

Guilford County Schools (GCS)

is pleased to offer a Candidate International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme (IB MYP) at Hairston Middle School.



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The IB MYP exists in more than 300 schools around the world. ■

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Hairston Middle

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STRIVING. ACHIEVING. EXCELLING.

Interaction

Areas of Interaction

These five areas are used to make connections between subjects so that students learn to see knowledge as an interrelated, coherent whole:

Approaches to Learning

Students learn to take responsibility for their own learning.

Community and Service

Students take an active part in the communities in which they live.

Human Ingenuity

(formerly Homo Faber-man the maker)

Students explore the processes and products of human creativity.

Environments

Students become aware of their interdependence with the environment.

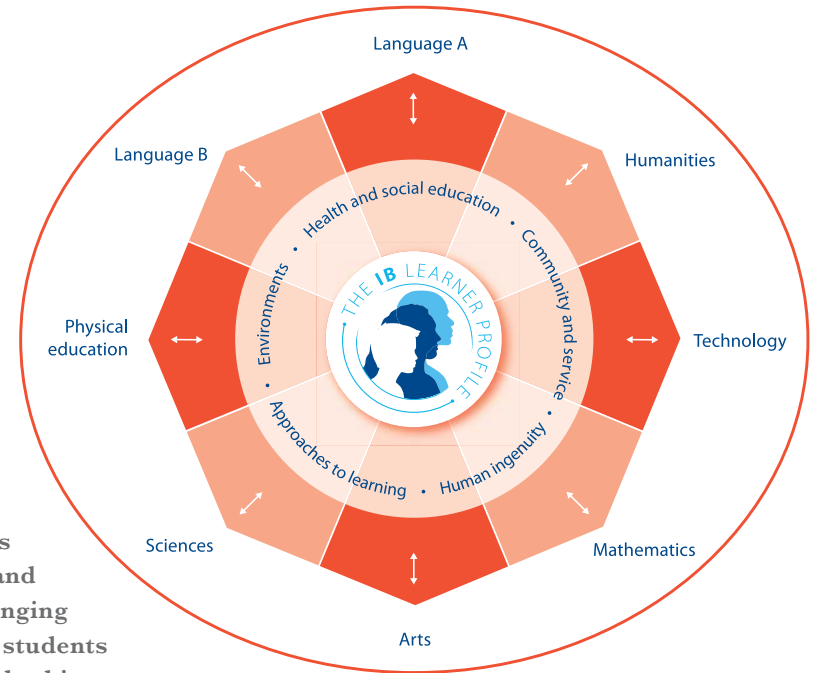
Health and Social Education

Students lead complete and healthy lives.

MYP Curriculum

Developed by an international team of educators, the curriculum combines challenging standards with creativity and flexibility. It offers an approach that embraces and surpasses traditional school subjects. Students develop the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and skills necessary to actively and responsibly participate in a changing world. As independent learners, students recognize relationships between school subjects and the world outside, adapt to new situations and combine relevant knowledge, practical and social intelligence to solve authentic problems alone or in groups.

The MYP works in collaboration with district, state and national standards to challenge and motivate students. Schools use the North Carolina Standard Course of Study and the MYP curricular approach to organize and teach units of inquiry. Students study subjects from each of the eight subject groups: mathematics, language A (English language arts), language B (Spanish), humanities, science, technology, arts and health and physical education through the five Areas of Interaction.



Preparation for the IB Diploma Programme

Since 1996, GCS has proudly offered the IB Diploma Programme for motivated high school students. The standards of academic excellence associated with IB make it a compelling option for many students. Students who complete the MYP are prepared to excel in the IB Diploma Programme in grades 11 and 12.

The administration, faculty and staff of Hairston gladly welcome you to visit our school by calling (336) 378-8280.

