

**CAMBRIDGE ASSESSMENT INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION**  
**IGCSE PROGRAMME 2024-2026**

Cambridge IGCSE is the world's most popular international qualification for 14 - to 16 -year-olds. It is recognized by leading universities and employers worldwide, and is an international passport to progression and success. Developed over 30 years ago, it has been tried, tested and trusted by schools worldwide. The curriculum is flexible, challenging and inspiring, culturally sensitive yet international in approach.

Cambridge programmes combine an emphasis on mastering subjects in depth with the development skills for study and work in the future. We value deep subject knowledge as well as the conceptual understanding that helps students make links between different aspects of a subject. We also encourage students to develop higher order thinking skills - problem solving, critical thinking, independent research, collaboration and presenting arguments. These are transferable skills that will last a lifetime, preparing students for their future lives. They also make learning enjoyable and rewarding.

**CAMBRIDGE IGCSE CURRICULUM**

The Cambridge IGCSE curriculum offers a variety of routes for learners with a wide range of abilities. For learners, Cambridge IGCSE helps improve performance by developing skills in creative thinking, enquiry and problem solving. It is the perfect springboard to advanced study.

Cambridge IGCSE develops learner knowledge, understanding and skills in:

- Subject content
- Applying knowledge and understanding to new as well as unfamiliar situations
- Intellectual enquiry
- Flexibility and responsiveness to change
- Working and communicating in English
- Influencing outcomes
- Cultural awareness

**CAMBRIDGE IGCSE SUBJECTS OFFERED AT THE KING'S SCHOOL**

<b>Subject Group</b>	<b>Subject</b>
<b>English Language</b>	<b>English - First Language</b>
<b>Languages</b>	<b>Hindi as a Second Language</b>
	<b>French - Foreign Language</b>
<b>Humanities and Social Sciences</b>	<b>Economics</b>
	<b>Literature in English</b>
	<b>History</b>
	<b>Environmental Management</b>
<b>Sciences</b>	<b>Biology</b>
	<b>Physics</b>
	<b>Chemistry</b>
	<b>Environmental Management</b>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<b>Mathematics</b>
<b>Creative and Professional</b>	<b>Information and Communication Technology</b>
	<b>Computer Science</b>
	<b>Accounting</b>

**STUDENTS MUST OPT FOR TEN SUBJECTS IN GRADE IX. THIS IS INCLUSIVE OF MALAYALAM LANGUAGE WHICH WILL BE A COMPULSORY SUBJECT AT THE SCHOOL LEVEL.**

**CAMBRIDGE ICE CERTIFICATE**

For further details, kindly visit:

<https://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/cambridge-upper-secondary/cambridge-ice/>

Students who qualify for the Cambridge ICE award will be placed in one of three categories:

**Distinction - Grade A or better in five subjects and grade C or better in two subjects.**

**Merit - Grade C or better in five subjects and grade F or better in two subjects.**

**Pass - Grade G or better in seven subjects.**

Another important benefit that Cambridge ICE offers is that students can demonstrate competence across a wide range of subjects and skills. Cambridge ICE carries greater currency in its own right in those countries where it is popular.

## **CAMBRIDGE IGCSE RECOGNITION**

Cambridge IGCSE is widely recognized by higher education institutions and employers around the world as evidence of academic achievement.

The Association of Indian Universities, the organization that awards equivalence to foreign degrees in India, has granted equivalence to Cambridge International A Levels, Cambridge IGCSE and Cambridge O Levels. This ensures smooth progression for Cambridge students who choose to study at universities in India.

For further details, log on to: [www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/recognition-and-acceptance](http://www.cambridgeinternational.org/programmes-and-qualifications/recognition-and-acceptance)

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## **THE KING'S SCHOOL INTERNAL EXAMS**

In addition to Formative Assessments, Summative exams will be conducted at the end of every term. Promotion to Grade X will be based on student performance in the above exams. Prior to the Board Exams, Mock exams will be conducted in November/December 2025 and January 2026.

## **CAMBRIDGE IGCSE ASSESSMENT**

Cambridge IGCSE assessment takes place at the end of the course and can include written, oral, and practical assessment. Grades are benchmarked using eight internationally recognized grades, A\* to G. Cambridge IGCSE examination sessions at The King's School occur in February-March.

