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Personal projects 2016

An introduction to the requirements of the first mandatory session



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Introduction to session

For the first time, in May 2016 all MYP Year 5 students around the world will be registered for personal project moderation.

In this session administrators, coordinators, personal project leaders and supervisors will learn about the mysteries of IBIS, uploads, submission deadlines, IB moderation, and IB MYP certificate and course results.

Participants will review important things to know and do for the first required moderation of the personal project, and share best planning practices and create a personalized school action plan to ensure success in the new MYP.



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Presenters

- Gill Chudley

Based at the IB Assessment Centre in Cardiff, Wales, Gill Chudley joined the MYP assessment team as the subject manager with responsibility for ePortfolio coursework subjects in January 2014, after eight years working with Diploma Programme arts subjects. Working closely with the subject manager for language acquisition the two colleagues have used their assessment experience to plan, and are currently undertaking, ePortfolio trials as well as developing school-friendly supporting documentation for live assessment sessions.

- Danielle Veilleux

Based at the IB Global Centre in The Hague, Netherlands, Danielle has worked as the curriculum manager for the Middle Years Programme for four years. Her work includes responsibility for the Arts, Individuals and societies and both of the MYP Projects during the whole programme review of MYP: the next chapter. Danielle has managed MYP Projects through a curriculum review, the piloting phase and finally the implementation in schools, publishing teacher support and workshop materials globally. Danielle has recently moved to the curriculum innovation and alignment department in the academic division.



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Overview of MYP eAssessment

On-screen
examinations

Mathematics

Language and
literature

Sciences

Individuals and
societies

Interdisciplinary

Externally marked by IB appointed examiners

Coursework
ePortfolio

Language
acquisition

Arts / Design /
PHE

Personal Project

Internally marked in schools and externally
moderated by IB appointed examiners



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Why is the personal project important to schools from 2016?

Beginning in 2016, schools undertaking programme evaluation are required either **to register students for MYP eAssessment**—including at least one student registered as a candidate for the IB MYP certificate' or **participate in the Building Quality Curriculum service**

Mandatory moderation of Personal projects (included in the annual school fee).

Moderation outcomes will support the development of school assessment practices.

Students receive an IB validated award for their work that will be a recognized international credential.





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Things to know and to do – a walk through the timeline



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Personal project timeline

	May session	November session
School submits special request for language provision via IBIS	20 October (20 months before session)	20 April (20 months before session)
IB notifies school of approval of special request language	28 February (15 months before)	28 August (15 months before)
Register all year 5 students	20 October (8 months before session)	20 April (8 months before session)
Submission deadline for predicted grades and criterion level totals via IBIS	10 April	10 October
Submission deadline for sample projects via eCoursework upload	20 April	20 October
Issue of results from 12 noon GMT	1 August	1 February
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IBIS – Things to do

Special request languages – 20 months prior to session

Special request made 20 months in advance of session by coordinator via IBIS:
20 October for May session / 20 April for November session

Core languages

Arabic

Chinese Mandarin
(traditional and simplified)

English

French

Japanese

Russian

Spanish

Swedish

Turkish



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Candidate registration screen

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IBIS - International Baccalaureate Information System

Fri, 17 Jul 2015 13:33:53 GMT

MYP Session: JUNE 2016 **School:** 000001 - IBO test school **Role:** MYP COORDINATOR

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Candidate registration

Statistics

Category	Registration status (No. of candidates)			
	In progress	Registration complete	Registered with errors	Edited
Certificate	2	1	6	0
Course	0	1	2	0
Total	2	2	8	0

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Pre-registration tab

Special request language - form

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Information

General information text request form

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Core language for moderation

Core language	No. of candidates *
ARABIC	12
CHINESE (MANDARIN) SIMPLIFIED	0
CHINESE (MANDARIN) TRADITIONAL	0
ENGLISH	0
FRENCH	0
JAPANESE	0
RUSSIAN	0
SPANISH	0
SWEDISH	0
TURKISH	0

Special request language for moderation

Special request language *	Core language *	No. of candidates *	Status
ALBANIAN	ARABIC	1	In Progress
ARAUCANIAN	ARABIC	3	Approved ERT



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Scenario: two clearly defined standards

Teacher	Teacher total	Examiner total	Difference
A	39	25	-14
B	31	40	+9
A	27	15	-12
B	15	26	+11
A	7	1	-6

‘A’ has been extremely generous, ‘B’ has been extremely harsh.

What could they have done to ensure one standard from the school?



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Standardization from an IB Assessment Centre perspective

Aims of standardization:

- All examiners understand key elements being looked for when awarding levels (for example criterion A strand iii to differentiate between limited, adequate, substantial and excellent).
- All examiners interpret and apply the assessment criteria in the same way.



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How do we meet the aims?

- Experienced examiners produce example work with annotations that provide:
 - examples of how criteria should be interpreted for all examiners to study
 - clear, accurate notes that explain the rationale for levels awarded, interpretations of the criteria, provide characteristics for a level and support decision making of examiners
- All examiners assess further examples to test whether they have a common understanding of the standard



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Why is one school standard important?

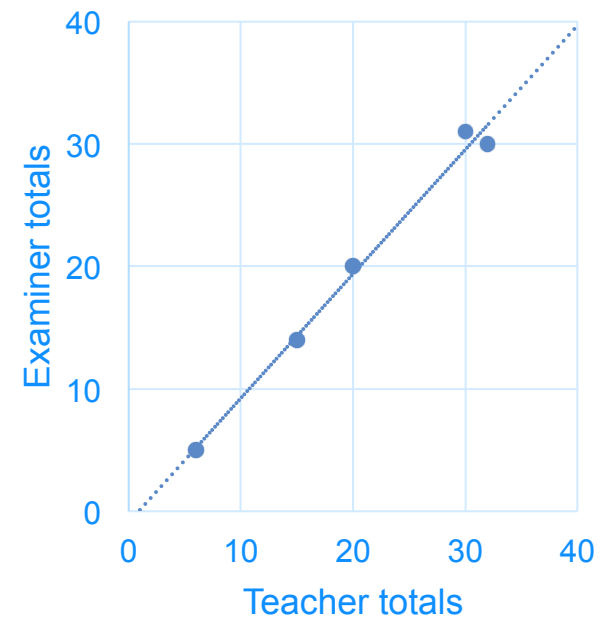
- Where the school standard is consistent with the examining team standard the school's assessed totals remain unchanged.
- Where the school standard is consistent but either generous or harsh in comparison to the examining team standard, the school's assessed totals are adjusted and feedback given by the examiner to explain.
- Where the school standard is not consistent further work may be requested in order that a fair outcome is achieved for the cohort.



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Scenario: consistent application of standard

Teacher	Teacher total	Examiner total	Final total (from a dynamic sample perspective)
A	32	30	32
A	30	31	30
A	20	20	20
B	15	14	15
B	6	5	6



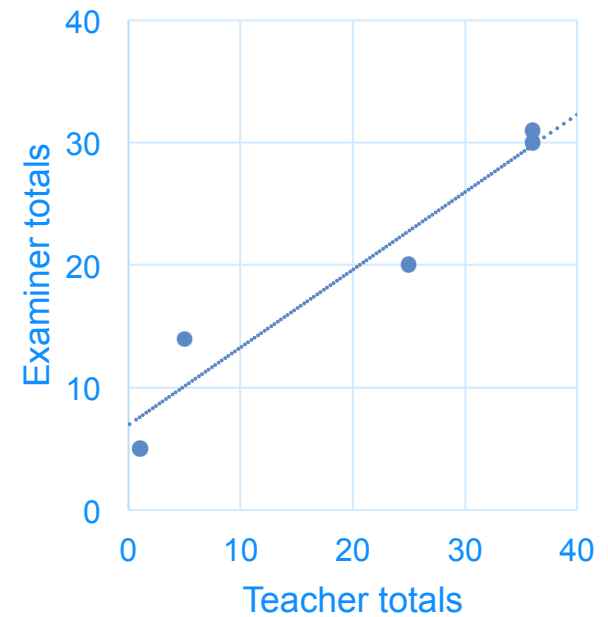
The teacher's top total of 40 (which wasn't sampled) is maintained at 40



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Scenario: inconsistent application of standard

Teacher	Teacher total	Examiner total	Final moderated total
A	36	30	30
A	36	31	30
A	25	20	23
B	5	14	10
B	1	5	8



The teacher's top total of 40 (which wasn't sampled) is moderated to a total of 30



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IBIS – teacher assessed totals

Internal assessment entry



Information

The deadline for entering totals is: 31 July 2015 23:59:00 GMT

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Group:

Internal assessment subjects

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Group	Subject	Number of candidates	Action
1	FRENCH LANG AND LITERATURE MY	3	• Enter marks
3	BUSINESS MANAGEMENT MY in ENGLISH	2	• Enter marks
3	ECONOMICS MY in ENGLISH	2	• Enter marks
3	HISTORY MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
4	BIOLOGY MY in FRENCH	1	• Enter marks
5	EXTENDED MATHEMATICS MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
5	MATHEMATICS MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
6	DANCE MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
6	DRAMA MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
6	MUSIC MY in ENGLISH	1	• Enter marks
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IBIS - predicted grades

	<p>development as an IB learner through the project, although there may be very limited and general.</p> <p>The report is adequately developed and organized.</p>
5	<p>The personal project report defines a clear and challenging personal goal for the project, within a relevant global context. Relevant subject-specific knowledge is identified to support and inform the project.</p> <p>The report demonstrates specific research, thinking, communication, social and self-management skills. Student-created criteria are clearly defined and have been applied to the development of a product/outcome. The product/outcome is of good quality.</p> <p>The report presents specific reflections on the student's knowledge and understanding, and development as an IB learner through the project, demonstrating the student's self-awareness of strengths and limitations.</p> <p>The report is organized and coherent.</p>
6	<p>The personal project report defines a clear and challenging personal goal for the project, within a relevant global context. Relevant prior learning and subject-specific knowledge support and inform the project.</p> <p>The report details systematic research, thinking, communication and social skills as well as self-management skills. The criteria created by the student are detailed and exact, and have been applied to the development of a product/outcome. The product/outcome is of very good</p>

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MYP Session: DECEMBER 2015 | **School: 000001 - IBO test school** | **Role: MYP COORDINATOR**

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Candidate registration

Statistics

Category

- Criterion levels totals entry
- Predicted grade**
 - Predicted grade subject inquiry
- Subject results
- Registration for monitoring of assessment
- Teacher recommendation form
- Subject moderators
- MYP Moderation Reports

	In progress	Registration complete	Registr
Course	0	1	
Myp	4	1	
Pilot	0	1	
Total	4	3	



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Sample size (for each language)

Cohort size (by language)	Sample size
Fewer than 5 students	Work of all students
6 – 20 students	The work of 5 students
21 – 40 students	The work of 8 students
41 students and above	The work of 10 students

Example 1	100 students registered for English language	10 students work will be uploaded
Example 2	35 students registered for French 18 students registered for English	8 students work uploaded for French 5 students work uploaded for English



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eCoursework upload overview - 1

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Fri, 16 Jan 2015 09:49:36 GMT Your login will expire in: 28m 37s

Diploma session: MAY 2015 School: 000001 - Test school of the world Role: DIPLOMA COORDINATOR

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Upcoming deadlines

13 Six month ret...
29 January 20
DAYS May 2015 session

[View all deadlines](#)
There is 1 deadline in the next 30 days.

News

May 2015 second deadline for candidate registration

Posted on 15 Jan 2015
The second deadline for registering candidates for the May 2015 session is midnight (GMT) tonight. Higher fees and late subject fees will be applicable for registrations or amendments made after this [\[more\]](#)

Uploading of coursework - May 2015

Posted on 08 Jan 2015
Work is continuing on the coursework upload system, and we are planning for this to be launched at the beginning of February for use in the May 2015 examination session.

Coursework upload [\[more\]](#)
<https://ibis.ibo.org/teacher/ecoursework/index.cfm>

Options

Subject	Candidate	School	Home
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eCoursework upload overview - 2

The screenshot displays the IB eCoursework upload interface. A modal window titled "Upload to File Storage" is open, showing a "Drag & Drop files here" area and a "Select Files" button. The background shows a list of candidates and their submission status for "Theory of Knowledge".

Candidate	Submission Status
Hotfix AD (000001-0051 • fkp958)	Not Started
Andrea Alvarez (000001-0003 • fgc652)	Not Started
Baled1 BLIVE1 (000001-0005 • fgz226)	Not Started
Test Candidate	Not Started



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eCoursework upload overview - 3

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File Storage Isabel Pantoja

All

Order By Family Name

VISUAL ARTS
PART A STUDIO WORK

Showing 3 of 33 candidates

A

ANGELA ALVAREZ
000001-0061 • fgy069

L

Hairi Safwan Lim
000001-0018 • fhc000

P

Isabel Pantoja
000001-0021 • fgs266

Isabel Pantoja
May 2015 • 000001-0021 • fgs266

In Progress
a few seconds ago

Candidate Statement Pending Additional Information

Replace Delete

Component info.docx
Uploaded by Sara Kerswell on Monday, February 16, 2015

Word count *
Word count

Save Changes

Exhibition Photograph Pending Optional Files

Upload

Upload to File Storage Preview Submit All Share Download Delete



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What happens next?

Examiners, under guidance of senior examining team:

- Undertake standardization and qualify to take part in the assessment process for this session
- Undertake assessment for their allocation, being monitored throughout to ensure they maintain the standard

IB departments:

- Investigate any reported malpractice issues, including academic honesty
- Compile adverse circumstance cases
- Grade award:
 - Sets boundaries, matching qualities of work to the statements in the grade descriptors
 - Considers individual student cases.



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Enquiry upon results - faqs

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Candidate registrations

Candidate results

Request for inclusive
assessment
arrangements

Enquiry upon results
(EUR)

Candidate results
reports

Request legalization

Statist

Categor

In progress

Certificate

2

Course

0

Total

2



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Enquiry upon results – category 3

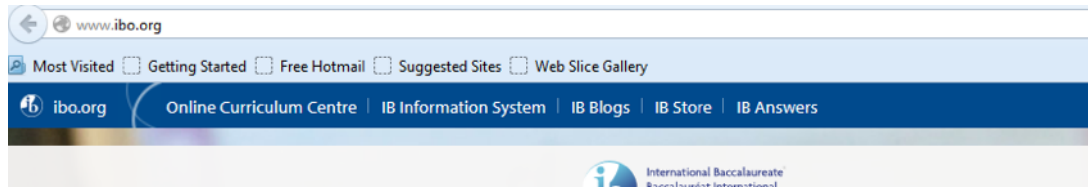
- Handbook of procedures for the Middle Years Programme will contain all enquiry upon results information for externally assessed and internally assessed but externally moderated material
- **Category 3 – Re-moderation of sample**
A re-moderation can be requested in cases where the mean of the candidates' moderated internal assessment totals differs from the mean of the raw totals (the totals awarded by the teacher) by at least 15% of the maximum criterion level total.



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People and places to go to for help with

IBIS



- The handbook of procedures for the Middle Years Programme

MYP coordinators	MYP coordinators
Forums:	Welcome to the MYP coordinators home page. From here you can access all the IB publications associated with this curriculum area, as well as the forums and teachers. If you cannot find what you are looking for contact IB Answers at ibid@ibo.org .
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MYP: The Next Chapter	
Web 2.0 in the IB classroom	
My profile	
Teacher resource exchange	
Faculty member	
IB store	
IB workshop and events calendar	
	Implementation
	<input type="checkbox"/> MYP: Next chapter - Transition document (December 2013)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Programme evaluation guide and self-study questionnaire: Middle Years Programme (For use from March 2014)
	<input type="checkbox"/> MYP: Next chapter Milestone dates 2014-2017: school years beginning in January (updated September 2014)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Guide to school authorization: Middle Years Programme
	<input type="checkbox"/> MYP fees and pricing framework
	<input type="checkbox"/> MYP: Next chapter Milestone dates 2014-2017: school years beginning in September (updated September 2014)
	eAssessment 2015
	<input type="checkbox"/> Handbook of procedures for the Middle Years Programme: Moderation and monitoring of assessment (2015)
	<input type="checkbox"/> Handbook of procedures for the Middle Years Programme: Pilot of on-screen examinations (2015)



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Thank you

- Questions for us?
- IB Assessment Centre colleagues available at the MYP or Assessment desk can help with other queries:

Name	Area
Rebecca Blythe	General on-screen examinations queries
Helen Wright	Academic honesty, inclusive access, adverse circumstances and will help with IBIS queries
Rodric Norris	Coursework upload system
Merav Yuravlivker	Examiner recruitment



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Come by the stand

