

# International Baccalaureate (IB) Orientation Seminars 2009-2010

## Introducing INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE Programmes

Primary Years Programme (PYP)

Middle Years Programme (MYP)

Diploma Programme (DP)

The Minnesota Association of IB World Schools (MAIB) is offering IB Orientation Seminars, the newest level of training of the International Baccalaureate Organization (IBO). The seminar is designed for schools or districts that are exploring whether the selected IB programme is a good match for their students. The Orientation Seminar also provides an excellent overview of IB for new staff in existing Programmes. More information on IBO can be found at: [www.ibo.org](http://www.ibo.org)

### Who Should Attend?

Teachers, coordinators, school administrators and administrative staff, school board members, district personnel, and parents are encouraged to come as a team to explore the feasibility of bringing IB to your school and/or to inform your staff about IB.

### When and Where?

The Orientation Seminars for all programmes will be held on the following dates:

**October 30, 2009**

**December 4, 2009**

**February 5, 2010**

Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. Sessions times are 9:00 a.m. - 3:15 p.m.

Registration of teams is suggested in order to benefit fully from the programme overview and all breakout sessions. The registration fee includes breakfast, lunch and materials.

**Payment (by check) of \$175 per person must accompany registration.** Confirmation will not be sent out until payment is received. Early registration is strongly encouraged.

### Seminar location:

Minnesota Department of Education  
Conference Center B  
1500 Highway 36 West  
Roseville, MN 55113

Directions: <http://education.state.mn.us>

### Questions? Contact:

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### Agenda

- 8:30 a.m. Registration and Breakfast  
9:00 a.m. Introduction, Plenary  
10:00 a.m. Break  
10:15 a.m. IB Philosophy and Organization  
Noon Lunch  
12:45 p.m. IB Curriculum  
1:45 p.m. Break  
2:00 p.m. The IB Student; Q & A  
3:00 p.m. Orientation Closure; Reflection  
3:15 p.m. Adjourn or Team Planning

All travel and hotel arrangements are the responsibility of the participant or school.

For lodging contact:  
**Radisson Hotel**  
2540 Cleveland Ave  
Roseville, MN 55113  
[651-636-4567](tel:651-636-4567)

Airport Super Shuttle  
[612-827-7777](tel:612-827-7777)

Hotel Shuttle available  
from Radisson to MDE  
Conference Center

Seminar faculty is comprised of IBA leaders, Minnesota Association IB leaders, and experienced teachers in IB Programmes. Teacher and Administrator CEU's available.

Questions directed to: Marlys Peters-Melius, 651-784-2340, [mrmelius@comcast.net](mailto:mrmelius@comcast.net)

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### Minnesota IB Orientation Seminar Registration

Register me/us for:  **October 30, 2009**  **December 4, 2009**  February 5, 2010

Programme:  PYP  MYP  DP (Use separate form for each programme.)

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

School/District: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Participants: (additional participants on a separate sheet)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Fee: \_\_\_\_\_ Participants X \$175 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail checks only**, payable to **MAIB World Schools**, to: Marlys Peters-Melius, 5584 Dunlap Avenue N, Shoreview, MN 55126. *No refunds for cancellations within 10 days of seminar.*

**Registration deadline is one week prior to seminar date.**