

The Pre-IB at Worth

The Worth Pre-IB is a challenging and exciting course that prepares non-UK students for the full IB Diploma programme. Students must be prepared for an intensive year of study, which will lead to 7 (or more) IGCSE qualifications. Upon successful completion of the Pre-IB, students will proceed directly into Year 12.

The Worth Pre-IB programme is designed to:



Induct students into a culture of learning, both in the classroom and beyond



Provide students with the necessary IGCSE qualifications to enable entry into the Worth School Sixth Form and subsequently a British or international university



Introduce a broad co-curricular programme with elements of 'Creativity', 'Activity' and 'Service', in preparation for the CAS element of the IB Diploma



Allow pupils to experience and adjust to life in a British boarding school

Students will study the following subjects, with the expectation that they will achieve A*-B grades:



English Language
English Literature



Mathematics



Science
(Dual Award)



Geography

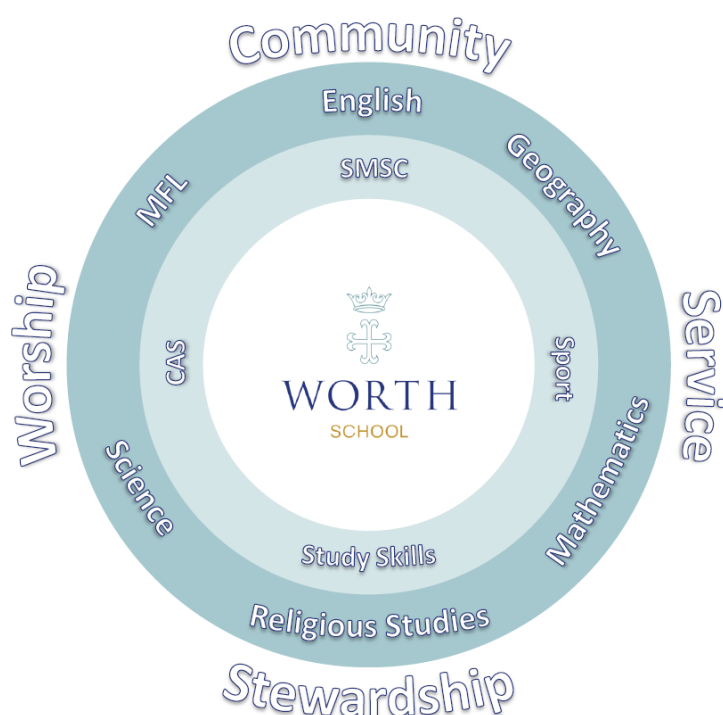


French or
Spanish



German

Integrated classes:	Separate Pre-IB classes:
Sport Activities (CAS) French Spanish Tutor (SMSC)	English Language English Literature Mathematics Science (Dual Award) Geography German Literature Religious Studies



All students will be allocated a personal tutor and will be integrated into a mainstream Year 11 tutor group in order to support their social integration. The SMSC (Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural) and study skills programme will be delivered through the tutorial system.

The Worth Pre-IB programme closely mirrors the structure of the full IB diploma. In addition to studying for the IGCSE subjects, they will be required to complete a set number of hours of activities with elements of 'Creativity', 'Activity' and 'Service'.

After completion of their IGCSE examinations in June, each student will be required to produce an Extended Essay on the Benedictine ethos of the school.