only grades earned at the International Academy of St. Petersburg are used to calculate a student's GPA. Some of our students come from varied educational backgrounds, including other international schools with different grading scales. Grades from other schools can be transferred and accepted upon approval and review by the IASP administrative team.

Grading and Requirements

Subject	# Of Credits
English*	4 credits
Mathematics*	3 credits
Science*	3 credits
Social Studies*	3 credits
World Language	2 credits
Physical Education (P.E.) and Health	1 credit
Worldview and Character Development *	4 credits
Elective	3 credits
Additional Core Subject	1 credit
Total:	24 credits

*Core subjects

Grading Scale

Letter	GPA	Number
A+	4.00	97-100
A	4.00	93-96
A-	3.60	90-92
B+	3.33	87-89
B	3.00	83-86
B-	2.67	80-82
C+	2.33	77-79
C	2.00	73-76
C-	1.67	70-72
D+	1.33	67-69
D	1.00	63-66
D-	0.67	60-62
F	0-59	0-59

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JMC Academy

Austria
Vienna University of Technology

Canada
Trinity Western University

Germany
Augsburg University
IU International University of Applied Sciences
University of Europe Applied Sciences

Japan
Aoyama Gakuin University

Netherlands
Maastricht University

South Korea
Hanyang University
Ewha Women's University
Sung Kyun Kwan University
Han-Dong Global University
Yonsei University

Sweden
Campus Helsingborg, Lunds University
Malardalen University

United Kingdom
University of the Arts, London

United States
Azusa Pacific University
Baylor University
Bethel College (Indiana)
Cedarville University
Concordia University Chicago
Duke University
Evangel University
Grand Canyon University
Grinnell College
Huntington University
Illinois Wesleyan University
Indiana Bible College
John Brown University
Liberty University
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New York University
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