

# Come join a small learning community at International Studies Academy



*International Studies Academy is a small public high school focusing on:*

Global issues and international relations

High academic standards

Safety and respect

Personalized education

Additional support and instructional time to ensure success for all

## vision

International Studies Academy promotes international studies, world languages, and understanding of our multicultural world. The purpose of International Studies Academy is to cultivate in young people an international perspective and to help students develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes needed to live effectively in a world possessing limited natural resources and characterized by cultural pluralism and interdependence.

**International Studies Academy seeks students who are interested in world affairs and world language courses.** If students are committed to a rigorous educational program in a small school environment, International Studies Academy is the school for them.

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## *Academic Programs*

- \* Advanced Placement courses in Biology, Statistics, US History, English and Spanish
- \* College preparatory programs
- \* Personal Educational Plans
- \* Career and College Counseling
- \* Early Academic Outreach Programs with USE, UC and SFSU
- \* Concurrent enrollment at City College of SF
- \* English Language Development Program for all levels of EL students
- \* Special Education classes for RSP and LD students
- \* California High School Exit Exam classes
- \* After School Tutoring Program



## *Academic Support Programs*

ISA is committed to the belief that all students can achieve high academic standards. After-school tutoring is available Monday-Friday and is staffed by credentialed teachers who provide academic support to students. ISA has two computer labs with Internet access and a variety of software programs used by students in all content areas.



## *International Expedition Program*

ISA promotes overseas travel and exchange programs to help students expand their horizons and experience new cultures. In past years, students have visited Costa Rica, Cuba, the Philippines, Italy, France, Mali and Japan. ISA has a sister school in Osaka, Japan. Students who maintain a 2.5 GPA are eligible for travel programs beginning in their sophomore year.

## *Graduation Requirements*

- 4 years of English
- 3 years of College Prep Mathematics
- 3 years of College Prep Science
- 4 years of Social Studies:
  - 1 year of World History
  - 1 year of U.S. History
  - 1 year of Government/Economics
  - 1 year of International Relations
- 2 years of a World Language (Spanish or Japanese)
- 2 years of Physical Education
- 1 year of Visual and Performing Arts
- 1 semester of Health Education
- 1 quarter of Driver Education
- 1 quarter of College/Career Education
- Senior Project
- 100 hours of Community Service
- SFUSD Swimming Competency
- Pass California HS Exit Exam

## *After Graduation*

ISA's graduates are currently attending: UC Santa Cruz, UC Berkeley, Cal Poly San Luis Obispo, Fisk University, UC San Diego, Mills College, Sacramento State University, Xavier University, UC Davis, San Jose State University, North Carolina A & T, Clark University, San Francisco State University, Cal State East Bay, UC Riverside, Sonoma State University, Fresno State University, Emory University and Pomona College.