



Press Release

Enko Riviera International School achieves International Baccalaureate World School status

The Enko Education school Enko Riviera International School becomes the first school in Ivory Coast to offer the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme

Abidjan, 5 February 2019 – Today, Enko Riviera International School has become an IB World School, joining a community of 4 700 schools located in 147 different countries.

Enko Riviera learners now follow the International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme (MYP) from Grade 6 to 10, preparing themselves for the IB Diploma Programme already offered in Grades 11 and 12 at Enko John Wesley International School, located in Angré, Abidjan.

« We are proud to be the first school in Ivory Coast to offer the IB Middle Years Programme, shared Ginette Dalpé, Head of Enko Riviera International School. Thanks to the MYP, the school develops inquiring, knowledgeable and caring young people, who will build a better world through intercultural understanding and respect. » The school offers great learning conditions: maximum 24 learners per class, committed teachers who have themselves been trained and certified by the International Baccalaureate foundation. In addition, the school stands in an ideal learning environment in Riviera Golf.

« The IB has a positive impact on students, schools and their wider communities, as learning goes well beyond the classroom. It offers a unique approach to learning by encouraging students of all ages to think critically and challenge assumptions, so they can actively contribute to building a better world. » explained Cyrille Nkontchou, Founder and Chairman of Enko Education.

« Among the 13 African international schools of the Enko Education network, spread out across 7 countries, 7 already have the IB World School status. Enko Education aims at increasing access to high quality international education in Africa. By giving learners the skills, knowledge, and outlook to succeed in both their local community and in the wider world, Enko Education prepares its learners so that they can access the world's elite universities and achieve success in extraordinary careers. We value the IB curriculum in helping us to achieve this vision. », said Eric Pignot, Founder and CEO of Enko Education. Enko Riviera International School is the first Enko Education school to offer the IB Middle Years Programme.

About Enko Education

Enko Education is a network of African international schools founded in 2013, which aims to increase access to a high-quality international education for young people in Africa. Enko Education offers the International Baccalaureate education programmes to provide talented young Africans with the opportunity to gain admission to the very best universities in the world.

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