



EF Academy New York

US High School Diploma subject lists

The US High School Diploma is a broad curriculum for those who have not yet decided on a specific major or career path. Students focus on developing English proficiency, passing courses with a high GPA, preparing for the TOEFL/IELTS exams and the SAT. Students can pursue advanced coursework in one or more subjects leading to IB Certificates, depending on grade level. Certificate candidates take courses in their strongest subject areas interest and will receive an IB Certificate for each course successfully completed.

English

- English literature
- English: Creative writing
- English: Film & literature
- English 11
- English 12

English as an Additional Language (EAL)

- EAL I-III
- EAL 11-12
- EAL Guided reading
- EAL Resource room

World Languages

- French I
- German I
- Spanish I-II

Humanities

- Economics, enterprise & finance
- Global history
- Global perspectives
- Social Studies: Ancient Civilizations
- Social Studies: History I-II

Learning and Knowledge

- Foundations of learning & knowledge I-III
- Senior learning & knowledge seminar

Sciences

- Biology 9-10
- Chemistry 9-10
- Physics 9-10
- Introduction to computer science
- Engineering & design
- Forensics
- Health & physical education
- Marine biology

Mathematics

- Pre-algebra
- Algebra 1/Geometry
- Algebra 2/Trigonometry
- Pre-calculus
- Statistics

Art

- Art & design I-II
- Choir
- Drama
- History of rock 'n' roll
- Introduction to songwriting
- Introduction to music
- Studio art

I-IV - Course levels
9-12 - Grade-specific courses
Subject offerings subject to change
based on availability



EF Academy Pasadena

US High School Diploma and Global Leadership Program subject list

The US High School Diploma balances holistic university preparation in history, English, math, science, world languages, the arts and physical education across the four years of high school. This American-style curriculum, which includes an innovative project-based Global Leadership curriculum, offers tremendous flexibility and customization options for students to pursue their passions and showcase their main academic strengths and talents.

History

- Advanced studies: American studies (co-taught with English)
- Advanced studies: international relations*
- Advanced studies: queer histories*
- AP Comparative government
- AP Human geography
- AP U.S. history
- Global history: contemporary issues
- Modern world history & geography
- Urban geography: City of Angels

English

- Advanced studies: American studies (co-taught with history)
- Advanced studies: fairy tales & children's literature*
- Advanced studies: fiction & film*
- American literature
- AP English language & composition
- AP English literature
- English 9 & 10
- Journalism

Math

- Advanced studies: differential geometry
- AP Calculus AB or BC
- AP Statistics
- Calculus
- Integrated math 1, 2 & 3
- Pre-calculus

Science

- Advanced studies: organic chemistry*
- Advanced studies: virology and epidemiology*
- AP Biology
- AP Chemistry
- AP Environmental science
- AP Physics C
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Conceptual physics

World Languages

- AP Spanish language & culture
- French beginner, intermediate & advanced
- Mandarin beginner, intermediate & advanced
- Spanish beginner, intermediate & advance
- English language lab

Visual and performing arts

- AP Art & design / portfolio
- Drama
- Drawing & painting
- Intro to 2D arts
- Intro to 3D arts
- Music

Health and wellness

- AP psychology
- Health & wellness*

Technology and Engineering

- AP Computer science principles
- Computer science independent study
- Computer science & technology

Global Leadership

- Global Citizens
- Global Entrepreneurs
- Global Innovators
- Global Leadership Capstone

AP = Advanced Placement

Advanced Placement is a program of university-level courses that are approved by the College Board. Enrollment in an Advanced Placement course requires commitment to the rigors associated with the coursework.

"Advanced studies" designates a class with a level of rigor at or beyond AP courses and with content that surpasses the college board offerings.

All courses are subject to minimum enrollment numbers.

* Semester courses