



LANGUAGE INTEGRATION PROGRAM

YOUR CHANCE TO AVAIL THE GERMAN ABITUR



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What is the Language Integration Program (LIP)?

The German International School Abu Dhabi (GISAD) is the only school in the Emirate that offers students the German Abitur as an entry ticket for the majority of prestigious universities for tertiary education worldwide. GISAD is an Excellent German School Abroad, certified by the German government.

What is the LIP and who can apply?

We designed a program for students with little or no knowledge of the German language that qualifies them for the German curriculum and enables them to pursue the German Abitur.

This Language Integration Program is tailored to candidates from the age of 5 to 14 years with excellent performance at their current school.

How does it work?

It offers an individually tailored language acquisition process which is to be accelerated and facilitated by the German speaking family background and/or summer intensive courses at GISAD before the start of the academic year.



Two ways to start at GISAD through our LIP:

For **pupils with minor knowledge of German and a German family background** (at least one parent speaks German)



- Level test B1 and above*
- Summer Intensive Course
- Intensive Language Integration Program (participation in classroom environment, see reference page 10)
- 4 lessons German as a foreign language per week (**150 learning units** per academic year)



Second year: if possible, reduction of support lessons

Pupils from non-German speaking family (no or very little knowledge in German)



- Summer Intensive Course
- One year Language Class (see reference page 8)
- 20 lessons German as a foreign language per week (**720 learning units** per academic year)



Second year: integration into corresponding grade if necessary with extra support lessons

IMPORTANT DATES AND FACTS TO REMEMBER

REGISTRATION

APRIL 15-MAY 20

Make an appointment for entry level test

TUITION FEE

**55.000 AED
P.A.**

**Language Integration Program with
reliable German skills and German-
speaking family background,
Secondary School**

**57.000 AED
P.A.**

**Language Integration Program with
no German skills, Secondary School**

**53.000 AED
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**Language Integration Program for
Primary School**

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Learning
process

Secondary
School

LIP for Secondary School (10-14 years, language family background, good oral German skills)

- Level test in oral skills needs to be at least B1*
- Integration by participating in classroom environment
- Standard German curriculum
- 4 German language lessons a week (1-3 participants), 4 hours of homework
- Certain lessons with extra support teacher, e.g. Biology
- At least 4 level tests to monitor development in written skills (every 8-9 weeks)
- After school care (attendance is mandatory, prerequisite for LIP)
- German language support literature
- Students will acquire "Deutsches Sprachdiplom" (German Language Diploma) in or above grade 6.

*according to the **Common European Framework for Languages** (CEFR)



55.000* AED per academic year.

For members of the German/Austrian/Swiss embassy, Goethe Institute or AHK we grant a discount of 10% on the LIP.

*this price is a combination of the above mentioned elements (school fee, afternoon activities, extra language classes)



LIP for Secondary School (10-14 years, no German skills)

- For absolute beginners, we recommend so called Zero Class
- Special LIP Curriculum
- **Minimum of 180 minutes (4 lessons) of German as a Foreign Language (DaF) per day**
- 3-7 participants in the class to optimize learning outcome
- Some lesson will be taken in the classes of the own age group, e.g. Music, Maths, Art or Sports
- After school care (attendance is mandatory, prerequisite for LIP)
- German language support literature
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Teaching process

As a family you can expect our all support as well as professional and regulated evaluations of your child's progress.

A small group in language classes enables the teacher/s to focus on the student's personal pace and needs. The pupils are facilitated to become autonomous learners, to enhance good time management and other life skills such as taking notes, summarizing, presentation techniques or negotiating.

To advance in receptive (listening and reading) and productive skills (speaking and writing) as well as accuracy in grammar structures, appropriate vocabulary and terminology are systematically built up according to the **CEFR**.

Every child performs differently and adapts with a different pace. During the program, level tests will be written to monitor the progress.

We work closely with parents to monitor the development:

- Monthly progress reports
- Feedback from teachers and support teachers



Successful integration

The school guarantees successful integration

- based on 95% participation in the scheduled plan in both strings
- doing 85% of homework given
- reaching at least 75% in listening, reading, writing skills tested
- reaching at least 85% in grammar, usage and vocabulary fields tested

Course material, books, access to online platform material provided by GISAD in specialized group room equipped with laptop and internet are provided.

Enrollment	Level of German at enrollment	Length of LIP	Learners in group	Zero class 720 lessons	Tests assignments	Classroom environment 144 lessons	Tests
Age 11-14 excellent school report	A0 beginner	min three ys	3-7	one year outcome: A2+/B1-	every 60 lessons	two years outcome: B1/B2-	
	A1	min two ys	1-3	-----		first year A2/B1 second year B1/B2	four times a year
	A2	min one year	1-3	-----		outcome: B1/B2	four times a year



Learning
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Primary School

LIP for Primary School (language family background, good oral German skills)

- Integration into classroom environment
- Standard School Curriculum
- German language lessons inclusive of language differentiation in regular German class 1-5 lessons per week with extra support teacher (ST)
- One extra grammar support lesson per week - total: 9 lessons per week of German, 3 lessons of German as a Foreign Language (DaF) per week
- Additional language lessons: German Support Lessons (GLS) for children in LIP will be offered (small groups of max. 3 participants)
- After school care (attendance is mandatory, prerequisite for LIP)
- German language support literature

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Summer Courses

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Attending a summer course prior to the start of the academic year is prerequisite for starting the LIP program suitable for the level tested in the entry level test.

Our summer courses are run online from July 11-August 19, 2022, Mondays-Fridays.

The course is run by one of our qualified language teachers and takes up to three participants in one group. The course includes language acquisition training as well as essay writing for the higher levels determined by the CEFR.

Prices are:

- 3900 AED for one-on-one classes
- 2900 AED for class with 2 participants
- 1900 AED for class with 3 participants





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