



#### **Purpose Statement**

To educate the youth of the world to take their productive place as leaders in the global community.

#### **Our Core Values**

We believe in:

Respecting and caring for each other

being dedicated to a culture of Excellence

openness in Communication

acting with Integrity

being **Passionate** in what we do

creating **Enjoyable** environments



## ONE STEP AHEAD WITH TAYLOR'S

Taylor's International Schools (TIS) are the latest additions to the Taylor's Education Group and offer a global learning experience based on the highly valued National Curriculum for England. From Early Years to Secondary, TIS provides the best learning environments that are designed to enable students to be challenged in reaching their potential as well-rounded, passionate lifelong learners and purposeful leaders to stay one step ahead of the rest.

Beside academic achievements, TIS emphasises on character building grounded in the best of Eastern and Western values and also offers a strong foundation in English, Mandarin and Bahasa Malaysia. Taylor's International Schools have two campuses located in Kuala Lumpur and Puchong. Future expansion plans will see a Taylor's International School in every major city in Malaysia. These schools aim to be exceptional neighbourhood international curriculum schools and continue Taylor's heritage of excellence in education.



Taylor's Education Group (TEG) is one of the oldest, most successful and reputable private education institutions in Malaysia and the region. TEG provides an exceptional educational experience to over 22,000 students in Malaysia, Singapore and Vietnam. With its unsurpassed track record built up over the last six decades, Taylor's has earned the reputation for being the centre of excellence for Early Years to postgraduate education.

Taylor's University is one of Malaysia's most progressive and reputable private universities. It offers a comprehensive range of programmes from foundation studies to postgraduate degrees and professional courses. Taylor's provides diverse study options, relevant curriculum and teaching methods, on-going partnerships with leading universities worldwide, strong industry linkages, up-to-date facilities and a well-equipped campus to students from around the world.

The quality of the undergraduate teaching and learning at Taylor's was acknowledged when it garnered a 'Tier 5: Excellent' rating in the Rating System for Malaysian Higher Education (SETARA) in 2009 and 2011, by the Ministry of Higher Education Malaysia. Most recently, Taylor's School of Hospitality, Tourism & Culinary Arts was awarded the highly coveted 'Tier 6: Outstanding' through the Ministry's Discipline-Based Rating System (D-SETARA). Taylor's is the first and only university in the country to receive this prestigious recognition to date.

#### **A Leading Education Provider**



6 decades of educational excellence

9 institutions specialising in education from the Early Years to tertiary level

Over 22,000 students from 77 countries





42 Bachelor's degree programmes

55% students intern with top employers\*

Students intern in over 25 countries

Source: Taylor's University Internship Placement Centre 2013

\*Top employers are categorised based on FT Global 500 World's Largest Companies and Forbes Global 2000

Taylor's College is celebrated for its academic excellence and unbeatable track record in placing students in top universities around the world. It provides students with uncompromising standards of British, Australian and Canadian pre-university education. Having carved its name as one of the largest pre-university centres in the world, Taylor's College operates the biggest independent centre for Cambridge A-Levels in the world, as well as the most successful South Australian Matriculation (SAM) and Canadian Pre University (CPU) programmes in Malaysia. Taylor's has also introduced the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP), one of the most highly regarded international education programmes in the world.

Taylor's College was awarded the highest rating of "6-Star (Outstanding)" in the College-Based Category on the Malaysian Quality Evaluation System for Private Colleges (MyQUEST) 2010/2011 and 2012/2013 by the Ministry of Education Malaysia (MOE).

Taylor's Schools comprise some of the most reputable, largest and respected international schools in Malaysia and Singapore that groom over 5,000 students from over 60 countries to become lifelong achievers. These include Garden International School, Australian International School Malaysia, Nexus International Schools in Putrajaya and Singapore, and Taylor's International School in Kuala Lumpur and Puchong. Each of these diverse institutions is renowned for its teaching excellence and for the distinctive qualities of its graduates. In 2012, Garden International School, Australian International School Malaysia, Nexus International School, Putrajaya and Sri Garden School were awarded the 5-Star rating by the Ministry of Education Malaysia (MOE) for their outstanding performance in the Quality Standards of Private Education for Schools.

This strong academic heritage has positioned Taylor's at the forefront of Malaysian education. Now with our new offering of Taylor's International School in Kuala Lumpur and Puchong, we are proud to continue a heritage of more than six decades of educational excellence.



4 International Pre-University programmes with Taylor's College

More than 7,000 graduates

were accepted into the Top 200 universities of the world\*

6-Star MyQuest rating by MOE\*\*

\*Results based on record from 2006-2012 \*\*MyQuest 2010/2011 and 2012/2013













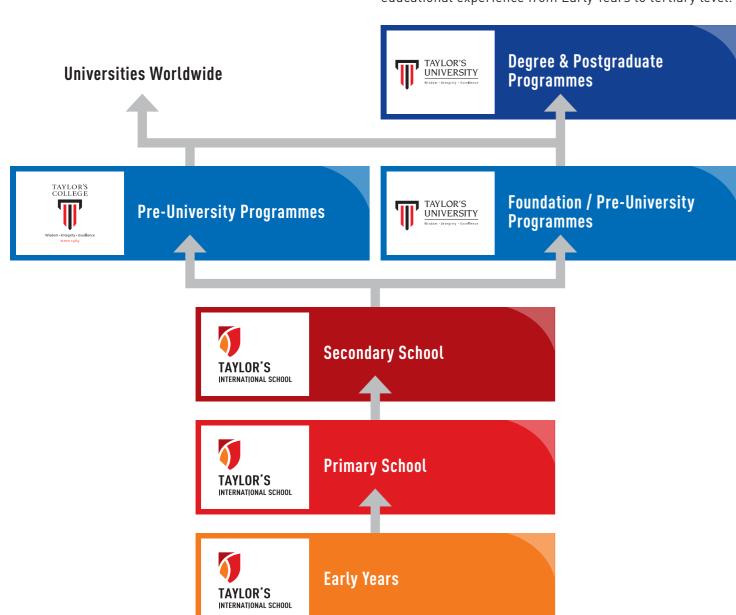
6 international schools in Malaysia and Singapore

Rated **5-Star** in the 2012 Quality Standards of Private Education for Schools by MOE\*

\*Latest results as at November 2013

## TAYLOR'S EDUCATION PATHWAY

TEG offers a completely integrated education for students. Together with Taylor's International School and Taylor's well-established higher education institutions, students can now look forward to a comprehensive and seamless educational experience from Early Years to tertiary level.



Taylor's International School students will experience many advantages in planning their education with Taylor's.

### THE ADVANTAGES

OF A SEAMLESS EDUCATION WITH TAYLOR'S

### Seamless Quality Education

A smoother education progression within TEG. Parents can have peace of mind knowing that their children's education is well-planned and taken care of. Early Offers

A head start for students in planning for their higher education with Taylor's College and Taylor's University.

Loyalty Privileges

Special privileges in terms of fee incentives, as well as attractive bursaries and scholarships.

Hassle-Free

A hassle-free registration process without the need for multiple applications.

#### **Your School of Choice**

Taylor's International School is your first step to an exceptional education that paves the way towards a successful future. Students will be assured of a holistic experience that nurtures them to achieve their full potential. Through the best teaching and learning practices conducted within an engaging and interactive environment, students will be equipped with the essential skills to take their productive places as leaders in the global community.

## TAYLOR'S DNA FOR SUCCESS

From Taylor's renowned heritage of educational excellence, comes a new blueprint for international educational excellence.

Students will develop valuable attributes to prepare them to be balanced, intentional individuals who will one day leave their indelible mark as leaders in the global community.

At Taylor's International School, our students will benefit from these exceptional programme features:

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Gain worldwide recognition with the prestigious National Curriculum for England.

#### Tri-Lingual Language Foundation

Get an edge with a strong language foundation in English, Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin.

#### Best of Eastern and Western Values

Learn values and qualities that lead towards responsible and exemplary character.

#### Learning Environments that Go Beyond

Experience learning environments that combine the best of innovative teaching and the finest educational facilities.

#### **Holistic Learning**

Explore comprehensive and balanced learning programmes that cover technology, art, sport and health.



## SCHOOL CURRICULUM

Our curriculum offers 4 key stages of learning, from Early Years, through Primary and Secondary.

FOUNDATION KEY STAGE

**NURSERY AND RECEPTION** 





#### **Early Years**

- Provides the foundation for Primary education
- Ensures that children develop intellectually, creatively, physically, socially and emotionally

#### **Primary**

- Provides the foundation for Secondary education
- Introduces students to a wide range of subjects

Taylor's International Schools follow the prestigious National Curriculum for England, which is highly valued worldwide. Education starts as early as age 4, and the curriculum culminates with the IGCSE examinations and qualifications at the age of 16. Our students are able to transition into pre-university courses around the world a year earlier than with the Malaysian National Curriculum.

We offer a stimulating and supportive setting, through a sound balance of academic excellence and opportunities for personal development. We have based the academic curriculum upon the National Curriculum for England but as an International Curriculum School in Malaysia, we are blending this Curriculum with living in Malaysia. Students will learn the best values of the East and West by mixing world languages, topics and culture, with those of Malaysia.



KEY STAGE

3

**YEARS 7 TO 9** 



#### Secondary

- Caters for the first part of Secondary schooling
- Makes students more independent with added levels of responsibility

**KEY STAGE** 

4

**YEARS 10 TO 11** 



#### Secondary

 Offers a 2-year IGCSE programme that culminates in the IGCSE examinations **EARLY YEARS** 

## FOUNDATION KEY STAGE

During the Early Years, the emphasis is on literacy to prepare children to read and write, with the beginning of a foundation in Mathematics. The Early Years programme is based on the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS) framework for England, which is enhanced with Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin. It is a foundation that nurtures positive, self-confidence in young children to help them develop thinking skills and achieve independence.

Seven areas of learning and development shape the educational programmes for early years. These areas are particularly crucial for igniting children's curiosity and enthusiasm for learning, and for building their capacity to learn, form relationships and thrive.









- Art and Design
- Bahasa Malaysia

- Communications Technology (ICT)
- Physical Education
- Personal, Social and **Health Education** (PSHE) / Agama

**PRIMARY SCHOOL** 

# **KEY STAGE**

In the Primary School, the curriculum builds on the Literacy and Mathematics skills developed in the Early Years. In addition to the core subjects, a thematic approach introduces other subjects such as Science, Humanities, Information and Communication Technology (ICT), Physical Education, Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE) (or Agama) and Art and Music for children as they grow older.

The Primary School programme is based on the National Curriculum for England. At Taylor's International School, Kuala Lumpur, this is enhanced by the highly regarded International Primary Curriculum (IPC) whilst at Taylor's International School, Puchong, the National Curriculum for England stands solely on its own. Both school curricula are supported by language training in Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin as well as using a thematic approach in many areas of Key Stage 1 and 2, which makes learning exciting and meaningful for children. Each school is consistent in focusing on personal, academic and where appropriate, international learning, which will prepare children for the world of tomorrow. Schools in more than 87 countries around the world use the IPC whilst many more countries employ the National Curriculum For England.

Key Stage 1 includes Years 1 and 2, with Key Stage 2 including Years 3 to 6.







**SECONDARY SCHOOL** 

## KEY STAGE ()

This Key Stage extends the learning, knowledge and skills of the subjects taught during the Primary Key Stages. Our course follows the National Curriculum for England, and is enhanced by international themes as well as language training in Bahasa Malaysia and Mandarin.

Students are now taught in subject groupings with the core subjects at this stage expanded to include English, Mathematics and Science. Students will also gain exposure to a wider range of subjects including History, Geography, ICT, Drama, Music, Art and Physical Education (PE) that are taught by different specialist teachers often in dedicated classrooms. This broad exposure to different subjects will help students discover different disciplines and develop their personal talents and strengths.







#### **YEARS 7 TO 9**

#### Subjects:

- English
- Mathematics
- Science
- History
- Geography
- ICT
- Drama
- Music
- Art and Design
- Physical Education
- Bahasa Malaysia
- Mandarin
- PSHE / Agama

**SECONDARY SCHOOL** 

## KEY STAGE 4

Our Secondary School Key Stage 4 programme is the two-year IGCSE course that culminates with exams administered by Cambridge International Examinations (CIE). These IGCSE qualifications are highly recognised worldwide, and place importance in content knowledge, application and skills. They are the equivalent of SPM, however with IGCSE, students graduate a year earlier than their SPM counterparts. During this Key Stage, students will focus on a selection of subjects that include the core subjects of Maths, English and Science, with the addition of elective subjects. The elective subjects include the subjects taken at Key Stage 3, as well as new subjects such as Business Studies, Economics, Global Perspectives, and Additional Mathematics. The selection will help students keep open options for career pathways, and provide the opportunity to gain nine or ten IGCSE certificates which will surpass most university or career requirements in the future.



Science is available as a co-ordinated course, which includes all three Science disciplines that qualify as two IGCSE grades, or as the three separate Science disciplines that qualify for three IGCSE grades. For students who have a good level of English, Literature is offered to enhance their studies



## NURTURING GOOD MORALS AND GREAT **VALUES**

Beyond academic excellence, Taylor's International School aims to instil good morals and great values in all of our students. Our character building principles are grounded in the best of both Eastern and Western philosophies. We train and encourage students to be exemplary leaders who are passionate and caring about the community around them, the environment and also to be positive influences in a growing global society.



We are committed towards achieving the following student outcome profile for each student:

#### Passionate Learners

We encourage students to be enthusiastic, inquisitive and to use initiative in their learning. We want to nurture a passion for learning that inspires them to be self-motivated, always strive for the best, know their purpose and seek out new knowledge.

#### **Global Citizens**

Our programme also exposes students to global themes that will give them a better understanding of the world, to be considerate of other perspectives, how their actions may impact others and the environment and how to contribute positively to enrich the world.

#### Respectful And Caring Individuals

Students will learn to respect themselves, the community and the environment. We will nurture qualities in students that will help them care for their surroundings and for others, to practice good manners and to pursue healthy lifestyle choices.

#### Responsible Leaders

Students are groomed to become exceptional leaders for the future. They will learn to be responsible and conduct themselves in an exemplary manner, to be productive and inspire the best in others for the greater good.

#### Resilient Individuals

We aim to produce confident, articulate and analytical learners who can embrace change in an ever-evolving environment. Students will learn to become focused, independent spirits who are enterprising problem solvers.



## SIX DIMENSIONS **OF BALANCED DEVELOPMENT**

By combining academic achievements and great character building, Taylor's International School strives to provide a holistic learning experience covering six key areas of development called the six dimensions of learning. We believe these areas of focus will better nurture lifelong learners, and equip students with the essential skills, confidence and knowledge that will give them an edge on the ever-competitive global stage.



#### 1. Learning Dimension Builds academic excellence and passion for learning.

Encourages sharing and discussion of ideas and applying knowledge outside of class.



#### 2. Social Dimension Cultivates a caring spirit.

Encourages an appreciation for community and to contribute positively to society.



#### 3. Cultural Dimension **Cultivates respect and appreciation for** diverse cultures.

Promotes understanding, integration and tolerance in a multi-cultural society.



#### 4. Economic Dimension Enhances business acumen and entrepreneurial skills.

Teaches fiscal responsibility and resource management through active participation in various activities beyond the classroom.



#### 5. Political Dimension

Promotes a global outlook and interest in world affairs.

Builds confidence in voicing opinions and hones leadership abilities.



#### 6. Technology Dimension Develops ICT and technical skills.

Encourages creativity and objective thinking in using the right technology to solve problems.



## A STRONG FOUNDATION FOR LANGUAGES

Taylor's International School students will be given core training in the languages of English, Mandarin and Bahasa Malaysia. They will be required to study the three languages in primary school, and will sit for the HSK (Hanyu Shuiping Kaoshi or Chinese Proficiency Test) in Mandarin. During secondary school, students continue their language studies and will undertake an accredited exam in Bahasa Malaysia as well as HSK Mandarin exams. We believe a strong foundation in these languages will provide our students with an advantage on the ever competitive global stage.



## BETTER LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS



TIS makes use of the best facilities and cutting-edge campus designs combined with innovative teaching methods to create nurturing learning environments that bring out your child's potential.



## Dedicated Teachers We share a passion for learning and teaching that focuses on the individual growth of each student.

#### **Challenge Limits**

We challenge students to question, form opinions and develop critical thinking for problem-solving. We dare them to go further, explore beyond and change the world positively.



We nurture a passion for curiosity and creativity, by making learning fun and engaging. Students become self-motivated and inspired to be life-long learners.



### Enhanced Facilities

We provide the latest educational tools, including ICT which enhances learning experiences and provides different perspectives to achieve innovative solutions.

#### **Cutting-edge Campuses**

We design safe and nurturing environments to complement learning that goes beyond the classroom.



## CAMPUS FACILITIES

TAYLOR'S INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, KUALA LUMPUR



to experience educational excellence at the heart of the nation's capital city. The school offers exceptional facilities such as a well-stocked double-storey library, science labs, multipurpose hall and performing arts rooms.

Taylor's International School, Kuala Lumpur invites students To promote the best in health and recreation, facilities include a sports field as well as badminton and basketball courts. A large cafeteria serves nutritious meals and students also have access to an infirmary and bookstore. We provide a conducive learning environment equipped with modern facilities and comprehensive student support amenities. With a greater array of facilities and modern learning spaces, students will benefit in their learning to reach their full potential.



#### TAYLOR'S INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL, PUCHONG



Taylor's International School, Puchong is a new purpose-built campus located at the centre of Puchong city. The location features an upscale neighbourhood with well-planned amenities, and is well connected to PJ, Subang, Cyberjaya and KL. Facilities at the school are designed to help enhance a nurturing learning environment. They include a well-stocked double-storey library, science labs, design technology labs and a performing arts centre.

For health and recreation, the school provides a sports field, tennis, badminton and basketball courts and a swimming pool. Other facilities include a 600-seat cafeteria that serves a balanced nutrition menu, an infirmary and a book store.

The School provides a nurturing learning environment. It is build on a 7.88-acre site with an environmentally sustainable design. The green design reflects our guiding values of respect and care for the environment. It is also designed for learning experiences beyond classrooms.



#### **TESTIMONIALS**



#### Kuala Lumpur Campus

"Taylor's International School is committed to delivering the three languages. I am very happy that the number of Mandarin lessons per week has been increased in the Primary school. This will help the students to learn more effectively."

Tammy Tan, Head of Mandarin, Primary

"Gone are the days where knowledge are limited and anchored by textbooks and four walls. In Taylor's International School, all barriers are removed to make way to healthy and proper nurturing of students minds. Teaching and learning is a different experience entirely where knowledge is explored and expounded. There are no limits to learning, so there should not be limits to the means and methods of teaching."

Tythus Tan Kien Sing, Teacher

"I like the student-centred approach to teaching. In Taylor's International School the students can explore their talent, intellect and skills."

Azlini Mohd Yusof, Teacher

"The school isn't the only one which underwent transformation, I did too. I am who I am today all thanks to the opportunities and guidance the school has provided for me."

Shameer Singh Randhay, Year 11L

"Teachers are very detailed, and I learn new things everyday."

Tiong Xin Jie, Year 5L

"I like how the teachers teach; the school is nice and beautiful."

Anthony Vikram Martin, Year 2L

#### **Puchong Campus**

"I enjoy coming to work every day as I get to see that the children here enjoy a variety of learning opportunities and activities, giving them a well-rounded holistic development. It's great to see the students improve their academic work as well their confidence through our comprehensive CCA program."

Mike Moreton, Head of Secondary

"I love this school, a fun-filled enjoyable environment for both learners and teachers."

Daryl Khee Meng, Year 9

"I never had a better school ever! Everything here at TIS Puchong is P-E-R-F-E-C-T! The teachers are kind, helpful and fun. Studying here is so much fun and it's great to be able to study in a comfortable and enjoyable environment!"

Ken Wang, Year 8

"TIS Puchong is constantly doing their best to make the School a more enjoyable environment. It has many high quality and well-maintained facilities. For me, studying in a good environment like TIS Puchong contributes very much to a good education!

Joshua Hew, Year 8

"I like my teachers and love the library...like the overall environment."

Tashahud Ahmed, Year 6

"The PE teachers are really good! Now I can participate in many types of sports activities."

Jack Oh, Year 6





