

What University Programs can I apply to after studying the IBDP at Haganässkolan?

With an IB Diploma from Haganässkolan, you can apply to most all Bachelor's Degree programmes, especially within the Social Sciences path, with any combination of subjects we offer. Depending on your program, it might be a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) or Bachelor of Science (BSc or B.S.) It's always best to check your desired program's subject requirements first, just to be sure!

One thing to be careful about is the level of Math. For Social Sciences in Sweden for example, you will typically need at least "Math 3b". In the rest of Europe and also sometimes in Sweden, you may need "Math 4". Our Math AI SL is equivalent to Math 3c and our Math AI HL is equivalent to Math 5. If your desired program requires you to have Math 3, but you take Math AI HL and pass with at least a 4, you will also get 1.5 merit points (in Sweden).

In Sweden, you will also get 1.0 merit points for English if you take it as your Group 1 subject. If you take a modern foreign language in Group 2 that is not English or Swedish, you will get 1.5 points if it's not ab initio. If it is ab initio, you will get 0.5 points. Again, this is valid if you pass with at least a 4 and if it wasn't already required for your desired program.

Here is a sample of some Bachelor's Degree Programmes you can apply to after studying at Haganässkolan. This is not an all-inclusive list, but a sample of things you might be interested in based on the subject we offer:

International Business / Economics / Marketing/Tourism:

We currently have most of our alumni studying at Swedish Universities in this field.

With all of these you simply need the Full Diploma and if there is a special course you need, I have listed it.

It stands to reason that Business Management is a great subject to have for these programmes (and is also quite popular), however, it is not mandatory: you could have and pass Global Politics or Psychology in Group 3 and still have the qualifications to apply:

- **Uppsala University**, [Bachelor in Business Economy](#)
 - Full Diploma with Swedish in Group 1
- **Lund University**, [Bachelor in Economy and Society](#)
- **Linnaeus University**, [International Tourism Program](#)
- **Linnaeus University**, International [Marketing Program](#)
- **Umeå University**, [Bachelor of Science in Business and Economics with a major in International Business](#)
- **La Salle University**, [Degree in Management of Business and Technology](#)

ARCHITECTURE/DESIGN/CONSTRUCTION

With all of these you simply need the Full Diploma and if there is a special course you need, I have listed it.

It stands to reason that Design Technology is a great subject to have for these programmes, Design Technology has become a very popular subject at our school recently.

- **Copenhagen School of Design and Technology**, [Architectural Technology and Construction Management](#)
- **VIA University College, Denmark**
 - [Global Business Engineering](#) Math AI HL needed
 - [Value Chain Management](#) Math AI HL needed
 - [Design Technology and Business](#) (Associate's degree)
 - [Graphic Design Storytelling](#)
- **La Salle University, Barcelona** [Architecture studies](#)
- **LinnéUniversity, Växjö**, [Design + Change programme](#)

Computer or Data Science, AI, etc.

Computer Science and/or Design Technology are great subjects to have in Group 4 if you want to study further in this direction!

- **Kristianstad University**, Sweden, [Bachelor Programme in Computer Science, specialization in Internet of Things](#)
- **GISMA Business School**, Berlin, [BSc Data Science, AI & Digital Business](#)
- **University of Europe**, Germany, [Digital Business and Data Science](#)
- **La Salle University, Barcelona**, [International Computer Engineering](#)
- **Temple University, Japan Campus**: [Computer Science, BA and BS Program](#)

Psychology

Psychology is a great subject to have in Group 3 if you are interested to study to Psychology, though not required. Psychology is another popular subject at our school.

University of the West of England, Bristol, [Bsc\(Hons\) Psychology](#)

[Cardiff Metropolitan University](#), UK

[University of East Anglia](#) UEA, Norwich, England

[University of Leicester](#), UK

Medical Path

The medicine path in Sweden requires Biology, Chemistry and Physics (which is an *irregular diploma*) as well as a level of SVE or SVA 3 (upper secondary level). We currently do not offer all three of those sciences, but it doesn't mean the path to medicine is impossible, especially if you plan to study in English, in another country, or in Sweden but within a longer time frame to master the language and acquire all of the courses needed.

In USA, you need a Full Diploma and it is recommended that you have Biology as part of your subjects. The path to medicine in USA is to complete upper secondary successfully, and then get a Bachelor's degree. After the Bachelor's degree is acquired, you can then apply to Medical school. The subjects you need for medical school need to be taken in University or College where you are doing your Bachelor's degree.

In the UK, there are medical programs with and without a foundation year. A foundation year can be done if you don't already have the required subjects from upper secondary.

One example is the [University of Leicester](#). The latest admission information for IB students is on their webpage and reads:

“We also accept the International Baccalaureate, for which we require at least 30 points overall, with 5 points each from 3 Higher Level subjects including Chemistry or Biology, and one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Maths or Psychology.”

At Haganäs, based on our subjects offered, it would look like this:

Biology HL, Psychology HL, Math AI HL

or Math at SL and English at HL, for example.

Plus three more at SL according to the program model and the offering.

A similar program is offered at the [University of Manchester](#), however their admission requirements look like this:



“37 points are required overall (to include core points) with at least 766 at higher level. If Maths and English Language are not offered as part of the Diploma, they should be offered at GCSE or IGCSE at grade B (6) or above. We accept both Maths options as part of the Diploma.

Major subjects must include Chemistry or Biology, plus another science (one from Chemistry, Biology, Physics, Psychology or Mathematics) and one further subject at Higher Level. We accept both Mathematics options as part of the Diploma.”

Human Rights, International or Development Studies

It stands to reason that Global Politics is a great subject to have for these programmes, however, it is not mandatory: you could have and pass Business or Psychology in Group 3 and still have the qualifications to apply:

- **Malmö University**, [Bachelor’s Degree in Human Rights](#).
- **Lund University**, [Bachelor of Science, Development Studies](#)
- **Universidad Europea**, [Global Bachelor’s Degree in International Relations](#)
- **Jagiellonian University in Krakow**, [Bachelor in Global and Development Studies](#)
- **Uppsala University**, [Bachelor in Peace and Conflict Studies](#) (in Swedish)

Here’s an article about why International Relations of a very important degree for the time we’re in now, as well as programs around the world: <https://www.bachelorsportal.com/articles/1981/international-relations-the-most-important-degree-of-2021.html>

Fine Arts/Design

Visual Arts is a great subject to have in Group 6 if you want to study further in the Fine Arts or Design. Complemented with Design Tech, Computer Science and/or Business Management and you have the perfect profile to take your creative skills further, including if you eventually want to start your own business.

- **VIA University College, Denmark**, [Graphic Design Storytelling](#)
- **Temple University, Japan Campus**, [Bachelor's degree with a major in art](#) The website states: *“Temple University, Japan Campus (TUJ) welcomes applications from students who have completed the International Baccalaureate Diploma. IB courses are extremely challenging and demanding, and they provide excellent preparation for university study.”*
- **Dickinson College, USA, Pennsylvania**: B.A with a major in Fine Arts, [Department of Fine Art and Art History](#)
- **University of Europe for Applied Sciences**, Germany has a number of degree options to check out. Examples include the following, but there are more.
 - Digital Interaction Design
 - Illustration
 - Photography
 - Game Design
- **Istituto Europeo Di Design (IED)**, [Graphic Design](#)
 - This school offers other options too that you might want to check out like [Fashion Design](#).
- **Lund University**, [Bachelor of Fine Arts](#)
- **University of Gothenburg**, [BFA in Metal Arts](#)

Scroll on to see where some of our alumni are now!

Where are our students now?

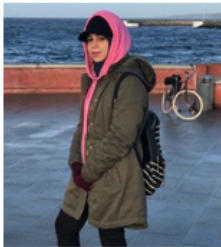
The students pictured all have one thing in common, they are studying Business/Economics/Marketing in Sweden.



Anton

- Subjects:**
- English Lang Lit SL
 - Swedish A HL
 - Business Management HL
 - Design Tech HL
 - Math Studies SL
 - Visual Arts SL
 - EE: Design Tech

Uppsala University
Campus Gotland
Bachelor in Business
Economy



Hala

- Subjects:**
- English Lang Lit SL
 - Swedish B SL
 - Psychology HL
 - Biology HL
 - Math Studies SL
 - Visual Arts HL
 - EE: Psychology

Linnaeus University
International Tourism
Program



Aulonë

- Subjects:**
- English Lang Lit SL
 - Swedish B SL
 - Business Management HL
 - Psychology HL
 - Chemistry HL
 - Mathematics SL
 - EE: Psychology

Lund University
Bachelor in Economy
and Society



Oliver

- Subjects:**
- English Lang Lit HL
 - Swedish Lang Lit SL
 - Global Pol HL
 - Business Management HL
 - Biology SL
 - Math Studies SL
 - EE: History

Umeå University
Bachelor of Science in
Business and Economics
with a major in
International Business



Fatima

- Subjects:**
- English Lang Lit HL
 - Swedish B SL
 - Business Management HL
 - Psychology HL
 - Biology SL
 - Mathematics SL
 - EE: Psychology

Linnaeus University
Marketing Program



Andreea

- Subjects:**
- Romanian A SL
 - English B HL
 - Psychology HL
 - Biology SL
 - Design Technology HL
 - Math Studies SL
 - EE: Psychology

Linnaeus University
Marketing Program



Additionally, we have students studying the following:

- Malmö University, International Relations
- University of Helsinki, Bachelor's Degree Programme in Science
- Durham University, English Literature
- Lund University, Chemistry Candidate Programme
- Jönköping University, International Business Management
- Umeå University, Bachelor of Life Science, major in Chemistry