

School Profile

2022 - 2023



**MARKHAM
COLLEGE**

About Markham

Markham College is a co-educational bilingual school with a British Heritage and a distinct Peruvian and international perspective that leads the way in innovation for education in Peru and South America. At Markham, we believe that people make a difference. Whilst we know that academic qualifications matter, we also acknowledge the importance of each student's holistic development.

We believe that success in life requires a combination of a meaningful contribution to society, the environment, family happiness, personal fulfilment, as well as professional achievement. Our care for children, their well-being, and their emotional, psychological, and physical development support their academic development throughout their Markham journey.

Markham in numbers

- Founded in 1946
- 3 Sections: Early Years, Primary and Secondary
- 1,900+ students in school roll
- 501 students in S3 to 6B (Grades 9 to 12)
- 27 nationalities represented
- 40% international teachers
- IB Student - teacher ratio 10:1

Curriculum

- Based on the UK National Model
- Follows Peruvian Ministry of Education Competencies
- S4 (grade 10) students take the Cambridge University's International General Certificate of Education (IGCSE).
- Preparation for IGCSE takes up 90% of the S3 and S4 curriculum.
- After S4, students can either join the one-year National Programme or the two-year International Baccalaureate Diploma (IBD).
- By Peruvian law, all students graduate upon completion of S5 and are eligible to pursue University studies.

Extra-curricular programme

Markham encourages students to explore their interests beyond the classroom. Our HELIX Programme (Holistic education, experiential learning, leadership, international citizenship and the X-Factor) allows students to develop leadership, social awareness and apply their learning through:

- Over 100 after-school activities: including sports, art, theatre, music and debate.
- A comprehensive outdoor education programme with yearly camps (ages 8-17), from the highlands to the rainforest.
- The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award.
- A robust social service programme, across many of our out-of-class activities.
- Numerous intercultural experiences.

Affiliations



Available subjects

Languages: English: English (S3-S6), IB English A Language and Literature (HL/SL). **Spanish:** Spanish (S3-S5) IB Spanish A Language and Literature (HL/SL), IB Spanish B (HL).

French: French (S3-S5), IB French B (HL/SL).

Social Studies: History of Peru (S3-S4), History (S3-S4), IB History (HL/SL), Geography (S3-S4), IB Geography (HL/SL), Religion (S3), Psychology (S5), IB Psychology (HL/SL), Economics (S5), IB Economics (HL/SL), IB Global Politics (HL/SL), Business Studies (S3-S4), IB Business Management (SL/HL), Personal and Social Education.

Mathematics: Mathematics (S3-S5), IB Mathematics AA (HL/SL), IB Mathematics AI (HL/SL).

Science: Science (S3-S4), IB Biology (HL/SL), IB Physics (HL/SL), IB Chemistry (HL/SL), IB Sports, Exercise and Health Science (SL), Environmental Systems and Societies (SL), IB Design & Technology (HL), Computer Science (S3-S4), IB Computer Science (HL/SL).

Physical Education: Physical Education (S3-S6).

Electives: IB Theatre (HL), IB Film (HL), Design & Technology (S3-S6), Music (S3-S5), IB Music Solo Performance (SL), Art (S3-S5), IB Visual Arts (HL), Food and Nutrition (S3-S4), Drama (S3-S4).

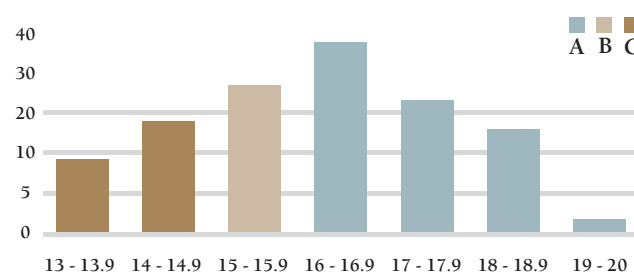
Grading system

Markham College ranks its students in deciles but does not provide a Grade Point Average (GPA). The ranking calculation is unweighted; the grades obtained in all courses are averaged. The school evaluates the progress of students using different systems. The Peruvian National 0-20 system has a passing grade of 11. IGCSE grades awarded in Grade 10 range from A* to G and the IB Diploma grades range from 1 to 7.

Estimated Grading System Equivalence:

Peruvian	IGCSE	IB	American
16 - 20	A* - A	6 - 7	A
14 - 15	B	5	B
12 - 13	C	4	C
11	D	3	D
0 - 10	E - G	1 - 2	F

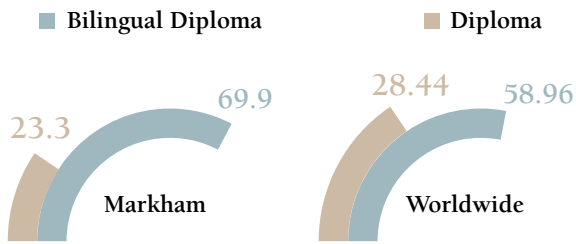
Class of 2021: Grade Distribution



IB 2021 Results

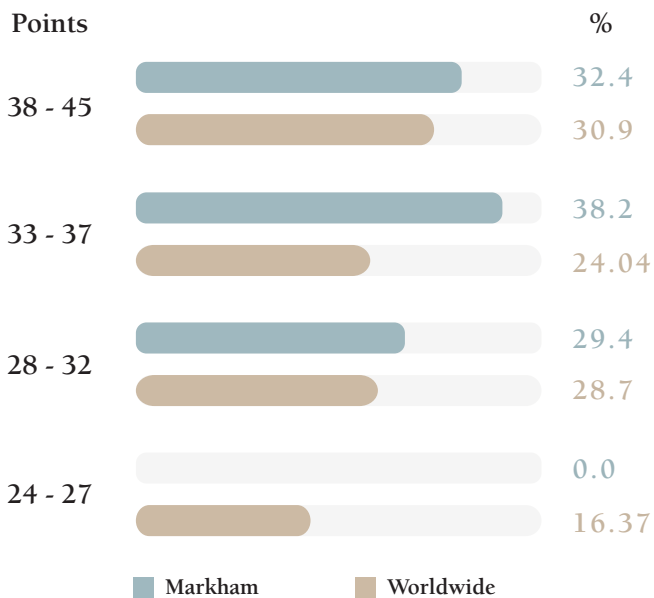
73 IB Diploma Candidates

PERCENTAGE OF DIPLOMAS AWARDED*

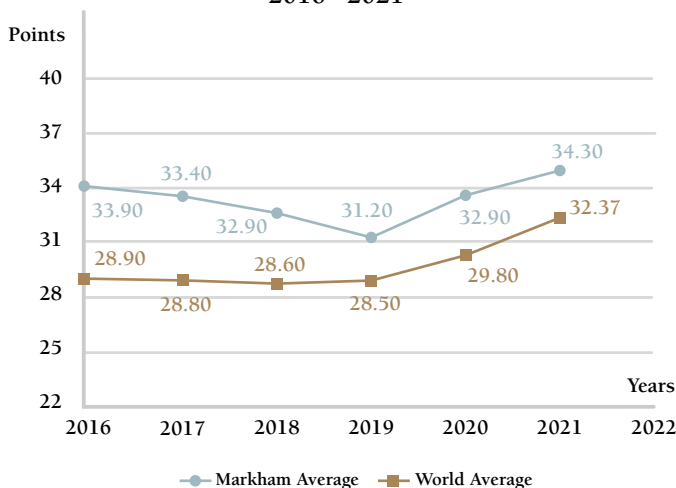


* Worldwide statistics are based on the IBO 2021 provisional bulletin

POINT DISTRIBUTION OF CANDIDATES AWARDED IB DIPLOMA



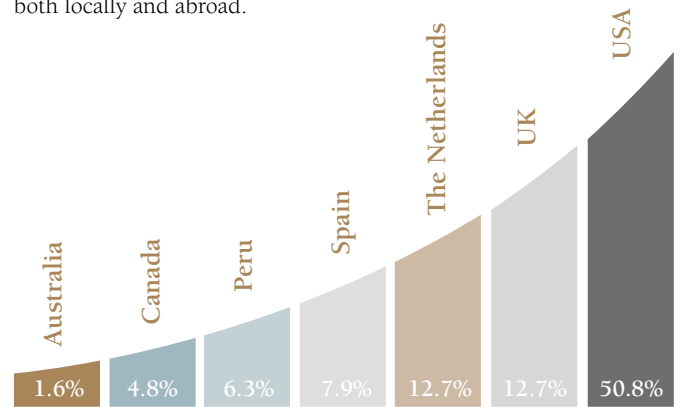
HISTORICAL IB MARKHAM VS. REST OF THE WORLD 2016 - 2021



University acceptance by percentage

Class of 2021 destinations:

99% of our IB Diploma graduates are currently attending university both locally and abroad.



2018 - 2021 Acceptances

These are some of the universities that have accepted our graduates in recent years.

Australia

University of Melbourne*
University of Queensland*
University of Auckland
University of Sydney

Canada

McGill University*
University of British Columbia*
University of Toronto*

Chile

Universidad Catolica de Chile

Italy

Bocconi University*
Marangoni Fashion Institute

Peru

Pontificia Universidad Católica del Perú*
Universidad de Lima*
Universidad del Pacifico*

Singapore

Nanyang Technological University

Spain

Universidad Complutense de Madrid
Universidad de Navarra*
IE
ESADE

The Netherlands

Delft University of Technology (TU Delft)
Erasmus University Rotterdam*
Maastricht University*
University of Amsterdam*
Tilburg University

United Kingdom

Cambridge University*
Durham University
Imperial College
King's College London*
Leeds University of the Arts
London School of Economics and Political Science

Manchester University*

Royal Holloway University*
St. Andrews University*
University of Oxford
University College London*
University for the Creative Arts*
University of Edinburgh*
University of Warwick*

United States of America

Babson College*
Berkeley College*
Berklee College of Music
Boston University*
Brandeis University
Colgate University
Dartmouth College
Emerson College*
Emory University
Georgetown University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Michigan State University
New York University*
Northeastern University*
Notre Dame University
Purdue University*
Rhode Island School of Design
Stanford University
Syracuse University*
The New School
Tufts University
UC Berkeley*
UCLA
UC San Diego
University of Arizona
University of Colorado - Boulder*
University of Michigan
University of North Carolina - Chapel Hill
University of Pennsylvania
University of Southern California
University of Virginia*
Vanderbilt University
Virginia Tech
Wesleyan University

* Indicates that more than one student received an acceptance letter

Covid-19 Impact

Markham College closed its campus on 16 March 2020 and shifted to full-time online learning. In 2020, International Examinations were not offered but IB qualifications were awarded as well as end of year exams. In mid 2021 there was a partial return to campus and most instruction still took place online. In 2021, both IGCSE and IB qualifications were awarded. We met the academic objectives for 2020 and 2021 with our students performing optimally. The students' transcripts were not affected. Onsite classes and activities were officially re-introduced in March 2022. After 2 years of lockdown, the school's main focus for this academic year has been the well-being and social adaptation of our students.

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