

Application for International Baccalaureate 2019-2021

SECTION A – Applicant Information

PHOTO Please write name at the back of the photo before fastening here	Last name	<input type="text"/>	Date of birth(d-m-y)	<input type="text"/>
	First name(s)	<input type="text"/>	Gender	<input type="text"/>
	Norwegian national security number (only for Norwegian applicants)	<input type="text"/>		
	First language	<input type="text"/>	Citizenship(s)	<input type="text"/>
	Other languages	<input type="text"/>		
	Home address	<input type="text"/>		Home telephone
			Mobile phone	<input type="text"/>
Is your current registered address in Akershus County? Yes or No			<input type="text"/>	
E-mail		<input type="text"/>		
Date and signature of Applicant (date-month-year)		- - 2019		
Date and signature of Parent/Guardian (date-month-year)		- - 2019		

SECTION B – Academic achievements (completed in English or Norwegian)

Current school	<input type="text"/>		Year	<input type="text"/>	
Previous school(s)	<input type="text"/>		Year	<input type="text"/>	
Most recent grades (term grades) as of <input type="text"/> / <input type="text"/> (month/year)					
Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade	Subject	Grade
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Please attach any relevant documentation of your previous schooling, e.g. “Vitnemål fra ungdomsskolen”, “terminkarakter fra videregående skole”, or latest report from any other school. Copies are sufficient.

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SECTION C – Choice of subjects

All IB students are required to take six subjects; one from each of the groups 1 – 5 below, and as the sixth subject, you may choose Visual Arts or another subject from groups 2, 3 or 4. Three subjects must be taken at high level (HL) and three at standard level (SL). However, it is possible to choose either seven subjects or four HL subjects instead of three for students who want a more challenging Diploma.

Please tick the appropriate boxes to indicate your subject choices.

For further information, see the schools' home page www.nesbru.vgs.no, the Nesbru IB Diploma website www.ibnesbru.com or www.ibo.org.

At the start of the IB course you will discuss your choices individually with the IB Coordinator who will be able to advise you about good combinations. So don't worry about having to make a final decision at this stage.

Subject group	Subject	HL	SL
Group 1: Studies in language and literature	English A literature	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Norwegian A literature	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other Language A literature (self-taught)* Please specify: <input type="text"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
Group 2: Language acquisition	English B	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Norwegian B	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	French B (if available)		<input type="checkbox"/>
	German B (if available)		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mandarin ab initio - new beginner (online course; extra fee per year)		<input type="checkbox"/>
	Spanish B (if available; extra fees MAY apply)		<input type="checkbox"/>
Group 3: Individuals and societies	History	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Economics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Psychology		<input type="checkbox"/>
Group 4: The sciences	Chemistry	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Physics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Biology	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Group 5: Mathematics and computer science	Mathematics Analysis & Approaches	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Mathematics Applications & Interpretations		<input type="checkbox"/>
Group 6: The arts	Visual arts	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

*Students with a first language other than English or Norwegian may choose to study their first language as a self-taught Language A subject under the supervision of one of the school's Language A teachers.

Students may choose two Language A subjects instead of a Language A and a Language B subject. The same language cannot be chosen from both group 1 and 2 (For example, you cannot choose both Norwegian A and Norwegian B.)

The school reserves the right to cancel a subject if there is insufficient student interest to make up a group.

Certain subject combinations are not possible due to the school timetable. These subjects are taught simultaneously, and students cannot choose both:

- Physics *and* Biology
- Psychology *and* History
- Chemistry *and* Visual arts

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SECTION D – Self-statement (completed in English or Norwegian)

Please write a short text of maximum 1000 words where you tell us a bit about

- Your background
- Your motivation for applying to the IB
- Your future plans
- What you are passionate about
- Your favourite activities outside of school. Please list up to three activities (such as sports, creative activities, volunteer projects, political or religious activities or other hobbies) that you have been involved with in the last two years. The activities can be organized or informal. Please indicate the level and time of involvement and responsibilities (if relevant).
- For Norwegian applicants, please include information where you have prioritized the IB programme on your application for Vg2 on www.vigo.no (first choice, second, third?). *Please note that applications listing the IB at Nesbru vgs as the first choice will normally be considered first.*

Please write your self-statement on a separate sheet with font size 12 and 1.5 space.

SECTION E – Supplementary documentation

Please make sure that you include the following in your application:

- Records or grade transcripts of your previous schooling, such as “Vitnemål fra ungdomsskolen”, “terminkarakter fra videregående skole”, or latest report from any other school. Copies are sufficient.
- Your self-statement on a separate sheet.
- **Two** teacher recommendations using the form included at the end of this application form. The referees may be a contact teacher or another teacher who knows you well (from lower or upper secondary school/ungdomsskole eller videregående skole). Recommendations can be included in the application or e-mailed directly to helen.elizabeth.laney-mortensen@nesbru.vgs.no if preferred by the referee.

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SECTION F – Teacher recommendation (completed in English or Norwegian)

Please copy this form for use in both teachers recommendations

To a teacher at the applicant's current or previous school

We would be grateful if you would write a brief statement about the applicant's suitability attending the IB Diploma programme. Please bear in mind that all classes in the programme are taught in English and that the programme is academically challenging.

The form can be completed in English or Norwegian. When completed, the form can be given to the applicant to be attached to his or her application or it can be e-mailed directly to the IB coordinator at helen.elizabeth.laney-mortensen@nesbru.vgs.no before the application deadline 1 March 2019.

Name of applicant

Date of birth (d-m-y)

How long and in what context have you known the applicant?

Please describe the applicant's academic and personal qualities briefly.

Teacher's name

Signature

School

Compared to other students at his or her age in your school, how do you rate this applicant in terms of:

No basis	Area	Below average	Average	Good (above average)	Very good (well above average)	Excellent
<input type="checkbox"/>	Academic achievement	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Productive class discussion	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Disciplined work habits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Motivation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Concern for others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Overall	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

The application deadline for admission in the school year 2019-2021 is 1 March 2019.
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Important information about the application process:

- For an application to be considered, the applicant must have a registered address in Akershus County or an issued *gjesteelevsgaranti* from another county. Families moving to Norway during the spring 2019 must present a registered address in Akershus County before 1 June 2019.
- The application for the IB programme must also be registered at www.vigo.no (videregående opplæring) before the application deadline of 1 March 2019 (only applies to applicants with permanent address in Norway)
- Akershus fylkeskommune has determined a school fee of 6000 NOK per school year for all students in the IB programme.
- *If you are applying from outside of Norway or Akershus fylkeskommune, you must contact Akershus inntakskontoret (admissions office) before 1 March 2019 if possible: +47 22055022 or email: post@afk.no as well as submitting this completed application form to the school.*
- Completed forms can be sent directly to the school at the address below, delivered to the school reception or sent electronically to helen.elizabeth.laney-mortensen@nesbru.vgs.no.

Nesbru videregående skole
Att. IB coordinator
Boks 38
N-1378 NESBRU

Visiting address: Halvard Torgersensv. 8

Phone: (+47) 66 85 44 00
Fax: (+47) 66 85 44 10

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