

# Key facts for parents.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

### **What curriculum does Acmar International School offer?**

Early years (Age 3-7): International Early Years Curriculum, IEYC. Primary (Age 5-11): International Primary Curriculum, IPC. Secondary (Age 12-16): Cambridge International Examination (CIE)

### **How will I know if the school environment is right for my child?**

Arrange a visit to the school. The best way to get a feel for our environment is by visiting our school, experiencing our wonderful facilities at first-hand, meeting our teachers and observing several of our class.

### **What is the admission procedures?**

Set a date with the school to do a placement test (English and Mathematics). A fee payment of RM500 will be charged in order to take the test.

### **Are the teachers qualified and trained?**

Yes, all the teachers at AIS required having at least a degree in any field (preferable Master and PhD). The school management provides professional development courses (internal and external) for all the teachers from time to time.

### **How many foreign teachers are employed in AIS?**

We have both expatriate and local qualified teachers. We will maintain the ration of 30% of expatriate teachers.

### **What is the class size?**

Maximum of 25 students per class.

### **Who are our students?**

Our students population features a broad range of ethnicities and cultures found in Malaysia society as a whole, however, we welcome students from all nationalities.

### **When does the academic year begin and end?**

The academic year begins in August and ends in July the next year. Each academic term will be 4 months. Term 1: August to November. Term 2: December to March. Term 3: April to July.

### **What are the starting and dismissal times?**

Early years: 8am till 1.30pm  
Primary: 8am till 4pm  
Secondary: 8am till 4pm

### **What is the allocation time for CCA?**

Monday to Friday: 2.30pm – 4.00pm