

# **IB COURSES OFFERED**

## **IB Middle Years Program (MYP)** Grades 9-10

**IB MYP English IB MYP Mandarin IB MYP Spanish IB MYP Indiv. & Societies (History) IB MYP Economics IB MYP Math IB MYP Biology IB MYP Physics IB MYP Chemistry IB MYP Physical Education & Health IB MYP Music IB MYP Theatre IB MYP Visual Arts IB MYP Technology & Design IB MYP Community & Service IB MYP Personal Project** 

## IB Diploma Programme (DP) **Grades 11-12**

IB DP Biology (SL/HL) **IB DP Physics (SL HL)** IB DP Math (SL/HL) **IB DP Math Studies (SL)** IB DP Lang. & Literature A (SL/HL) **IB DP Spanish (SL/HL)** IB DP Mandarin (SL/HL) IB DP Theatre (SL/HL) IB DP Visual Art (SL/HL) **IB DP History (SL/HL)** IB DP Philosophy (SL/HL) **IB DP Extended Essay IB DP Theory of Knowledge IB DP Creativity, Action & Service** 

# **RECOGNIZED AS** A TOP IB SCHOOL IN THE NATION BY

Newsweek

# **EMPOWERING** YOUNG ADULTS



INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE (IB) FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS

## Day by Day We Encourage Our Students to

- ✓ Become Independent Thinkers
- ✓ Build Community
- ✓ Develop Their Unique Character ✓ Explore the World at Large
- ✓ Reach Beyond Themselves
- ✓ Apply What They Have Learned

#### As a Westwood IB Student...

- You are part of a world class education system backed by a caring community
- You'll sharpen your critical thinking skills and learn to connect what you've learned to create new ideas
- You'll become a well-rounded young adult and graduate ready for success in the real world



# ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS:

- TAPPS 1A State Academic Champions (2016, 2017, 2018)
- TAPPS 1A State Speech Champions (2016, 2017)
- TAPPS 1A State Art Champions (2015, 2016, 2nd Place 2017, 2018)
- National Merit Scholars
- Terry Scholars UT Dallas

# 100% Acceptance Rate to 4-Year Colleges

#### **NEWSWEEK on Westwood's IB Program**

"There is no 'academic elitism' at Westwood for the school believes that every student should be exposed to the holistic richness that is the Diploma Program. Their academic results and college acceptances confirm that the inclusivity of Westwood is a successful educational model..." Newsweek Educational Insight

# FOSTERING Self-Confident Leaders



# **OPPORTUNITIES TO EXPAND & EXCEL:**

# Adventure Leadership Program (ALPS)

Each year, students grades 6-12 participate in an outdoor or urban adventure through ALPS, to extend the academic classroom into the real world. Destinations include Washington D.C., New York City, the Ozark Mountains and Big Bend National Park. These trips help to develop individual leadership skills and challenge students to expand and strengthen their mental and physical identities.

# Duke Talent Identification Program (TIP)

TIP identifies gifted children in grades 6-12 and provides them with opportunities and resources to support their development.

#### **International Excursions**

During the summer, The Westwood School organizes trips to Spain or China on a rotating basis. The Spain trip offers the ability to elect in coursework for humanities college credit, while the China trip engages students personally with students and families in various provinces.

#### **Confucius Classroom Program**

Created through a partnership with UT Dallas and Hanban (Confucius Institute Headquarters), Westwood has developed this program to provide Mandarin classes, "Ni Hao" summer camp, a Summer trip to China, a Confucius Library, Chinese Speech Competition and other cultural opportunities.

# HOW TO APPLY:

**1** Visit westwoodschool.org/Admissions

2 Schedule a tour with Debra Giorgini, Director of Admissions dgiorgini@westwoodschool.org or 972-239-8598

**3** Ask about our High School Scholarship program

# Athletic Achievements:

#### Track

Boys 4x200 State Champions Girls 200m State Champion Girls Soccer 2 students on First Team All-State Boys Basketball 2 students All-District Offensive Player of the Year Girls Volleyball Newcomer of the Year - District

# **CLUBS & TEAMS**

## ACADEMIC

Stem & Robotics Club Ecology Club Mock Trial Speech/Debate Model United Nations Mathematics

# ATHLETIC

Boys Basketball Cheerleading Cross Country Soccer Track & Field Girls Volleyball (Tennis, Swim & Golf Available)

#### EXTRA CURRICULAR

Music & Film Club Mandarin Club Yearbook Club Chess Club Rock-Climbing Club Servant Leaders Club Tiny Art Club

