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2025-2026

ISB offers a balanced, challenging, and rich programme of study based on an internationally adapted British National Curriculum. This document shows the overview of the topics that Year 7 students will study in each term throughout the year*.

Topic resources and lessons are shared via class Teams and students use a combination of devices and exercise books to record their learning. To ensure that *Everyone Excels*, students receive regular feedback in a variety of forms to support their progress.

Subject	Half Term 1	Half Term 2	Half Term 3	Half Term 4	Half Term 5	Half Term 6
 English Literature	Poetry Study: Anthology of Asia and Prose Study: 'A Monster Calls' by Patrick Ness to be done on a class rotation				Drama Study: 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' by William Shakespeare	
 English Language	English Mastery Writing, Units 1 - 3: Mastery and application of grammatical rules.					
 Mathematics	NUMBER: Negative Numbers, Factors & Multiples, Sequences, Fractions GEOMETRY: Perimeter & Area PROBABILITY & STATISTICS: Averages & Data		NUMBER: Decimals ALGEBRA: Algebraic Expressions GEOMETRY: Angles, 2D & 3D Shapes		NUMBER: Ratio & Proportion, Fractions & Percentages ALGEBRA: Linear Graphs, Solving Equations PROBABILITY & STATISTICS: Probability, Using Data GEOMETRY: Symmetry, Volume & Surface Area	
 Science	7A Cells, Tissues and Organ Systems 7E Mixtures and Separation	7I Energy and 7B Reproduction	7F Acids and Alkalis and 7J Electricity	7C Muscles and Bones and 7G The Particle Model	7K Forces and 7D Ecosystems	7H Atoms, Elements and Compounds and 7L Sound
 Design Technology	Steady Hand Game Project (Electronics & Sustainability)		Thermoforming Project (Polymers and Plastics)		Board Game Project (Computational Thinking & Graphics)	
 Malay 1st Language	Tatabahasa: Binaan ayat, Golongan Kata, Kata, Frasa. Peribahasa: Perumpamaan & Simpulan Bahasa. Karangan (tidak berformat): Fakta Ringkasan & Fahaman		Tatabahasa: Frasa Kerja, Kata Adjektif, Binaan dan Susunan Ayat, Frasa Adjektif, Kata Tugasan. Peribahasa: Simpulan bahasa. Karangan (berformat): Surat kiriman Tidak Rasmi Ringkasan & Fahaman		Tatabahasa: Frasa Sendi Nama, Ayat Aktif & Ayat Pasif, Imbuhan, Jenis-jenis Ayat, Pola-pola Ayat Dasar, Cakap Ajuk & Cakap Pindah, Kata Ganda, Ayat Tunggal & Ayat Majmuk. Peribahasa: Perambahan Brunei Karangan, Rumusan & Fahaman	
 Malay Foreign Language	Semua tentang Sekolah Saya (All about My School)		Hobi Saya (My Hobbies)		Percutian & Pakaian (Holiday & Clothes)	
 Mandarin	He likes eating Chinese food very much.		Iced milk tea tastes good		The orange tastes a bit sour.	
 French	Family members and describing people		My likes and dislikes		Weekend plans and holiday plans	
 Spanish	Myself and where I live		Free time, likes and dislikes and family members		Myself, family members and weekend plans	
 Geography	Introduction to Geography and Map Skills	Global Biomes	Africa	Environmental Footprints and Sustainable Cities	Sustainable Cities and the Tropical Rainforest	The Tropical Rainforest
 Computing	Learning secondary school systems & Online Safety	Computer Theory: Computer pioneers, Hardware (Inputs & Outputs); binary conversions, Introduction to Software	Introduction to Computational Thinking and Coding in Scratch		Digital Literacy & Inquiry Project	Physical computing with Edison Robots
 History	What is History? Solving the Tolland Man mystery		The Romans		The Atlantic Slave Trade	
 Art	2D Art. Developing fundamental Art skills.	Introducing the topic Photography	Realistic still life Drawing	Analysing the topic Still life: applying Digital editing	Ceramics - creating pinch pot animals	Creating portraits in different types of media
 Music	Pupils will have introductory lessons on a range of classroom instruments throughout the year					
	Instrument introduction lessons - Snare Drum, Keyboard, Glockenspiel, Guitar & Ukulele	Battle of the Bands		Vocal Music covering voice types, musicals and a range of vocal styles	Showcase Performance, Individual Performance Assessment & Grade 1 ABRSM Music Theory	
 Performing Arts	Intro to Performing Arts, Flashmob, Y7&8 Performing Arts Showcase. DRAMA: All About Me Monologues		DRAMA: Commedia Del' Arte creation and performance		DANCE: Jazz Dance (Foundations of Jazz)	DANCE: Chance Dance (Intro. to choreography)
 Physical Education	Over the course of the year students will participate in a range of activities; Aquatics, Health & Well-being, Indoor Invasion Games, Interhouse Swimming/Football, Net Games, Outdoor Invasion Games, Personal Survival, Rounders, Softball, Striking and Fielding, Stroke Development and Sports Day.					
 Personal, Social, Health, Economic	Transition and safety	Developing skills and aspirations	Diversity	Health and puberty	Building relationships	Financial decision making
 Global Life Skills	Introduction to Secondary, What is GLS, Student Voice and voting, Target Setting, Well Being, International Day Preparation	Sex Education	Mental Health, Friendships, Bullying	Internet safety and Social Media	Respecting Differences, Eco, Hari Raya	Transitions, Team Building Projects

Every Term, parents will receive a progress report that outlines how the student is progressing. Progress and next steps are discussed at subsequent Parent Teacher Meetings.

*Please note that this is a fluid document and is subject to change depending on regular curriculum reviews.

