IST HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

IST requires all students to complete a minimum of twenty-seven (27) credits to meet the requirements for its internally awarded **"International School of Turin Diploma"** accredited by NEASC.

The courses are considered to be year-long courses where achievement is measured and credit granted after using a variety of assessment practices that include comprehensive subject examinations. Students who fail courses need to repeat them and only receive credit upon successful completion of the course requirements.

To be awarded the **IST Diploma**, students must accumulate the following credits:

Language and Lit	4 Credits
A 2nd Lang/Language Acquisition	4 Credits
Individuals & Societies	3 Credits
Mathematics	4 Credits
Science	3 Credits
Theory of Knowledge	1 Credit*
CAS	1 Credit
Electives	5 Credits
Personal Project	1 Credit
Total	**27 Credits**

*A credit is awarded for a "D" or above.

ELECTIVES

The following courses are counted as electives:

3rd Language; Mother Tongue, ELL, Student Support, Music, Art, Design, P.E.(Non-MYP), P.E. (MYP), Extended Essay, an additional I and S/Science subject at DP Level.

Students transferring to IST during grades 9-12 will be required to provide transcript confirmation of credits already earned or academic progress already achieved in a previous school. Students must have achieved the - credits to qualify for the **IST High School Diploma**.

This will be communicated to students and parents as part of the admissions process, for students entering IST from Grade 10 onwards.

In Grades 9 and 10 students need to:

• Participate in the 5 core courses, including 2 languages, I and S, Maths and science plus an elective.

• On their Semester 2 report, record an individual score no lower than a 2 but with an average not less than 3 for each year of the programme.

• Complete satisfactory participation in Services as Action. Alternative outcomes will be decided in consultation with the S and A Coordinator and MYP coordinator.

• Complete the Personal Project.

• Record a minimum 80% attendance in each course over the two years.

IST HIGH SCHOOL CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

IST since 1963 INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF TURIN

In Grades 11 and 12, students need to :

• Participate in six courses (usually SL), each from a different subject group, during Grade 11 and 12.

• Complete the TOK exhibition, which is marked and standardised internally.

• Complete all necessary I.A.'s, unless there are special circumstances whereby objectives would be altered in agreement with the individual subject teacher.

• Record score no lower than a 2 but with an average not less than 3 for each year of the programme on the end of year report.

• Complete satisfactory participation in the Service component of CAS to those required for IB Diploma candidates; Alternative outcomes will be decided in consultation with the CAS Coordinator and DP coordinator.

• Record a minimum 80% attendance in each course over the two years.

Students who don't meet conditions at the end of gr.9-10-11-12 will complete recovery work over the summer and resit certain subjects in September.

While this internally awarded diploma enables students to gain admission to a wide variety of prestigious North American colleges and universities as well as some private, specialized colleges in Europe, it will not usually give access to universities in the UK, Italy, or other European universities due to differing entrance requirements.