



SABIS® International School
Yas Island - Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

SCHOOL PROFILE

2021-2022

ABOUT OUR SCHOOL

SABIS® International School – Yas Island (SIS-Yas Island) is a **non-selective, co-educational, trilingual, college-preparatory, English-medium day school** that welcomes students aged 3+ to 18+ from Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 12. Our school offers the world-class SABIS® education to its current 740 students representing 29 nationalities.

SIS-Yas Island opened its doors in October 2015 on the prestigious Yas Island, 25 kilometers from central Abu Dhabi.

Our school is a **member of the global SABIS® Network**, an international network of schools that has an active presence in **20 countries** on **5 continents**. With a history dating back to 1886, SABIS® has been providing students with a solid foundation of knowledge, real-life skills, and love of learning, preparing them for success in college and beyond.

As of AY 2021-2022:



740

Students



29

Nationalities



4

Languages Offered
(English, Arabic,
French, Mandarin)



10

Graduates
(Class of 2022)



111

Staff
Members

Founded in

2015

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MISSION STATEMENT

SIS-Yas Island is recognized as a provider of top-quality education to a highly diverse student body. It strives to help all students achieve their full potential, prepare all students for success in college, equip them with the ability and desire for lifelong learning, and strengthen their civic, ethical, and moral values. SIS-Yas Island will maintain high standards of efficiency and accountability throughout its operation.

Education for a changing world.®

North America | South America | Europe | Africa | Asia

Member of the **SABIS®** Network



THE SABIS® EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

The SABIS® Educational System is a comprehensive academic program that has been developed and **refined over 135 years**. With a balance of academics, self-development, and life preparation, it prepares students for **success in college**, fosters a **lifelong interest in learning**, and develops **responsible world-class citizens**.

The **SABIS® Student Life Organization (SLO)** is the heart of the school and a pillar of the SABIS® Educational System. Through real-life experiences, students develop essential **21st century skills**, such as:

LEADERSHIP	ORGANIZATION	COMMUNICATION SKILLS
PROBLEM-SOLVING	GRIT & RESILIENCE	COLLABORATION
SOCIABILITY	INDEPENDENCE	TEAMWORK
CRITICAL THINKING	EMPATHY & TOLERANCE	ACCOUNTABILITY

Read more about the SABIS® SLO on our website
sisyasisland.sabis.net

SCHOOL ACCREDITATION

AI Accreditation International	MSA Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools	NCPSA National Council for Private School Accreditation
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GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

To graduate and receive the SABIS® High School Diploma, students must pass at least 5 subjects, in addition to Arabic (for Arabs) and Islamic Studies (for Muslims) in grades 10 to 12.

Arabic is compulsory for all students from grades 1 to 9, whether Arabs or non-Arabs. In grades 10 to 12, Arabic is compulsory for Arab students but optional for non-Arab students.

Islamic Studies is compulsory for all Muslim students from grades 1 to 12.

ACADEMIC PROGRAM

For detailed information regarding our course offering and High School curriculum, please scan the QR code.





STANDARDIZED EXAM RESULTS 2020



STANDARDIZED EXAM SUBJECTS

Our High School students sit for a variety of standardized exams, which include:

i. AP®:

1. Calculus AB, BC
2. Physics 1, 2, C
3. Chemistry
4. Biology
5. Statistics
6. Computer Science
7. Macro Economics
8. Micro Economics
9. Environmental Science
10. European History
11. Psychology
12. Human Geography
13. English Literature and Composition
14. English Language and Composition
15. French Language and Culture

ii. A Level: Math, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Arabic, Business Studies

iii. AS Level: Math, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Business Studies

iv. IGCSE: Math, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, English (First/Second Language/Literature), Arabic (First/Foreign Language), French (First/Foreign Language), Economics, Business, Computer Science, History

v. SAT vi. EMSAT vii. DELF viii. TOEFL ix. IELTS x. ACT

TIMSS RESULTS 2019

Only our Grade 4 students were selected to sit for the TIMSS 2019 assessment.
Below are the TIMSS results compared to different curricula in the U.A.E.

CURRICULA	GRADE 4	
	MATHEMATICS	SCIENCE
SIS-YAS ISLAND	567	537
U.K.	565	564
INDIAN	562	568
IB	554	548
U.S.	507	500
MOE	495	502



School Network

NORTH AMERICA

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

SABIS® International School
Costa Verde, Panama

The International School of Minnesota
Eden Prairie, Minnesota, U.S.A.

CHARTER SCHOOLS

Holyoke Community Charter School
Holyoke, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

Collegiate Charter School of Lowell
Lowell, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

SOUTH AMERICA

PRIVATE SCHOOL

SABIS® International School
Campinas, São Paulo, Brazil

EUROPE

PRIVATE SCHOOL

ISF International School Frankfurt Rhein-Main
Frankfurt, Germany

LICENSED SCHOOL

International School on the Rhine
Neuss, Germany

AFRICA

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

The International School of Choueifat
Cairo, Egypt

The International School of Choueifat
City of 6 October, Egypt

SABIS® International School
Runda, Kenya

ASIA

PRIVATE SCHOOLS

SABIS® SUN International School
Baku, Azerbaijan

The International School of Choueifat
Manama, Bahrain

SABIS® ULINK
International Academy of Shanghai
Shanghai, China

CADMUS™ International School
Iraq Gate, Baghdad, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Amman, Jordan

CADMUS™ International School
Duhok, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Dream City, Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Sulaimani, Kurdistan, Iraq

SABIS® International School
Adma, Lebanon

The International School of Choueifat
Choueifat, Lebanon

Leila C. Saad SABIS® School El-Metr
El-Mtein, Lebanon

The International School of Choueifat
Koura, Lebanon

The International School of Choueifat
Muscat, Oman

The International School of Choueifat
Lahore, Pakistan

The International School of Choueifat
Doha, Qatar

Jeddah International Academy
Jeddah, Saudi Arabia

Abdulaziz International Schools
Al-Sulaimaniah, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Abdulaziz International Schools
Al-Wadi, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

The International School of Choueifat
Damascus, Syria

The International School of Choueifat
Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Abu Dhabi Khalifa City, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Ruwais, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Yas Island, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Ajman, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Al Ain, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Dubai, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Dubai Investments Park, Dubai, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Ras Al Khaimah, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Aljada, Sharjah, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Sharjah, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Umm Al Quwain, U.A.E.

PUBLIC/PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP SCHOOLS

Sardam International School
Duhok, Kurdistan, Iraq

Fakhir Mergasori International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

Sarwaran International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

Kalar International School
Kalar, Kurdistan, Iraq

Soran International School
Soran, Kurdistan, Iraq

Suleimaniah International School
Suleimaniah, Kurdistan, Iraq

Zakho International School
Zakho, Kurdistan, Iraq

Military High School
Al Ain, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

Military High School
Al Dhafra, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

Military High School
Al Dhaid, Sharjah, U.A.E.