



SABIS® Network  
Schools in Egypt

*School Profile*

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## Welcome to SABIS®

SABIS® is a global education network that has an active presence in 20 countries on five continents. Schools in the SABIS® Network educate over 70,000 students and implement a proven, proprietary system. SABIS® Network schools provide students with a top-quality education that prepares them to meet the challenges of a changing world.

## Core Purpose / Core Values

Since 1886, SABIS® Network schools have been guided by a clear core purpose and set of core values. The SABIS® Core Purpose is to provide an outstanding education at a reasonable cost and help all students achieve their full potential.

SABIS® Core Values contribute to reaching high efficiency and high standards. The values are embedded within each of the schools and include:

- Practicing honesty and integrity
- Upholding our principles at all cost and at all times
- Continually improving and never becoming complacent
- Emphasizing quality at all times
- Making a difference
- Recognizing and rewarding efficiency, loyalty, and commitment

## SABIS® Network Schools in Egypt

The International School of Choueifat – Cairo (ISC-Cairo) and The International School of Choueifat – City of 6 October (ISC-6 October) are both members of the global SABIS® Network. Founded in 1995 and 2003 respectively, ISC-Cairo and ISC-6 October are committed to delivering a world-class Kindergarten to Grade 12 education to students in Egypt.

## The SABIS® Educational System

The SABIS® Educational System is an integrated, comprehensive, kindergarten through twelfth grade academic program that has been developed and refined over a 135-year period. With a balance of academics, self-development, and life preparation, the SABIS® Educational System prepares its students for success in college, fosters a lifelong interest in learning, and develops responsible world-class citizens. It blends quality education with traditional values of hard work and responsibility for self and others.

In SABIS® Network schools, all students willing to learn can learn and achieve very high academic standards, regardless of their ability levels. For this purpose, students undergo continuous monitoring to prevent the development of knowledge gaps during their learning process. By motivating students, fostering a desire to learn, and providing an efficient and high-quality educational experience, the SABIS® Educational System helps each student achieve his/her full potential.

### In following the SABIS® Educational System, students benefit from:

- A well-structured, rigorous, international curriculum
- SABIS® books designed to dovetail precisely with the curriculum and aligned to state and national standards
- Proven instructional methods that keep them engaged and learning efficiently
- Regular assessment that contributes to building a solid foundation of knowledge
- Cutting-edge educational tools that keep them interested and involved in the learning process
- An active student life that helps them explore their talents, discover their interests, and develop essential life skills
- A safe, disciplined, and positive school environment that allows them to feel secure and focus on developing their knowledge, skills, and abilities



## Our Curriculum

The backbone of the SABIS® Educational System is a rigorous and sequential curriculum that meets world-class standards. Supported by time-tested methods, this curriculum emphasizes a well-balanced body of knowledge, skills, and experiences. A critical review of the curriculum by the SABIS® Academic Development Department is ongoing to ensure that it remains dynamic, comprehensive, and suited to the needs of a rapidly changing, global society.

Starting in Kindergarten and continuing until graduation, the curriculum at the SABIS® Network schools in Egypt covers a broad range of academic subjects. Our curriculum enables students to develop fluency in English, Arabic, and an additional world language of their choice.

Strong emphasis is placed on English and math, as well as the sciences in secondary school, where our students prepare for external exams such as the British-based IGCSEs, and the U.S.-based Advanced Placement® (AP®) program.

Social studies, music, fine arts, physical education, psychology, business and economics studies, computer studies, and a number of non-traditional subjects increasingly relevant for the world of the future, are integrated into the curriculum.

Our curriculum prepares the students for the following examinations:

- **British system of education** - IGCSE, O-Level, AS & A Levels
- **American system of education** - TOEFL, ACT, ACT International Subject, SAT I, SAT II, and AP®
- **The International School of Choueifat, High School Diploma.** Our High School Diploma is fully accredited by NCA-CASI (North Central Association Commission on Accreditation and School Improvement), Cognia (formerly AdvancED\*), Accreditation International, and MSA

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## Marking

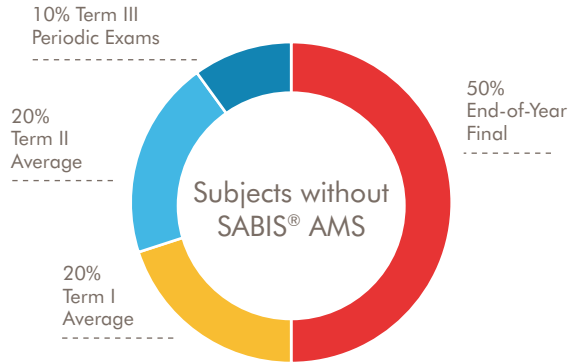
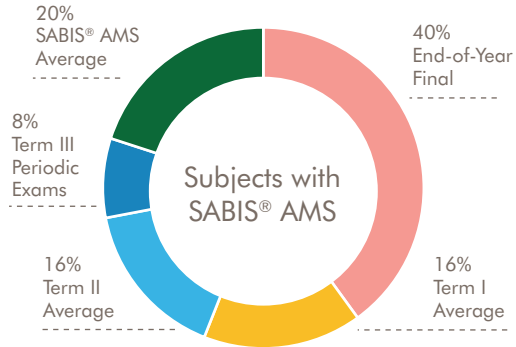
All marks are out of one hundred as listed in the following chart:

Grade Band out of a 100	Converting to a Letter Grade	Descriptive	Pass / Fail	Distinction / Honors
95-100	A+	Outstanding	PASS	High Distinction
90-94	A	Excellent	PASS	Distinction
85-89	A-	Very Good	PASS	Honors
80-84	B+	Very Good	PASS	
75-79	B	Good	PASS	
70-74	B-	Good	PASS	
65-69	C+	Satisfactory	PASS	
60-64	C	Satisfactory	PASS	
55-59	D+	Unsatisfactory	FAIL	
50-54	D	Unsatisfactory	FAIL	
45-49	E	Unsatisfactory	FAIL	
Below 45	F	Unsatisfactory	FAIL	

*Passing grade is 60% and above.*

The different subjects are not weighted equally nor are the different sub-subject areas within the same subject. Moreover, the three terms are also not weighted equally in the calculation of the end-of-year mark.

Details of marking are shown in the following pie charts:



## SABIS® Student Life Organization

The SABIS® Student Life Organization (SLO) is the heart of the school and a pillar of the SABIS® Educational System. It is a student-led mini-society that empowers students to get involved in the day-to-day experience at their school and offers countless academic, social, and emotional benefits for everyone involved.

Through the organization's nine departments, students have the power to make a real difference in their school and their community. The real-life experiences students are exposed to help foster their development as individuals and as members of a larger community, as well as provide them with a platform to acquire and refine skills, attitudes, and attributes that give them a huge advantage in university and beyond.

**Academic:** Defines the academic involvement of your child including study groups, tutoring, helping others academically, and shadow teaching.

**Discipline:** Defines the involvement of your child in maintaining the highest levels of discipline at the school including the prevention of bullying.

**Management:** Defines the involvement of your child in helping to manage both the different facets of SLO and communications.

**Wellness:** Defines the involvement of your child in SLO campaigns and activities related to healthy nutrition and lifestyle, mental well-being, and safety.

**Sports:** Defines the involvement of your child in the SLO-led sports activities and health campaigns.

**Activities:** Defines the involvement of your child with the extracurricular activities planned and organized by the SLO.

**Outreach:** Defines the involvement of your child in making a difference in other students' lives including helping new students integrate quickly and comfortably into the school community.

**Lower School:** Defines the involvement of your child in planning and implementing all activities, academic and otherwise, for students in the Primary section.

**Social Responsibility:** Defines the involvement of your child in local and global community service as well as initiatives to protect the environment and the planet.



## ISC-Cairo and ISC-6 October University Acceptances

### Australia

- Western Sydney University

### Canada

- Carleton University
- Concordia University
- Dalhousie University
- McGill University
- McMaster University
- Queen's University
- University of British Columbia
- University of Guelph
- University of Manitoba
- University of Ottawa
- University of Toronto
- University of Waterloo
- University of Western Ontario
- University of Windsor
- Vancouver Island University
- York University

### Cyprus

- Middle East Technical University

### Egypt

- Ain Shams University
- American University in Cairo

- Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport
- British University in Egypt
- Cairo University
- Canadian International College
- Future University in Egypt
- German University in Cairo
- Higher Technological Institute
- Misr International University
- Misr University for Science and Technology
- Modern Sciences and Arts University
- October 6 University
- University of London International Program at AAST

### Estonia

- Tallin University of Technology

### Germany

- Jacobs University Bremen

### Italy

- American University of Rome
- Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti

### K.S.A.

- Batterjee Medical College

### Kuwait

- American University of Kuwait

### Lebanon

- American University of Beirut

### Netherlands

- University College Utrecht
- University of Amsterdam

### Qatar

- Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar
- College of the North Atlantic at Qatar
- Texas A&M University at Qatar
- Weill Cornell Medical College in Qatar

### Spain

- EU Business School

### South Korea

- KAIST University
- Seoul National University
- Sungkyunkwan University
- Yonsei University

### Sweden

- Dalarna University

### Switzerland

- Les Roches International School of Hotel Management
- University of Geneva

### Turkey

- Bahçesehir University

### U.A.E.

- American University in Dubai
- American University in the Emirates
- American University of Sharjah
- Heriot-Watt University Dubai
- Middlesex University Dubai
- Murdoch University Dubai
- New York University Abu Dhabi
- University of Sharjah
- The University of Waterloo - Dubai

### U.K.

- Aston University
- Brunel University London

- City University of London
- David Game College
- De Montfort University
- Durham University
- Hult International Business School
- King's College London
- Kingston University
- Lancaster University
- London Metropolitan University
- London School of Economics and Political Science
- Middlesex University
- Queen Mary University of London
- Richmond, The American International University in London
- Robert Gordon University
- Swansea University
- University Campus Suffolk
- University College London
- University of Aberdeen
- University of Bristol
- University of Essex
- University of Glasgow
- University of Greenwich
- University of Hertfordshire
- University of Keele
- University of Manchester

- University of Nottingham
- University of Portsmouth
- University of Reading
- University of Sheffield
- University of Surrey
- University of Sussex
- University of Warwick

### U.S.A.

- American International College
- Amherst College
- Arizona State University
- Barclay College
- Boston College
- Boston University
- California State Polytechnic University, Pomona
- California State University
- Chapman University
- College of the Holy Cross
- Columbia University
- Cornell College
- De Anza College
- Drexel University
- Duke University
- Fresno Pacific University
- George Mason University
- Georgetown University
- Georgia Institute of Technology
- Harvard University
- Indiana University Bloomington
- Irvine Valley College
- Kansas State University
- Laney College
- Los Angeles Pierce College
- Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- New York University
- North Carolina State University
- Ohio State University
- Pace University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Rutgers University
- Saint Joseph's University
- San Diego State University
- Shawnee State University
- Stevenson University
- Syracuse University
- Texas A&M University
- The City University of New York
- The George Washington University
- Tufts University
- University of New Hampshire
- University of Arizona
- University of California Berkley
- University of California, Davis

- University of Central Florida
- University of Cincinnati
- University of Colorado, Colorado Springs
- University of Connecticut
- University of Florida
- University of Illinois
- University of Maryland, Baltimore
- University of Miami
- University of Michigan
- University of Michigan - Flint
- University of Minnesota
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Rhode Island
- University of San Francisco
- University of South Florida
- University of Tampa
- University of Texas at Austin
- University of Virginia
- University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee
- University of Wyoming
- Vanderbilt University
- Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
- Webster University
- Western Kentucky University
- Westmont University



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