

## Questions and Answers

### Q. Who should consider the IBCP?

A. Any student interested in pursuing career-related learning in addition to rigorous IB components.

### Q. What are the benefits of an IBCP certificate?

A. - Students combine academic content with personal career interest  
 - gain valuable workplace readiness skills and certifications  
 - develop an understanding of global awareness related to their chosen pathway  
 - gain real-world experience through networking and job shadowing opportunities.

### Q. What are the requirements for successful completion and award of the IB Certificate of the Career-related Programme?

A. The student will meet the following requirements to be considered an IBCP candidate:

1. Satisfactory completion of the specified career-related study (C or better)
2. Awarded a grade 3 or more in at least two of the Diploma Programme courses
3. Awarded a grade of at least D for the reflective project.
4. Personal and professional skills, service learning, and language development requirements have been met.
5. The candidate has not received a penalty for academic misconduct.

### Q. Do colleges and universities recognize the IB CP?

A. The IB has shown that students are well prepared for university work and the CP has earned a reputation for providing articulated career-related pathways to university. For more information, visit [www.ibo.org/university-admission](http://www.ibo.org/university-admission) or contact us at EAS.

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Or visit: <https://ibo.org/programmes/career-related-programme>  
[www.eas.az](http://www.eas.az)



## International Baccalaureate Career-related Programme

*The European Azerbaijan School  
IB World School*

European Azerbaijan School is a Candidate School\* for the CP Programme. This school is pursuing authorization as an IB World School. These are schools that share a common philosophy – a commitment to high-quality, challenging international education that EAS believes is important for our students. \*Only schools authorized by the IB Organization can offer any of its four academic programmes: the Primary Years Programme (PYP), the Middle Years Programme (MYP), the Diploma Programme, or the Career-related Programme (CP). Candidate status gives no guarantee that authorization will be granted. For further information about the IB and its programmes, visit [www.ibo.org](http://www.ibo.org)

## Moving beyond the classroom...

The European Azerbaijan School is proud to offer the Career-related Programme for students beginning in August 2024. This two-year pre-university programme adds another option for students considering an IB education at EAS. We are the only school in the Caucasian region to offer this unique learning experience for students. This opportunity is well suited for students interested in combining the rigour of an IB education with a career-related study focused on skill proficiency for career readiness. The Career-related Programme incorporates a qualification awarded by the long-standing, well-renowned Pearson Business Technology and Education Council (BTEC). Upon completion of the programme, students will earn an International Baccalaureate Career-related Programme Certificate. Students will also have the opportunity to earn additional certifications offered in each course of study. Students select the career-related study that aligns most closely with their anticipated career goal to prepare for their future success in college/university and their future career upon graduation in the pathways below:

## Career-related Studies

- Business

## Essential Elements of the IB Career-related Programme:

- A two-year career-related study, selected from the pathways above, developed based on the student's career interest
- Two IB Diploma subjects
- A Personal & Professional Skills (PPS) course to develop interpersonal skills, workplace readiness skills, research skills, and global perspectives.
- The CP Core:
  - Reflective Project (a research-based ethics essay)
  - Service Learning in the local community and beyond
  - Language Development to increase career marketability
  - Required IB and BTEC assessments to demonstrate content and skill proficiency
  - Opportunity to earn industry-recognised certifications for career readiness

Want to learn more about how the IB CP is benefiting students around the world?

Check out this link: <http://blogs.ibo.org/blog/2019/09/14/cp-making-a-difference/>

**Mission Statement from the IB:** The International Baccalaureate aims to develop inquiring, knowledgeable, and caring young people who help to create a better and more peaceful world through intercultural understanding and respect. To this end, the organization works with schools, governments, and international organizations to develop challenging programs of international education and rigorous assessment. These programs encourage students across the world to become active, compassionate, and lifelong learners who understand that other people, with their differences, can also be right.



## Learner Profile

The International Baccalaureate® (IB) LearnerProfile describes a broad range of human capacities and responsibilities that go beyond academic success. They imply a commitment to help all members of the school community learn to respect themselves, others, and the world around them. Each of the IB Programme is committed to the development of students according to the IB Learner Profile.

The Profile aims to develop learners who are:

- Inquirers
- Knowledgeable
- Thinkers
- Communicators
- Principled
- Open-minded
- Caring
- Risk-takers
- Balanced
- Reflective