

GARIBALDI SECONDARY SCHOOL



REBELS

Middle Years Programme (MYP)

Education for a better world

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3 BIG MYP IDEAS

Assessment - provides rich, meaningful and consistent feedback to students focused on their individual learning and is designed to allow all students to be successful in school.

Personalization - more opportunities for students to follow interests and passions through **INQUIRY, DESIGN LABS,** and **PERSONAL PROJECT.**

Inclusivity - a program for **ALL STUDENTS** which uses BC Ministry curriculum as the basis of what students learn, and layers on a framework of **collaborative planning** and **assessment** that provides student with a school experience that is organized, well planned, easy to make sense of and connected to global issues.

Global context

There are over **1 million students**
in over **3,700 schools** in
147 countries
attending **IB World Schools.**



**Garibaldi is an
IB World School**

What is an IB World School?

- Garibaldi has been an **International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme (DP)** school for 10 years
 - Choice program for Garibaldi students in grades 11 & 12
 - An enriched approach to education that challenges our students to immerse themselves in their learning
 - Preparation for academic life after high school – we continually hear that our IB students are successful and ready for the realities of University-both here and abroad

What is an IB World School?

- The IB DP goes beyond academic learning, develops **well-rounded** students with **creative** and **critical thinking skills**, **ethical decision-making** and a **passion** for **inquiry** and **learning**.
- Today's world is increasingly global, and IB places developing an **international perspective** at its core.
- Students are encouraged and expected to be **active** and **engaged** citizens - both locally and globally.

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**What is the
IB Middle Years
Programme
(MYP)?**

Middle Years Programme (MYP) - Overview

- ❖ The Middle Years Programme is an **INCLUSIVE** program for **ALL** students in grades 8-10
- ❖ Garibaldi will implement MYP for students entering Gr. 8 in Sept. 2018, it covers the **regular BC curriculum** but in a **unique framework**.

Middle Years Programme (MYP) - Overview

Key features:

- A **well-rounded education** which includes ADST, Fine Arts, & second language (French)
- Development of **flexible thinking** - creative, critical, and reflective thinking; as well as learning how to learn
- **Interdisciplinary learning** - across subject areas and authentic assessment

Middle Years Programme (MYP) - Overview

Key features:

- Culminates with **Personal Project** - a self-directed student inquiry project
- **Inquiry Learning** is woven throughout all subjects
- **Global connections** are key - linking school in a global context
- **Community involvement & student action** are integral to the IB philosophy

Middle Years Programme (MYP) - Overview

Key features:

- **Common language of instruction and assessment**
 - More specific assessment information of your child's learning

MYP has 8 courses in Grade 8

Course 1	Course 2	Course 3	Course 4	Course 5	Course 6	Course 7	Course 8
English (Language and Literature)	Math	French (Language Acquisition)	Fine Arts	Science	Social Studies (Individual and Societies)	Physical and Health Education	Applied Skills (Design)

Garibaldi MYP students will...

- ❖ Have opportunity to be in focussed programs for **Concert Band & Drama/Theatre**
- ❖ Have opportunity to apply for **Honours 8-10 (IB DP Prep)**



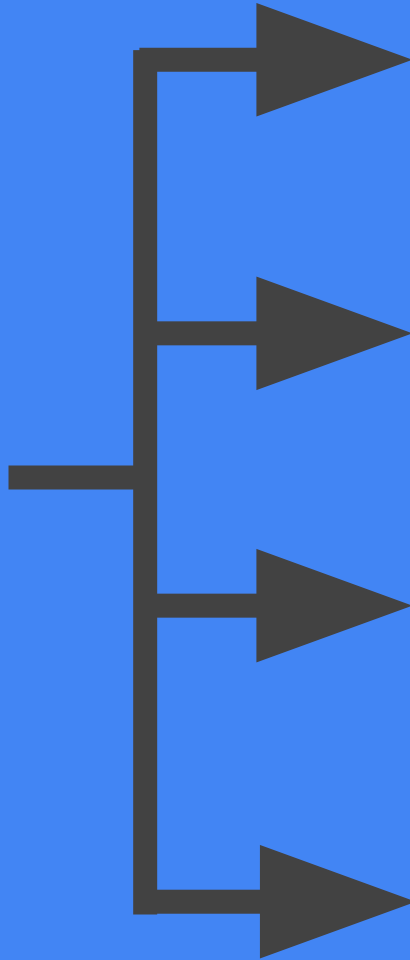
Garibaldi MYP students will...

- ❖ Have opportunities to play on **ALL school teams and clubs**
- ❖ Be **podded** for community building activities and for **LINK CREW** (grade 8 mentorship program)



The MYP: a pathway to success

**Garibaldi
Middle Years Programme
(MYP) Grades 8-10**



**Questions or
Comments?**