



International School of Siena

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Dear Applicant,

The International School of Siena opened in 2010 and has developed and grown considerably during the subsequent years. After a decade we are now an IB World School, fully authorised for the Primary Years Programme (PYP) and Middle Years Programme (MYP) and IB Diploma programme (DP), which incorporates the pre-university qualification for 16 - 18-year-olds. Learning at IS Siena is exciting and engaging, as students strive for excellence in a climate that is caring and responsive to individual needs and goals. Our global vision is coordinated by an outstanding team of educational leaders and implemented by our highly skilled and dedicated professional staff.

A growing and developing school that currently has over 200 students. We are a one form entry with small classes ensuring we provide personalised attention. Located a short drive or 40-minute walk from the centre of Siena, set in beautiful Tuscany. In 2019 the school moved to a purpose-built new campus as part of the next steps in its strategic direction. The campus provides modern teaching spaces with interactive whiteboards, a spacious indoor gym, Drama/Dance studio, Library, Music and Art rooms and two Science laboratories fitted out to the highest standards. Our Early Years spaces are specially designed to complement the Reggio Inspired teaching approach. Learning at the International School of Siena is an international experience with students from over 20 nationalities. It leads to a perception of the world that merges understanding of our global context with the development of skills and attitudes that young people require to participate fully in the world of tomorrow, both as national and global citizens.

The Board and I are committed to a comprehensive strategic plan to ensure we maintain the community family environment created ten years ago, but providing the school's Vision, Mission, and exciting journey for consistent improvement.

The school is part of the Inspired Educational group that has over 70 schools around the world. We work closely with the other schools in Italy and developing the networking and collaboration to further enhance opportunities.

We are committed to developing the students into global life-long learners, and pride ourselves on the teacher's interaction, commitment, and willingness to support every child in an inclusive environment. We are keen to recruit like-minded teachers who will assist in driving the school forward and contribute to the success of the school. We seek team players that are passionate about learning to provide opportunities for students. Teachers are given autonomy under the guidance of programme coordinators and we welcome innovative and creative candidates. We are building a collaborative team of professionals who support each other and have keen interests in sports and arts, as we continue to develop our enrichment programme. This is an exciting time to join IS Siena as the community are all pulling together to ensure the school continues to grow, thrive and develop.

I look forward to receiving your application and thank you for your interest in IS Siena. Yours sincerely,

Lianne Knibb Principal



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