



## Campus Facilities

The Academy's campus is purpose built to provide world-class facilities for the students and staff. The campus includes a Junior School, Senior School and residential facilities. The campus provides an ideal learning environment that includes :

- Subject and age-specific classrooms
- Well-equipped science and computer laboratories
- Library and resource centres
- Art and music rooms
- Design and technology workshops
- Career counselling facilities

Classrooms are equipped with state-of-the-art technology to enhance collaboration, creativity and inquiry learning.

## Admissions

We welcome enquiries for students from Kindergarten through the Diploma Programme (ages 3-18).

For further information on admissions, please email: [admissions.dhaka@agakhanacademies.org](mailto:admissions.dhaka@agakhanacademies.org) or call +880 9678 039 039.



## The Aga Khan Academy Dhaka

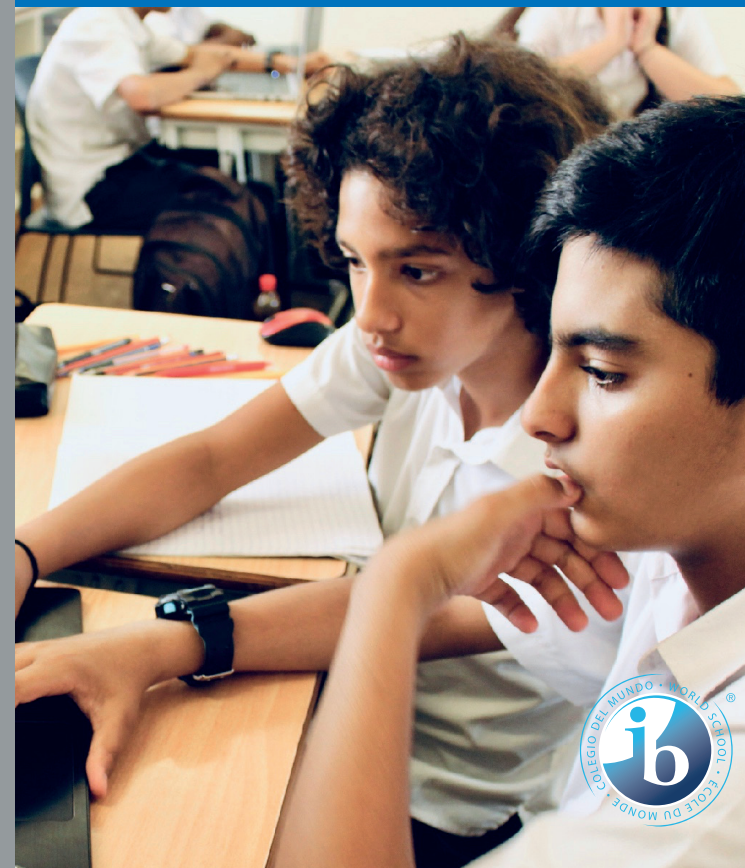
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**EDUCATION**



*“This new Academy will be an important node in a network of 18 schools throughout the developing world, providing world-class education for young men and women from all backgrounds, irrespective of ability to pay. It will be a remarkable place to go to school.”*

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## Aim

The Aga Khan Academy Dhaka is part of a global network of day/residential schools for exceptional students. The outlook and educational perspectives of the Aga Khan Academies network are based on the vision of His Highness the Aga Khan. The aim of the Academies is to develop future leaders with the skills and knowledge to support positive development in their societies. The Academies achieve this by recruiting talented young people from all backgrounds and providing them with the highest international standard of education.

## Global Network

When complete, the network of Aga Khan Academies will form a global learning community of 18 schools in 14 countries. These centres of educational excellence will eventually serve approximately 14,000 girls and boys of exceptional calibre, graduating 1,500 students annually. The first Aga Khan Academy opened in Mombasa, Kenya in 2003, the second in Hyderabad, India in 2011 and the third in Maputo, Mozambique in 2013.

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Admission is means-blind and based on merit. Financial aid is available to ensure access for accepted students regardless of financial circumstances.

## About the Academy

The Aga Khan Academy Dhaka is a not-for-profit school with an award-winning campus situated in Bashundhara, Dhaka, Bangladesh. The Academy selects talented students from within Dhaka, as well as around Bangladesh, Asia and across the globe.

## Academic Programmes

The Academy's curriculum is based on the highly regarded International Baccalaureate (IB) series of programmes. Subject to the appropriate authorisations, The Aga Khan Academy Dhaka plans to offer the following programmes: Primary Years Programme (Grades 1–5), Middle Years Programme (Grades 6–10) and the Diploma Programme (Grades 11–12).

The Academy's local and international staff are passionately committed to ensuring that all students develop holistically – academically, socially, emotionally and physically.

## Curriculum

The Aga Khan Academies curriculum emphasises global perspectives as well as local language and culture, and is taught using a bilingual approach (English and Bangla).

The curriculum challenges students through:

- Academic rigour
- Independent learning
- Inquiry
- Creative problem-solving

The IB programmes align closely with the vision of His Highness the Aga Khan, promoting:

- International-mindedness
- Social responsibility
- Critical thinking
- High ethical standards

The Aga Khan Academies enrich the IB curriculum with five strands of inquiry needed by future leaders:

- Ethics
- Pluralism
- Culture
- Governance and Civil Society
- Economics for Development



## Residential Programme

Residential life at the Academy complements and extends the academic experience for Senior School students. It includes a broad selection of activities and leadership opportunities to enhance students' independence and self-confidence through living on campus. In addition, students also experience the learning and growth that comes from constant interaction with a diverse and talented group of teachers and peers.

Our student residences are designed to accommodate students and dorm parents – teachers that have been chosen carefully and trained to live in the faculty apartments and student residences. Up to four students share a room, in buildings designed to be peaceful and surrounded by greenery. The rooms are spacious and well-lit. Amenities include laundry facilities and a student lounge with a large-screen television.

