

# AICE



## What About College?

- 100% of Ivy League Universities recognize and accept Cambridge International AS and A Levels.
- Over 450 colleges & universities across the US have established policies regarding credit awarded for passing scores on AICE Exams.
- All Florida public colleges award credit for any passing score on an AICE exam.

## What Top Colleges are saying....

- "I value Cambridge preparation because the students we have received with that kind of preparation have done very well at our university. We like the fact that no matter where they come from, they come prepared."  
—John Barnhill, Asst. VP for Enrollment, Florida State University (FSU)
- "One of the things we find with students who have studied Cambridge International AS and A Levels is that they have a real depth of understanding of the subject matter that they have had classes in, and a real engagement with it. Those are some of the things that we find really help students succeed once they get to our campus."  
—Stuart Schmill, Dean of Admissions, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)

\* For more information please visit:  
[www.cie.org.uk](http://www.cie.org.uk)

## *St. Augustine High School* *Cambridge AICE Diploma Awards*

**Sixty-four Students  
from the Class of 2013 (67%)  
earned the AICE Diploma Award!**

**Since the Program's inception  
in 1997, 341 AICE Diplomas  
have been awarded!**



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## St. Augustine High School

### Cambridge

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### Cambridge International Centre

The Cambridge Advanced International Certificate of Education (AICE) offers a rigorous international **pre-university curriculum** and examination system which emphasizes the value of **broad and balanced study** for academically advanced students.



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- AICE offers internationally recognized college courses tailored to students' individual interests, abilities, strengths and future plans.
- High school students in Florida have been earning the AICE Diploma Award and succeeding on A and AS level examinations **for college credit** since 1998.
- The Cambridge courses are not only among the highest level, most rigorous courses available to students in the St. Johns County School District, but recognized internationally in over 160 countries.
- AICE courses are awarded an extra 1.0 GPA quality point for each passing grade. Pre-AICE = an extra .5 GPA point.
- Earning the **AICE Diploma Award** requires passing scores on seven college level exams.
- Students who earn the **AICE Diploma Award** and have logged 100 hours of community service qualify for the **Florida Academic Scholars Bright Futures Scholarship**. (SAT/ACT score requirement is waived.)

## **Cambridge AICE Curriculum Requirements**

Students are required to **complete** seven (7) **AICE** level courses **and** examinations from at least three subject groupings, **and** the Core:

### **Mathematics and Sciences**

- AICE Biology
- AICE Mathematics
- AICE Physics
- AICE Chemistry
- AICE Environmental Management
- AICE Psychology\*

### **Languages**

- AICE English Language
- AICE French Language
- AICE Spanish Language

### **Arts and Humanities**

- AICE Art and Design I & II (Draw/Paint)
- AICE Art and Design I & II (2-D & 3D)
- AICE English Literature I & II
- AICE US History
- AICE European History
- AICE International History
- AICE Psychology\*
- AICE Music Theory

### **Core**

- AICE Global Perspectives

### **Interdisciplinary & Skills Based**

- AICE Thinking Skills
- AICE General Paper
- AICE Global Perspectives Independent Research Report

### **AICE Diploma Award Requirements**

Students must **pass** a total of seven (7) AICE **Examinations** from at least three subject groupings, **and** the Core

## **Pre-AICE**

### **International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)**

- IGCSE provides students with a foundation for success at higher level AICE courses.
- IGCSE develops abilities including oral and investigative techniques, problem solving, initiative, and teamwork.

## **Fun Facts**

- AICE was successfully piloted between 1997 and 2000 in Florida (at SAHS!).
- 2005 SAHS AICE graduate, Nicole Ritsi, was the first student from the U.S. to be awarded a *Cambridge International Fellowship Scholarship*
- To date, 5 students at SAHS have received the Cambridge International **"Top in the USA"** award for scoring the highest mark in the U.S. on the Physics, History, Art & Design, and Thinking Skills exams.
- A FACTS.org study of H.S. Acceleration programs, showed **AICE and D.E. students earn the highest percentage of postsecondary (college) credit (98%)**.
- AICE students at SAHS enjoy participating in other academies, activities, and sports programs.
- For every AICE course on a H.S. Transcript, students receive extra points for college admissions decisions.