Cambridge Assessment International Education Cambridge International School

the Cambridge advantage



KNOWLEDGE • STRENGTH • COMPASSION





Welcome to the Cambridge International Program at KĀSIGA

At Kāsiga School, we are guided by our vision to create responsible global citizens who contribute to society with empathy, integrity and are committed to excellence in all their endeavours.

At Kāsiga we envision a progressive educational space that fosters creativity, critical thinking, collaboration and value-based practices. We see learning as a life-long process and strongly believe it should be engaging, interactive, experiential and relevant in a global context.



Cambridge Education

A community of over a million across 160 countries

Through the Cambridge Assessment International Education (CAIE) curriculum every student at Kāsiga learns to think critically, analyse the problem and solve it logically. They learn to integrate themselves into this global community of Cambridge students which number over a million students in 10,000 schools across 160 countries.

Our students learn how to apply the skills they have developed and use them in real life situations by collaborating with others, whilst learning to make independent choices. They also learn to respect others' views and offer their opinions. They learn to question rather than always agreeing to a viewpoint; to ask why and how, and seek answers through research and discovery.

Our students are confident about their qualifications being understood and valued throughout their education and career, both in India and abroad. The Qualifications awarded by CAIE are recognized in over 160 countries including India. This makes the process of applying to colleges and other educational institutions around the globe a hassle-free process for students.

Cambridge International

World's Leading Provider of international education for 5 to 19-year-olds

> a community of **10,000+ SCHOOLS** in 160 countries

Skilled & Confident Students valued throughout their education & career



The Path to a Cambridge Qualification

a constant Progression

Primary & Middle School Program CAIE Checkpoint Exam

Cambridge IGCSE / CBSE Grade 10

Cambridge AS / A Levels

University Programs



The CAIE curriculum has made me more confident and eager to learn. It gave me a better conceptual understanding of Economics, which enables me to better understand higher level

Economics courses in college. CAIE has also helped develop my research and collaboration skills. The variety of CAIE classes enriched my ability to analyse and understand the connection between ideas and subject areas."

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Ms. Sadhika Rajeshwari Thapa

Cambridge Advanced Level Class of 2018 Economics Major, Union College Recognised by the Dean for her exemplary performance



The Cambridge curriculum offers a wide range of subjects and gives students who are still in the process of discovering themselves, the opportunity to take up subject combinations that may not fall within the conventional subject sets. I believe

that exposure to subjects like Design & Technology and Global Perspectives have enhanced my reasoning skills and ability to work collaboratively, whilst making me ready for the real world."

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Mr. Shreesh Khadka Cambridge Advanced Level Class of 2021 Advanced Mathematics & Computer Programming Mechatronics Degree Intellectually Practical, Creative and Critical Thinkers



The Curriculum

Kāsiga School offers the IGCSE and the AS / A levels that correspond to grades 9 &10 and grades 11 & 12 of the Indian schooling system.

IGCSE

Kāsiga School offers 18 subject choices at the IGCSE level in a program that spans across 2 years in grade 9 and grade 10. Students are required to study all the compulsory subjects and choose optional subjects to study a minimum of 7 subjects and a maximum of 9 subjects. Compulsory subjects include one syllabus option for English, one additional language, one syllabus option in Mathematics, 3 Science subjects or a Combined Science option,

from the following list.

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5
English (First Language) Hindi (Second Language) Spanish (Foreign Language) English (Second Language)	Economics Global Perspectives	Extended Mathematics International Mathematics Additional Mathematics	Combined Science Physics Chemistry Biology	Art & Design Design & Technology Business Studies Computer Science Accounting

We offer a great deal of flexibility in the options and students are encouraged to choose a cross stream mix of optional subjects. This allows our students to experience a variety of subjects before they choose their specializations in the A levels or in college.



Cambridge has brought a drastic change in me. Being an international student and coming from a Nepalese Board (SEE), I faced some problems getting used to the Cambridge curriculum, but it became one of the best decisions I have ever made. The teaching methodology of Cambridge is the best thing that any individual can experience. The syllabus content of the subject chosen is also interesting and you gain experience to learn new things with guidance from excellent teachers."

Aayush Agrawal

Cambridge Advanced Level Class of 2022

The Cambridge Advanced Subsidiary (Grade 11) & Advanced (Grade 12) levels

Kāsiga School offers our graduating class a variety of subject options that can be tailored to the requirements of specific courses, colleges, and career streams for every student. Our learners are required to choose between 4 & 5 subject options including English at the AS level, finishing their Advanced level class with at least 3 options. We provide a variety of counseling and support services to every student to help them make these choices and understand the implications of their choices on college applications and career options.

Group 1	Mathematics / Further Mathematics	Group 3	Accounting
	Physics		Business Studies
	Chemistry		Economics
	Biology		Art & Design
	Design & Technology		Psychology
	Computer Science		History
	Information Technology		
Group 2	English	Group 4	Global Perspectives
	Spanish		& research

CAIE & CIPQ

CAIE Advanced International Certificate of Education

The CAIE AICE (Advanced International Certificate of Education) is a diploma certifying to a broad and balanced choice of syllabus options and is recognised by universities for its quality and depth.

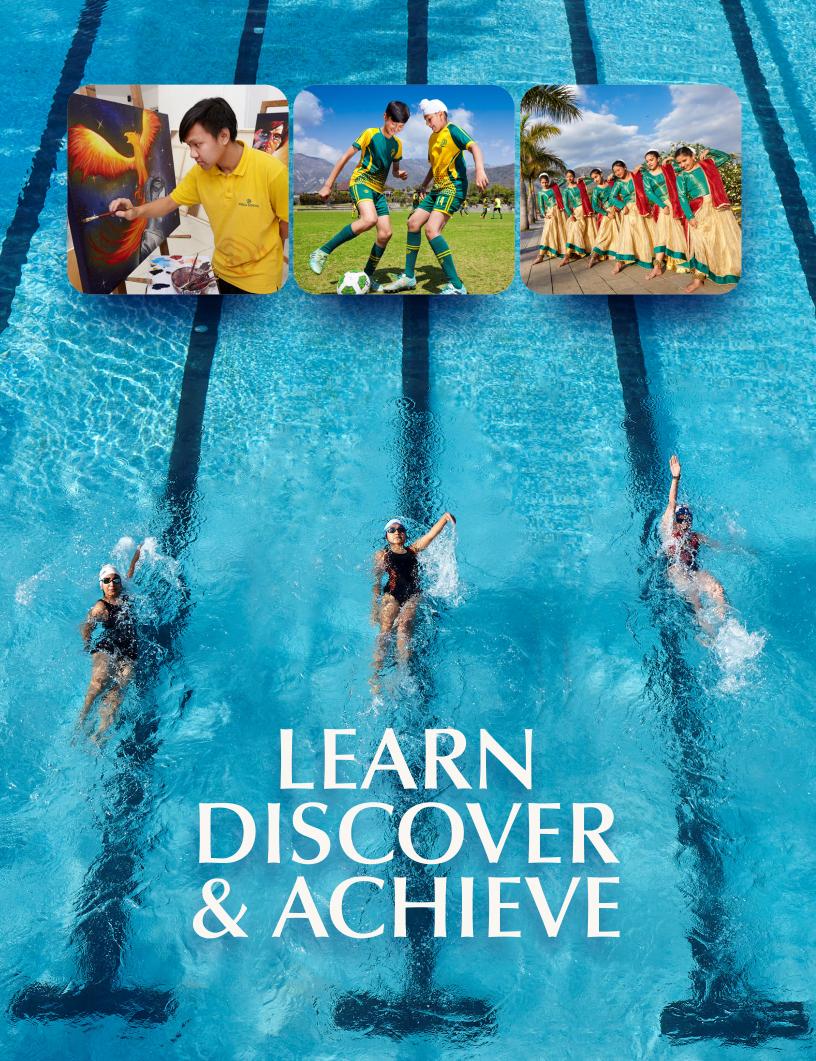
Students study Cambridge International AS & A Levels across at least three subject groups as well as Cambridge Global Perspectives and Research.

Cambridge International Project Qualification (Cambridge IPQ)

- Develops research, reflection and communication, as well as higher-order thinking skills.
- Can be taken in addition to Cambridge International AS & A Level.
- Is assessed by Cambridge International and graded A* to E.
- Asks students to complete a 5000-word research project on a topic of their own choice.

A COMMUNITY OF THINKERS, INNOVATORS AND PROBLEM SOLVERS

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Learn, Discover and Achieve with Cambridge Assessments & Examinations

CAIE board examinations are available in March, June and November with the March and June series being our main examination series for IGCSE and the AS / A level. Results for the exams are available in May (March series), August (June Series) and January (November series).

CAIE allows students to resit for specific syllabus options for grade improvement, should the candidate feel the need to do so. CAIE provides a Statement of results with Percentile uniform marks for all syllabus options that were examined, A general certificate of education with grades (A^* to E for A Level and A^* to G for IGCSE) and a migration letter that fulfils all documentary requirements for application to an Indian or foreign University.

Examinations in the CAIE curriculum are tailored specifically for each subject and divided into multiple components for each syllabus option.

Different types of examinations including long and short answers, multiple choice questions, practical experiments and project-based assessments are used to evaluate the students' academic and co-academic skills.

Cambridge International AS & A Levels are taken in over **130** countries with more than **530000** subject entries each year

Teacher Training

Kāsiga School boasts of a vibrant teaching community with highly qualified teachers engaging with our students at every level. Teachers regularly attend Cambridge Face to Face and Online training events to ensure that they remain up to date with the latest syllabus content, assessment methodology and teaching methods. Many of our teachers are qualified Cambridge examiners & Teacher trainers.

Additional Support for other examinations

For students who aspire to further education in institutions that require standardized tests, Such as the SAT, ACT, IELTS, TOEFL, IIT JEE, NEET, CLAT and other exams, both in India and abroad, Kasiga offers special classes and reinforcement lessons for those examinations through tie ups with professional agencies. We also offer our students participation in international exams such as the University of Waterloo Euclid and Hypatia Math exams, University of Waterloo 'Sir Issac Newton Physics Test', competitions, and symposiums that allow them to develop and demonstrate their skills and abilities. We also provide opportunities for knowledge extension by mentoring them through a variety of online courses on organizations such as EdX.org, Coursera.org and many other such options. Some of these courses translate to college credits, scholarships, and better performance in their board examinations.

Courses Opted for by CAIE Students / College Application

Arizona State University, USA	Mechanical Engineering
NarseeMonjee College, Mumbai	B. Sc in Economics
University of Waterloo, Canada	Maths (Hons.); Astrophysics; Computer Science
Rochester Inst. Of Technology	Electronics Engineering
London School of Economics	Business Management
University of Calgary, Canada	B.Sc in Engineering
Michigan State University, USA	Molecular genetics and Genomics
Indiana University–Purdue University Indianapolis, USA	Mechanical Engineering
Queen Mary University of London, UK	Bachelor's in Industrial Engineering
Leeds Beckett University, UK	Business Administration
Vancouver Island University, Canada	Hospitality Management
Amity University, Noida	Business Management
O. P Jindal University, Sonipat	Business Administration
O. P Jindal University, Sonipat Monash University, Australia	Business Administration Mechanical Engineering
Monash University, Australia	Mechanical Engineering
Monash University, Australia Western Sydney University	Mechanical Engineering Economics
Monash University, Australia Western Sydney University Symbiosis International (Deemed University), Pune	Mechanical Engineering Economics Business Administration

College Placements

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THE UNIVERSITY of EDINBURGH	Middlesex University London	UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS	
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The State University of New York	<mark>Ф</mark> IUPUI	Wells College	O.P. Jinda Global University A New Testing Privacy Allow Inters
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	KENT STATE	Arizona State University	VANCOUVER ISLAND UNIVERSITY





Cambridge Learners at KASIGA are **CONFIDENT RESPONSIBLE REFLECTIVE INNOVATIVE ENGAGED**

Frequently Asked Questions

What is the Checkpoint Examination?

It is an examination conducted by CAIE for students of Grade VIII. There are a number of ways in which Cambridge Checkpoint might be used; some of these are outlined below:

- · To test students' strengths and weaknesses on entry to a school/course of study
- To use as a guide for setting/streaming
- To inform students /teachers/parents about suitable exam entries for students, for example to provide evidence about which IGCSE tier to prepare for
- To act as a basis for action planning between student and teacher
- To compare teaching groups over years

What are the benefits of IGCSE & AS/A levels, when compared with other board examinations that might be taken in classes X and XII?

The benefits of CAIE qualifications, when compared with other examinations:

- It is an international examination with world-wide status and credibility.
- It ensures a broad-based education, while encouraging a degree of choice.
- It encourages indeed, demands the questioning and develops key learning, problem-solving and investigative skills by encouraging an active, critical and questioning approach to study rather than relying on rote learning.
- Students who have taken the IGCSE programme will be familiar with the styles of learning and the expectations of the IBDP (if they would like to change the Board after grade X)

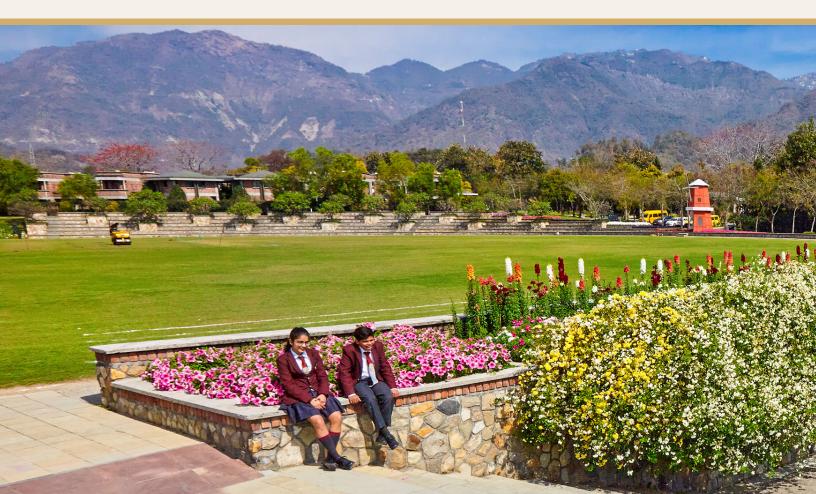
Can students opt for the Cambridge curriculum in grade 9 (IGCSE) or Grade 11 (AS) if they have completed the previous class with any other board?

Yes. Provided that the student clears the school entrance examination for the CAIE curriculum and has a valid certificate of passing at the previous class from any other recognized board / School.

Can a student shift to CBSE or ISC after taking IGCSE in IX and X?

Yes, it is possible for students to shift from Cambridge curriculum to Indian curriculum. It is recognized by CBSE, CISCE and State Education Boards in India as a qualification for entry to class XI or for other higher secondary education courses.

IGCSE is also treated as equivalent to a class X qualification for admission to undergraduate courses in India.



How does Cambridge curriculum help with National Level Competitive Examinations?

The Cambridge curriculum exams include Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) that can help students with their competitive exam preparation. International schools provide as much rigorous training in academics as traditional curricula, but with a more holistic approach. Cambridge gives students many different ways to show their learning, including written exams, practical, orals and coursework.

Do Indian Universities accept IGCSE and AS/A Levels?

As per the AIU (Association of Indian Universities), Minimum 5 passes at IGCSE including English with Grade A, B and C and minimum 2/ 3 passes at A level examination of the British examining bodies is equivalent to +2 stage qualification which is the minimum eligibility requirement for admission to Bachelor degree programmes at Indian universities.

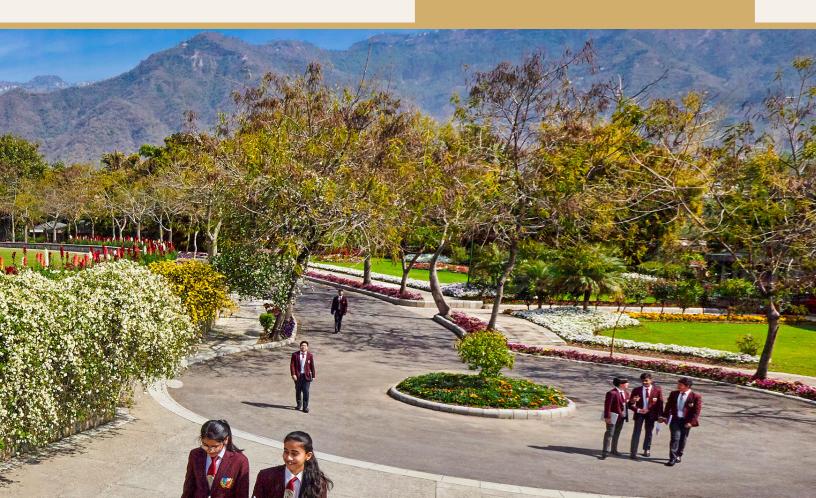
How can a student confirm that the university they are applying to accepts the CAIE qualifications?

Cambridge International, A Level is accepted by Indian universities to meet entry requirements. Please refer to the website of Association of Indian Universities at *https://aiu.ac.in/evaluation.php* for AIU's Advisory for Students and Equivalence of Degrees brochure for details.

You may also check recognition statements issued by individual universities in our Recognition Database at http://recognition.cambridgeinternational.org/

For further information, feel free to contact Head, Cambridge International Email ID: caiecoordinator@kasigaschool.com

Cambridge Examination Officer Email ID: caieexamsofficer@kasigaschool.com





ADMISSION PROCEDURE

At Kāsiga School, admission is open to all irrespective of creed, colour or religion.

AGE REQUIREMENT

Admissions where vacancies exist are made on the basis of an assessment and subsequent interaction with the Principal. School tour and 'meet the teachers' are encouraged prior to Registration. A written assessment is conducted to check the suitability of the child for the class. The Principal reserves the right to admit the child into the class deemed suitable for him or her.

APPLICATION & ENQUIRIES

All enquiries can be made through the Admission Office Contact Person: Head of Admissions • Email ID: admissions@kasigaschool.com Mobile no.: 9917480901 / 9917480913

Online application available on our website: www.kasigaschool.com



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