



How BIS classes are organized, compared to other school systems.

For other systems not listed, please contact our Admissions Team

	Age in years	BIS class	UK	USA	India	France	Japan	Korea	Spain	Italy
BIS Primary School	3+	EC 0	Foundation Stage 1	Nursery	Pre-school	Petite Section	K1		Preescolar (3 - 5 years)	Scuola dell'infanzia (3 – 6 years)
	4+	EC 1	Foundation Stage 2	Pre-K	Lower K	Moyenne Section	K2		Preescolar (3 - 5 years)	Scuola dell'infanzia (3 – 6 years)
	5+	EC 2	Year 1	Kindergarten	Upper K	Grande Section	K3	K (age 7)	Preescolar (3 - 5years)	Scuola primaria 1
	6+	Grade 1	Year 2	Grade 1	Std. 1	Course preparatoire	Grade 1	1 (age 8)	Colegio 1 st cycle	Scuola primaria 2
	7+	Grade 2	Year 3	Grade 2	Std. 2	C.E.1	Grade 2	2 (age 9)	Colegio 1 st cycle	Scuola primaria 3
	8+	Grade 3	Year 4	Grade 3	Std. 3	C.E.2	Grade 3	3 (age 10)	Colegio 2 nd cycle	Scuola primaria 4
	9+	Grade 4	Year 5	Grade 4	Std. 4	C.M.1	Grade 4	4 (age 11)	Colegio 2 nd cycle	Scuola primaria 5
	10+	Grade 5	Year 6	Grade 5	Std. 5	C.M.2	Grade 5	5 (age 12)	Colegio 3 rd cycle	Scuola secondario di primo grado Yr 1 (age 11+)
BIS Secondary School	11+	Grade 6	Year 7	Grade 6	Std. 6	Sixième	Grade 6	6 (age 13)	Colegio 3 rd cycle	Scuola secondario di primo grado Yr 2 (age 12+)
	12+	Grade 7	Year 8	Grade 7	Std. 7	Cinquième	Grade 1	1 (age 14)	ESO 1 st cycle	Scuola secondario di primo grado Yr 3 (age 13+)
	13+	Grade 8	Year 9	Grade 8	Std. 8	Quatrième	Grade 2	2 (age 15)	ESO 1 st cycle	Scuola secondario di secondo grado Yr 1 (age 14+)
	14+	Grade 9	Year 10	Grade 9	Std. 9	Troisième	Grade 3	3 (age 16)	ESO 2 nd cycle	Scuola secondario di secondo grado Yr 2 (age 15+)
	15+	Grade 10	Year 11	Grade 10	Std. 10	Deuxième	Grade 1	1 (age 17)	ESO 2 nd cycle	Scuola secondario di secondo grado Yr 3 (age 16+)
	16+	Grade 11	Year 12	Grade 11	Std. 11	Première	Grade 2	2 (age 18)	Bachillerato	Scuola secondario di secondo grado Yr 4 (age 17+)
	17+	Grade 12	Year 13	Grade 12	Std. 12	Terminale	Grade 3	3 (age 19)	Bachillerato	Scuola secondario di secondo grado Yr 5 (age 18+)