

## Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi An International Baccalaureate (IB) World School

# **SCHOOL PROFILE**

CEEB Code: 619501; School Code: 1169

#### Administration

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Senior School Principal: **Ms Navdeep Mand**Deputy Principal: **Mr Maurice Mugalizi** 

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#### Overview

The Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi is a private, non-profit, non-denominational, co-educational, day school for students in Kindergarten-Grade 12. It is part of the Aga Khan Education Services (AKES), one of the largest pre-tertiary education networks across East Africa, the Middle East and South and Central Asia, with a vast majority of its schools located in rural and remote communities where access to quality education is limited. AKES is part of the Aga Khan Schools (AKS), an agency within the Aga Khan Development Network. AKS comprises a network of 200 schools, more than 100 non-formal education programme centres and eight hostels, serving almost 110,000 students from the age of 18 months to adulthood each year across 12 countries.

Established in 1905, AKES is built on over a century of leadership in education, equipping learners with the knowledge, skills, attitudes and values to thrive in a complex and dynamic world. The Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi contributes to this legacy by providing quality education for its students, along with opportunities for growth inside and outside the classroom.

#### Curriculum

The Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi is an IB World School, offering the Primary Years Programme, Middle Years Programme and Diploma Programme (DP).

## **Graduation requirements**

- 6 subjects: 3 at Higher Level (HL) and 3 at Standard Level (SL)
- Theory of knowledge (TOK) course
- 4,000-word extended essay (EE) on a student-chosen topic
- Creativity, activity, service (CAS): Extensive participation in community-based service projects

## Unique service internships

At the Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi, IB DP students participate in a summer internship programme with local organisations that supplements their CAS portfolio, which helps them develop their leadership and interpersonal skills. In 2025, the students interned with orphanages, animal shelters, environmental organisations, law firms, hospitals and much more.

#### **Courses offered**

Biology HL/SL

Business and Management HL/SL

Chemistry HL/SL

Digital Society HL / SL

Economics HL/SL

English Language and Literature HL/SL

Environmental Systems and Societies SL

Film HL/SL

French ab initio Si

French B SL

Geography HL/SL

Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches HL/SL

Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations HI /SI

IIL/SL

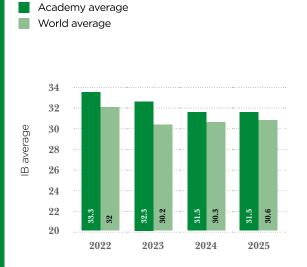
Physics HL/SL

Psychology HL/SL Spanish B SL

Swahili B HL/SL

Visual Arts HL/SL

## Past performance on IB DP exams



The Aga Khan Academy, Nairobi does not rank its students. Students who achieve 36 points and above on their IB DP exams are awarded certificates and trophies, in addition to having their names displayed on a merit board at the front of the Academy. Twenty-three classes have graduated from the Academy. The chart to the left shows the comparative results: world average versus the Academy's average for the last four years.



## University matriculation for 2022–2025

AUSTRALIA

Deakin University Edith Cowen University The University of Adelaide The University of Melbourne The University of Queensland

AUSTRIA



University of Applied Sciences Upper Austria

CANADA 📥



**Brock University** Capilano University Concordia University Huron University College McMaster University Saint Mary's University University of Alberta University of British Columbia University of Calgary University of Guelph University of Northern British Columbia University of Toronto University of Victoria University of Waterloo Western University Wilfrid Laurier University York University

CHINA |



Zhejiang University

CYPRUS 5



University of Nicosia

GERMANY =



CODE University of **Applied Sciences** University of Europe for **Applied Sciences** 

University Targu Mures Medical Campus Hamburg XU Exponential University of Applied Sciences

HUNGARY ===



International Business School Budapest University of Debrecen

IRELAND



Trinity College Dublin University College Dublin



Polimoda: The Fashion School

KENYA

The Aga Khan University Strathmore University United States International University Africa University of Nairobi

LITHUANIA ===



Vilnius University

MALAYSIA G



Asia Pacific University of Technology and Innovation Sunway University Taylor's University University of Reading Malaysia

**MALTA** 



University of Malta

MAURITIUS



Middlesex University Mauritius

**NETHERLANDS** 



Total points

HAN University of **Applied Sciences**  University of Amsterdam University of Groningen

SOUTH AFRICA



University of Cape Town

SPAIN



IE University Marbella Design Academy

SWEDEN



Stockholm University

SWITZERLAND

Glion Institute of Higher Education Les Roches International School of Hotel Management

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UAE

Canadian University Dubai Middlesex University Dubai

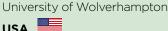
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Aston University Birmingham City University Brunel University London Cardiff University Imperial College London Loughborough University Nottingham Trent Univesity Queen's University Belfast St. George's, University of London

The University of Manchester University of Bath University of Birmingham University of Bradford

University of Bristol University of Central Lancashire University of Leeds University of Northampton University of Nottingham University of Plymouth University of Salford University of Sheffield University of Southampton University of the West of England University of Warwick

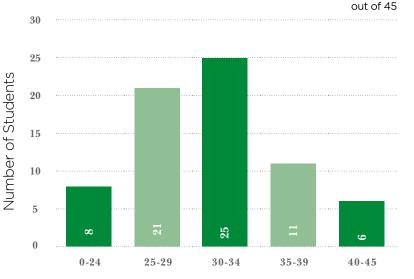
USA



George Mason University Howard University Michigan State University Pennsylvania State University Southern California Institute of Architecture Temple University University of Minnesota University of St. Thomas Virginia Tech

| This scale provides conversion details for the grading system. | Grade   | Grade<br>Points | IB<br>Scale |
|--|---------|-----------------|-------------|
|  | A +     | 4.3             | 7           |
|  | А       | 4.0             | 6           |
|  | A -     | 3.7             | 6           |
|  | B+      | 3.3             | 5           |
|  | В       | 3.0             | 5           |
|  | В-      | 2.7             | 5           |
|  | C +     | 2.3             | 4           |
|  | C<br>C- | 2.0             | 4           |
|  | C -     | 1.7             | 3           |
|  |         |                 |             |

# Predicted grades for the Class of 2026



## **University destination by** country for 2022-2025

