

IGCSE  
Information  
Evening

*15<sup>th</sup> Oct 2019*



# Programme

5:00 pm – 5:30pm Presentation

M Shields

5:30pm – 5.45pm Managebac

D El-Hoss

5:45pm – 6.00pm University

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S Shields

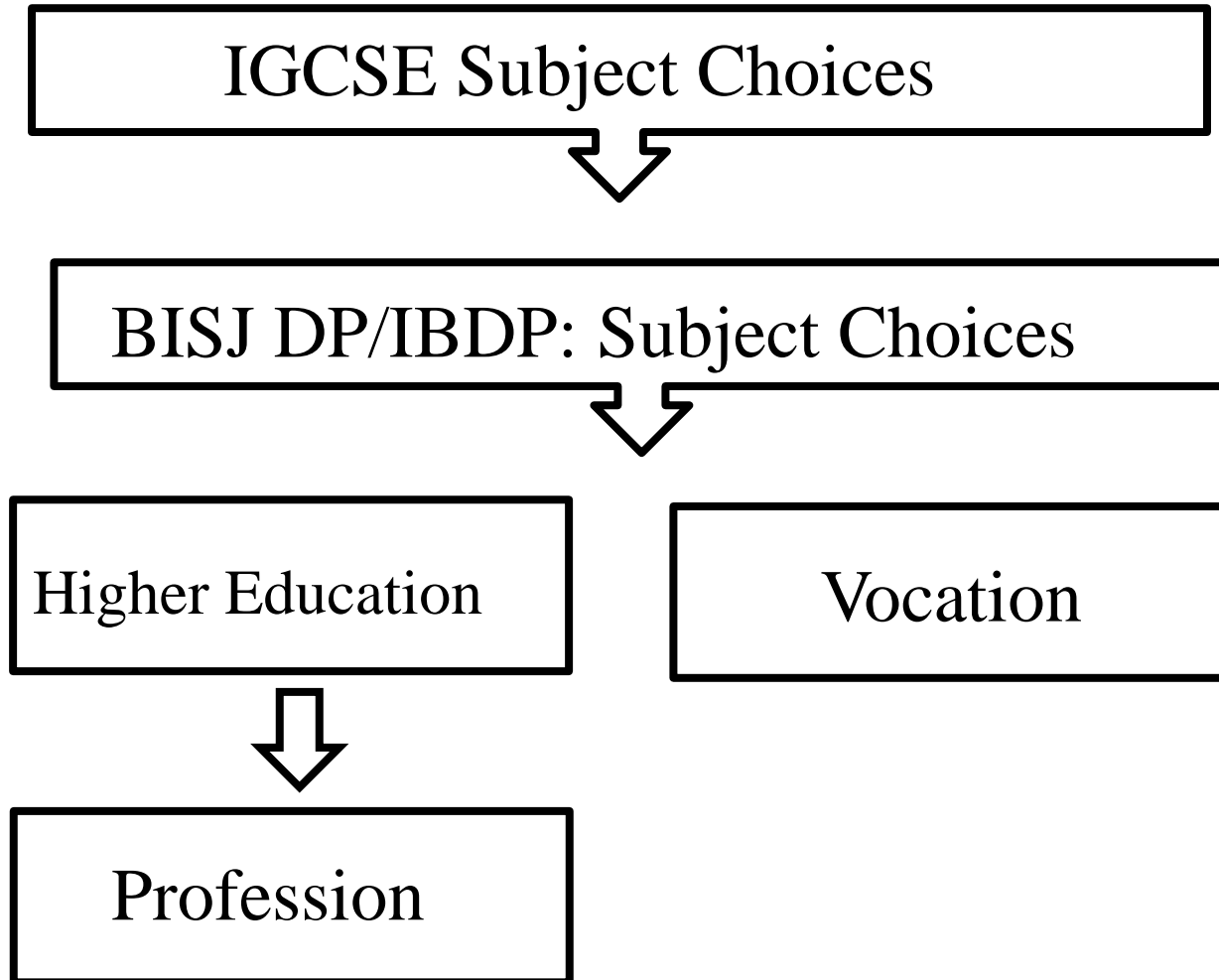
# What is the IGCSE Programme?

Examination Board:

CIE: Cambridge International Examinations  
(IGCSE)

Two Year Programme – August 2019 – May-June 2021

# IGCSE, IBDP, University/Careers Links



# What Assessment happens at the end of the IGCSE Programme?

- **Written examination papers** in all subjects (except Art).
- These vary in length from 1 to 3 hours duration.
- The sample paper gives an idea of the general structure of the examination in most subject.
  
- **Multiple choice examination papers** in Science papers
- Usually 30 questions in 45 minutes
  
- **Coursework submissions** in Art, Drama, Music, PE and History
  
- **Oral tests** in Arabic, French, and Spanish

# What Assessment happens during the IGCSE Programme?

- Departments have a Common Rubric of assessment. This outlines the assessment tasks and their weighting in generating the term grades for the year.
- These can be found on the school website under the Secondary IGCSE Tab and on Managebac under files tab.



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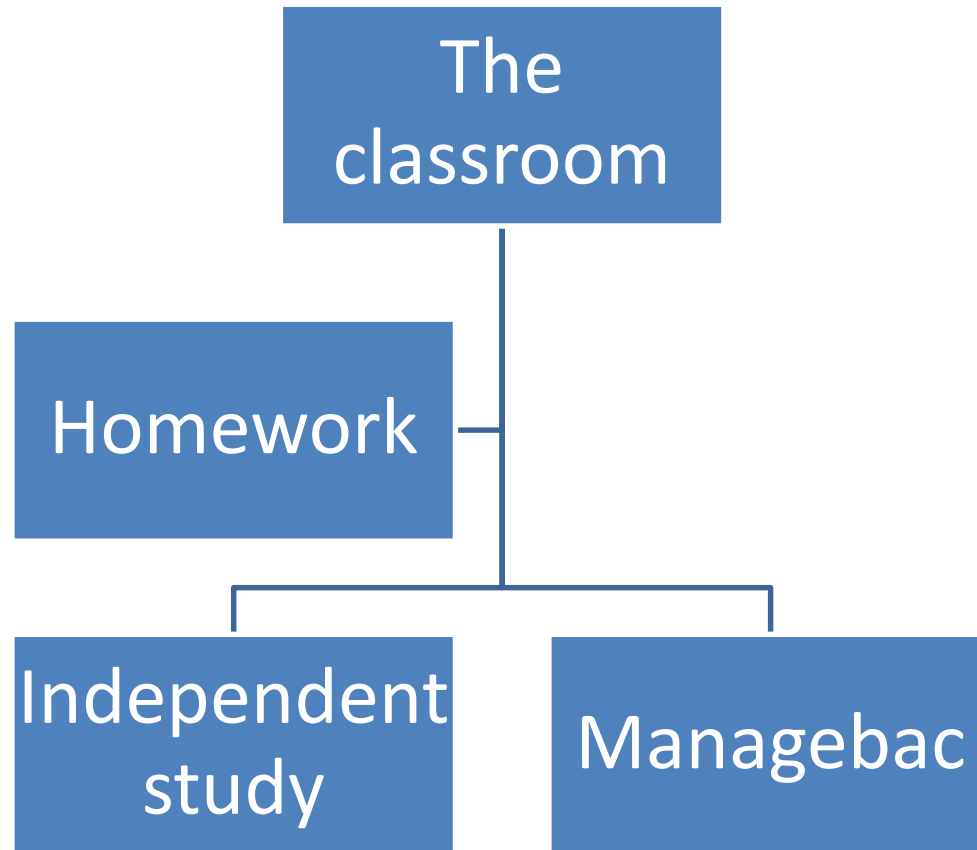
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# Success at IGCSE



# The Classroom

- Students need to be fully engaged.
- Have the right equipment
- Consolidate the learning that has taken place



# Homework

- Students will be scheduled homework through the ManageBac information system. They will have a homework schedule as opposed to a Timetable
- Please communicate via email with staff if there are issues
- Consolidate the learning that has taken place

# Independent study

- Vital if students are to perform at the top level
- Must be active and not passive. Write notes not just read them. Read/cover/copy/check
- Review and consolidate the learning that has taken place
- Teachers teach classes - students learn the subject
- Ask the teacher if you need guidance on this

# BISJ High School Diploma

A 4 year American Style High School Diploma

All Students from year 10 are automatically enrolled in the BISJ diploma

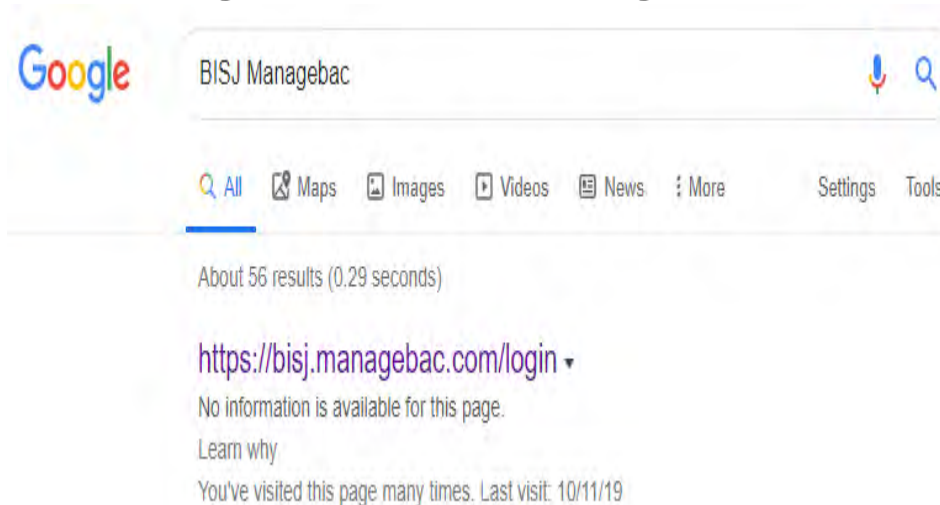
The students achievement is recorded on the transcript

Each terms grade is recorded

Each terms grade matters


# ManageBac

- Mr El Hoss
- Google – BISJ Managebac



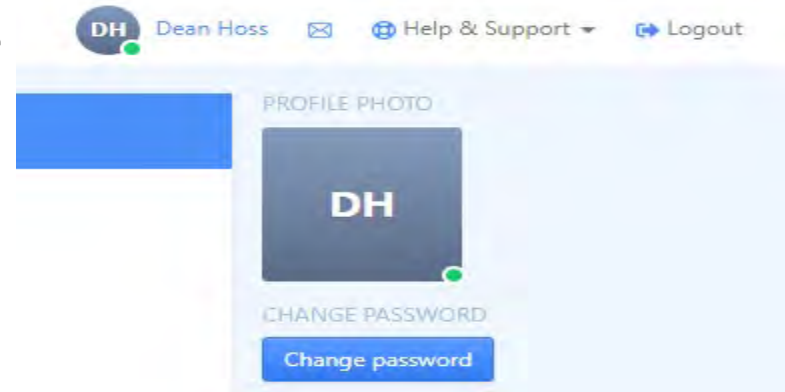
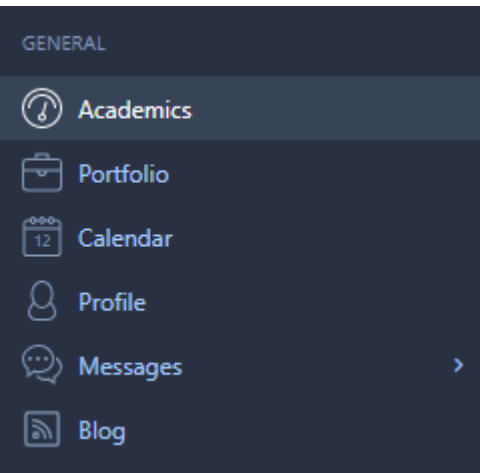
A screenshot of a Google search page. The search bar contains the text "BISJ Managebac". Below the search bar, there are navigation links for "All", "Maps", "Images", "Videos", "News", and "More". The search results show "About 56 results (0.29 seconds)". The first result is a link to "https://bisj.managebac.com/login" with a small downward arrow. Below the link, it says "No information is available for this page." and "Learn why". At the bottom of the result, it says "You've visited this page many times. Last visit: 10/11/19".

- Instruction Handouts on table



A screenshot of the login page for The British International School of Jeddah. At the top, there is a circular logo with a palm tree in the center and the text "THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL" around the perimeter. Below the logo, the text "The British International School of Jeddah" is displayed. A green message box says "You have been logged out." Below this, there is a "Login" section with a text input field for the username and a "Forgot your password?" link. Below the username field is a "Password" section with a text input field for the password and a lock icon. At the bottom, there is a checkbox labeled "Remember me for 30 days (This is a trusted computer that only I have access to)". A blue "Sign-in" button is located at the bottom right of the page.

# Quick roadmap of Managebac Home Page



Year 10 IGCSE – IGCSE Class of 2021 (Year 10 IGCSE)

Classes in High School Term One (current) June 2019 – June 2020 (HS)

- HS Coordinated Science Biology A2: Mrs. Pacelli (Year 10 IGCSE)**
  - OCT 8** Homework: Revision of what we have learned thus far and look up the terms. **N/A**  
Summative Homework Tuesday at 1:40 PM
- HS 10.1 Geography (Year 10 IGCSE)**
  - OCT 8** Population test. **N/A**  
Summative Test Tuesday at 7:30 AM
- HS IG Business Studies - EAK (Year 10 IGCSE)**
  - OCT 9** End of Introductory Unit Test. **N/A**  
Summative End of Unit Assessment Wednesday at 8:05 AM
- HS ENGLISH YEAR 10 (IGCSE WORLD LITERATURE) - SIMON (Year 10 IGCSE) IGCSE**
  - OCT 10** Poetry Revision. **N/A**  
Formative Poetry revision Thursday at 7:05 AM

# Viewing student grades

< > HS IG Business Studies - EAK (Year 10 IGCSE)

Term One (current) June 2019 – June 2020

OCT  
9  
Summative End of Unit Assessment Wednesday at 8:05 AM

N/A

## Assessment

SEP  
15  
Summative Unit Project Sunday at 8:05 AM

N/A

Complete the business sheet by the next class. You will find the answers in your notes and textbook.

SEP  
22  
26 / 40 B Summative Unit Project Sunday at 9:15 AM

B  
26/40 pts

OCT  
9  
Summative End of Unit Assessment Wednesday at 8:05 AM

N/A

This test will only require short answers, based on the topics we have covered in the Introduction to Business unit. Use the attached Traffic Light Sheet for your revision. [TLS - Introduction to Business](#) Oct 2, 2019

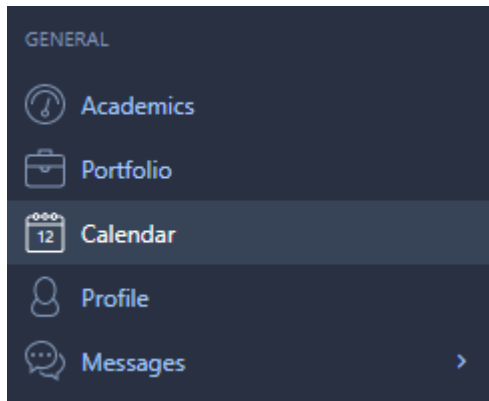
NOV  
6  
Summative Exam Style Test Wednesday at 9:15 AM

N/A

# Click on Calendar to see when Assignments are due

## Upcoming Events or Deadlines

- OCT 13** Deber-Las tareas de casa ⓘ  
Quiz/Homework ⌚ Sunday at 2:30 PM
- OCT 14** electron config ⓘ  
Homework ⌚ Monday at 1:40 PM
- OCT 14** simultaneous equations myimaths ⓘ  
Homework ⌚ Monday at 3:20 PM
- OCT 26** DIARY WRITING CAT - TERM GRADE ⓘ  
Diary Entry - Question 3 (Term Grade) ⌚ Saturday at 3:00 PM
- OCT 27** IGCSE PE Unit 2: Health, Fitness and Training Test ⓘ  
Assessment ⌚ Sunday at 9:45 AM



## Calendar

Next 2 weeks

Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Today	13 2:30PM Deber-Las tareas de casa ⓘ	14 1:40PM electron config ⓘ 3:20PM simultaneous equations myimaths ⓘ	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25

- Messages
- IGCSE Class of 2021 (Year 10 IGCSE)
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  - HS 10.1- LLL (Year 10 IGCSE) 1
  - HS Spanish IGCSE (Year 10 IGCSE)
  - HS IGCSE Drama (Year 10 IGCSE) SS
  - HS Y10 - 3 Physics JF (Year 10 IGCSE)
  - HS Mathematics Y10 CIE Sadaf Nazwani (Year 10 IGCSE)

# Click on Year Group

# Click on messages

## Messages

IGCSE Class of 2021 (Year 10 IGCSE)



Mimi Soy Thursday, Oct 10, 2019 at 3:07 PM

Herald 13th of October

Dear Students,

Please find attached the Herald for Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> of October



13\_October\_2019\_-\_Herald.pdf Oct 10, 2019



Regards,

SS Office

## Messages

HS 10.1 Geography (Year 10 IGCSE)



Michael Kidman Monday, Aug 26, 2019 at 11:44 AM

Population key terms

Complete key terms for Tuesday 27th August.



# University entrance and IGCSE

## IN ORDER OF IMPORTANCE

UK	Canada	USA
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attained grades (IGCSE)</li><li>• Predicted grades (Especially HL IB subjects)</li><li>• Personal Statement</li><li>• School reference</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attained grades : Transcript</li><li>• Predicted grades</li><li>• IGCSE</li><li>• Personal Statement if required</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Attained grades : Transcript</li><li>• Predicted grades</li><li>• Standardised testing ACT/SAT, if required</li><li>• College essay</li><li>• Recommendation letters</li><li>• IGCSE</li></ul>

**2015-2016 Y10**

	Course	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
(I)GCSE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	B	B	B
(I)GCSE	ENGLISH LITERATURE	C	C	B
(I)GCSE	MATHEMATICS	A*	A	A*
(I)GCSE	ARABIC (SECOND LANGUAGE)	A	A	A
(I)GCSE	BIOLOGY	A*	A*	A
(I)GCSE	BUSINESS STUDIES	A	A	A
(I)GCSE	CHEMISTRY	A*	A*	A*
(I)GCSE	PHYSICAL EDUCATION	A*	C	A
(I)GCSE	PHYSICS	A	A*	A
	CORE ARABIC	A*	A*	A*
	CORE PE	A	A	A*
	HGSA	B	C	B
	LLL	P	P	P

**2017-2018 IB1**

	Course	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3
IB	ENGLISH LIT (H)	5	5	5
IB	MATHEMATICS (S)	5	5	5
IB	BIOLOGY (S)	4	6	6
IB	CHEMISTRY (H)	5	5	6
IB	ECONOMICS (H)	6	6	6
IB	SPANISH AB INITIO (S)	7	7	7
IB	THEORY OF KNOWLEDGE	P	P	P
IB	CAS	P	P	P
IB	EXTENDED ESSAY	P	P	P
	CORE ARABIC	6	6	6
	ISLAMIC CIVILISATION	6	6	6
	LLL	P	P	P

**2016-2017 Y11**

	Course	Term 1	Term 2
(I)GCSE	ENGLISH LANGUAGE	B	B
(I)GCSE	ENGLISH LITERATURE	B	B
(I)GCSE	MATHEMATICS	A*	A*
(I)GCSE	ARABIC (SECOND LANGUAGE)	B	A
(I)GCSE	BIOLOGY	A	A*
(I)GCSE	BUSINESS STUDIES	A	B
(I)GCSE	CHEMISTRY	A*	A*
(I)GCSE	PHYSICAL EDUCATION	A*	A*
(I)GCSE	PHYSICS	A*	B
	CORE ARABIC	A	A*
	CORE PE	A	A
	ISLAMIC CIVILISATION	A	A
	LLL	P	P

**2018-2019 IB2**

	Course	Term 1	Term 2
IB	ENGLISH LIT (H)	5	n/a
IB	MATHEMATICS (S)	5	n/a
IB	BIOLOGY (S)	6	n/a
IB	CHEMISTRY (H)	5	n/a
IB	ECONOMICS (H)	6	n/a
IB	SPANISH AB INITIO (S)	6	n/a
IB	THEORY OF KNOWLEDGE	P	n/a
IB	CAS	P	n/a
IB	EXTENDED ESSAY	P	n/a
	CORE ARABIC	6	n/a
	HGSA	7	n/a
	LLL	P	n/a

# What our students have said

- These short videos are what our students said in answer to these questions.
- What did you find most challenging during the IGCSE course?
- What support from parents did you find most useful?
- What message would you give students and parents starting out on this journey?

Any Questions?