

IB schools in Dubai: every Diploma school, with fees, rating and 2025 results

Programmes from the IB's register (October 2026: 56 UAE schools authorised for the Diploma). KHDA ratings from the last full round (2023-24). Fees in AED: the Outstanding schools' KHDA-approved 2025-26 figures, first year to Diploma year; the others are published ranges. World average, May 2025: 30.58 points; UAE about 32.6.

School	Programmes	KHDA	Fees (AED)	May 2025 avg
JESS, Arabian Ranches	DP (sixth form)	Outstanding	54,129 to 104,544	about 38; 100%
Dubai International Academy, Emirates Hills	PYP MYP DP CP	Outstanding	44,979 to 79,696	about 36; 100%
Nord Anglia International School	DP (sixth form)	Outstanding	69,625 to 105,288	36
GEMS Wellington International	DP CP (sixth form)	Outstanding	47,527 to 103,399	36; 98%
Repton School Dubai	DP (with A-levels)	Outstanding	57,178 to 102,753	35; 100%
Dubai American Academy	DP (with AP)	Outstanding	66,185 to about 93,300	34; 95%
GEMS Modern Academy (IB stream)	PYP MYP DP	Outstanding	38,246 to 73,876	34; 97%
Deira International School	DP CP (sixth form)	Outstanding	44,616 to 89,889	34.2; 100%
North London Collegiate School Dubai	PYP MYP DP	not yet rated Outstanding	premium	36.5; 100%
Sunmarke School	DP CP (sixth form)	Very Good / Good	mid	36.4; 100%
Dubai International Academy, Al Barsha	PYP MYP DP CP	Very Good	mid	about 35.5 to 36
Raffles World Academy	PYP MYP DP CP	Good to Very Good	about 33,500 to 88,000	34.1; 100%
GEMS World Academy	PYP MYP DP CP	Very Good	DP about 128,000 to 145,000	33; 95%
Uptown International School	PYP MYP DP CP	Good	about 31,000 to 78,000	33; 100%
Collegiate International School	PYP MYP DP	Good	about 39,000 to 71,000	not published
Emirates International School, Meadows / Jumeirah	PYP MYP DP (CP)	Good	about 29,000 to 82,000	32
Greenfield International School	PYP MYP DP CP	Good	about 34,000 to 83,000	32; 95%
GEMS International School Al Khail	PYP MYP DP CP	Good	about 52,000 to 79,000	32; 91%
Jumeira Baccalaureate School	PYP MYP DP CP	Good	about 56,000 to 84,000	33; 100%
Universal American School	PYP DP	Good	about 38,000 to 73,000	33; 86%
Others authorised for the DP	Dwight; Swiss International Scientific; Fairgreen; Ambassador International Academy; Dar Al Marefa; Bloom; Dunecrest; The Aquila School; Philadelphia; GEMS AlKhaleej; GEMS Wellington Academy DSO; Bilingual French International			

Abu Dhabi, the affordable list, and the questions to ask

Abu Dhabi: every Diploma school

School	Programmes	ADEK	Fees (AED)	May 2025 avg
Bateen World Academy	PYP DP CP	Outstanding	54,000 to 75,310	33; 97%
American Community School	DP	Outstanding	56,526 to 99,060	not published
British International School Abu Dhabi	DP (with A-levels)	Outstanding	54,204 to 76,952	33.9; 99%
Raha International (Khalifa City; Gardens)	PYP MYP DP	Very Good	about 42,000 to 66,000	33; 95%
GEMS American Academy	DP (with AP)	Very Good	about 49,000 to 81,000	32; 79%
GEMS World Academy Abu Dhabi	PYP MYP DP	Very Good	about 65,000	not published
Emirates National Schools (MBZ City, Al Manaseer, Al Nahyan, Al Ain)	PYP MYP DP by campus	Very Good / Good	about 25,500 to 55,200	not published
International Community School, Mushrif	DP	Very Good	mid	not published
American International School	PYP DP	Good	about 33,000 to 60,000	not published
Australian School of Abu Dhabi	PYP MYP DP	Good	about 15,600 to 37,000	not published
Aspen Heights British School	DP (sixth form)	Good	mid	not published
Abu Dhabi International Private School; Al Najah Private School	DP	Very Good / Good (older)	about 13,700 to 46,400	not published

Affordable Diploma in Dubai (under about AED 80,000 in the final years)

[] Collegiate International (Al Qusais); Uptown International (Mirdif); GEMS Modern Academy IB stream (Outstanding); Dubai International Academy Emirates Hills (Outstanding, 36 average): the value pick

[] Emirates International School Meadows and Jumeirah; Greenfield (DIP); Universal American School; Dar Al Marefa; budget: GEMS AlKhaleej, Philadelphia

On the school tour

Ask	Answer
Which IB programmes is the school authorised for, and since when?	
Diploma average, cohort size, share at 40+, lowest score?	
What share of Grade 10 enters the full Diploma (not CP or a high-school diploma)?	
Maths AA HL, Physics HL, Chemistry HL all timetabled this year?	
Fee in Year 12 and 13, plus IB exam fees, books, trips?	

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