



SABIS® International School
Runda, Kenya



*Your Child's Journey
to Success Begins
with Us!*

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WELCOME TO SABIS® INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL – RUNDA

SABIS® International School – Runda offers an international, trilingual education to students in Kindergarten through Grade 12.

Our curriculum prepares students for IGCSE, AS, and A level Examinations and ensures students earn the SABIS® High School Diploma, which is recognized by colleges and universities in the U.S. and other countries worldwide. Our curriculum is accredited by Accreditation International, MSA, NCPSA, and the Kenyan Institute for Curriculum Development.

ABOUT SABIS®

Since 1886, students educated in SABIS® schools have earned a reputation of excellence. They consistently perform well above global averages on standardized tests and are accepted to and succeed at top universities in the U.S., Canada, the U.K. and the rest of Europe, the Middle and Far East, and Australia.

Today, SABIS® graduates are prominent members of society. They form a group of successful professionals who hold prestigious positions in organizations in both the public and private sectors around the world.



SABIS®

SCHOOL NETWORK

2024-2025

North America

Private Schools

SABIS® International School
Costa Verde, Panama

The International School of Minnesota
Eden Prairie, Minnesota, U.S.A.

Charter School

Holyoke Community Charter School
Holyoke, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

South America

Private School

SABIS® International School
Runda, São Paulo, Brazil

Europe

Private School

ISF International School Frankfurt Rhein-Main
Frankfurt, Germany

Africa

Private Schools

The International School of Choueifat
Cairo, Egypt

CADMUS® International School
Alburouj, Cairo, Egypt

CADMUS® International School
New Administrative Capital, Cairo, Egypt

The International School of Choueifat
City of 6 October, Egypt

SABIS® International School
Runda, Kenya

CADMUS® International School
Zenata, Ain Harrouda, Morocco

Asia

Private Schools

SABIS® SUN International School
Baku, Azerbaijan

The International School of Choueifat
Manama, Bahrain

SABIS®ULINK
Shanghai, China

CADMUS® International School
Al Nakheel, Baghdad, Iraq

CADMUS® International School
Iraq Gate, Baghdad, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Amman, Jordan

CADMUS® International School
Duhok, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Dream City, Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

CADMUS® International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

The International School of Choueifat
Sulaimani, Kurdistan, Iraq

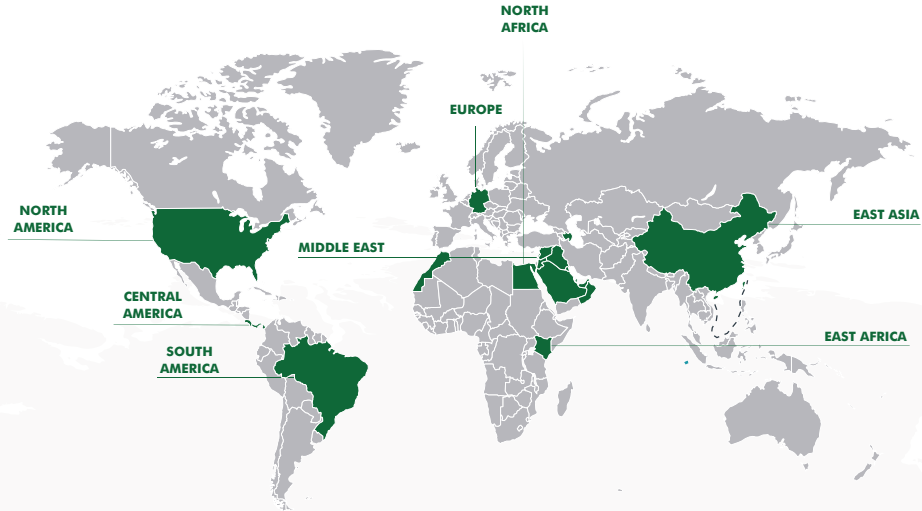
SABIS® International School
Adma, Lebanon

The International School of Choueifat
Choueifat, Lebanon

Leila C. Saad SABIS® School El-Metn
El-Mtein, Lebanon

Education for a changing world.

North America | South America | Europe | Africa | Asia



The International School of Choueifat
Koura, Lebanon

The International School of Choueifat
Muscat, Oman

The International School of Choueifat
Doha, Qatar

The International School of Choueifat
Damascus, Syria

The International School of Choueifat
Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Al Bateen, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Khalifa City, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Ruwais, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Yas Island, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Ajman, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Al Ain, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Dubai, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Dubai Investments Park, Dubai, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Ras Al Khaimah, U.A.E.

SABIS® International School
Aljada, Sharjah, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Sharjah, U.A.E.

The International School of Choueifat
Umm Al Quwain, U.A.E.

Managed Private Schools

Meltho International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

Jeddah International Academy
Jeddah, Saudi Arabia

Abdulaziz International Schools
Al-Sulaimaniah, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Abdulaziz International Schools
Al-Wadi, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Managed Public/Private Partnership Schools

Sardam International School
Duhok, Kurdistan, Iraq

Fakhir Mergasori International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

Sarvaran International School
Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq

Kalar International School
Kalar, Kurdistan, Iraq

Soran International School
Soran, Kurdistan, Iraq

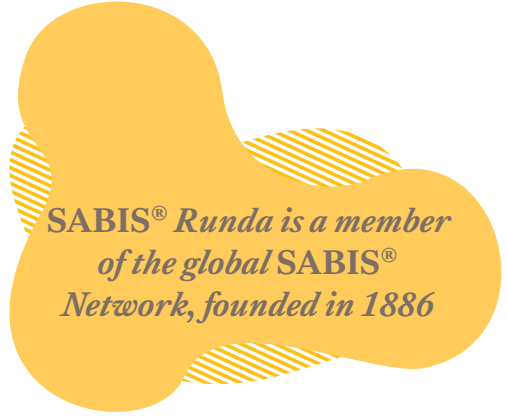
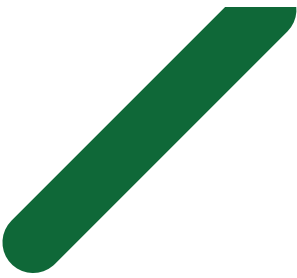
Suleimaniah International School
Suleimaniah, Kurdistan, Iraq

Zakho International School
Zakho, Kurdistan, Iraq

Military High School
Al Ain, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

Military High School
Al Dhafra, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.

Military High School
Al Dhaid, Sharjah, U.A.E.



*SABIS® Runda is a member
of the global SABIS®
Network, founded in 1886*

THE SABIS® WAY

SABIS® schools follow the SABIS® Educational System – an approach to education which has been tried and tested over 135+ years.

The SABIS® system is based on a well-structured curriculum, continuous assessments to make sure that students are actually learning, and ongoing follow-up and support.

Teachers in all SABIS® schools deliver their lessons using the SABIS® Point System of instruction – a proven instructional method that keeps students engaged and learning efficiently.

STUDYING AT SABIS® INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL – RUNDA

At SABIS® International School – Runda, students are encouraged to enjoy learning, engage in their education, and form a solid foundation for the future.

Kindergarten (KG 1 – Grade 1)

The **Kindergarten** program at SABIS® International School – Runda features daily world language instruction and activities that build a foundation for math, science, and language (English, French, and Kiswahili) concepts. To develop their young minds, students also enjoy a wide range of activities including arts and crafts, exploration, music, technology, and weekly physical education lessons. Non-native English speakers rapidly gain fluency in English, which allows them to follow and participate in classroom instruction.

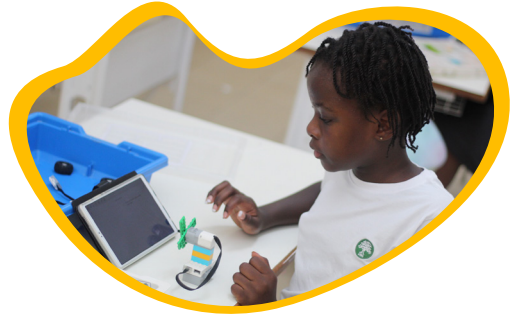
Our qualified, caring teaching staff are capable educators who provide developmentally appropriate guidance to young learners within a stimulating and nurturing environment.



Lower School (Grade 2 – Grade 4)

For our students in **Lower School**, SABIS® International School – Runda follows the SABIS® curriculum, which emphasizes academic, social, emotional, and physical growth. It is designed to establish a balanced foundation of learning in the core subjects of English, mathematics, science, French, and Kiswahili. It also includes instruction in social studies, art and music, STEAM, and physical education.

Students completing the SABIS® International School – Runda **Lower School** will have gained mastery of basic concepts and core knowledge and will be well-equipped to handle the more conceptual learning expected in later grades.



At SABIS® Runda, our younger students enjoy a safe and welcoming learning environment.

Middle School (Grade 5 – Grade 8)

Students in SABIS® International School – Runda learn through a challenging, well-rounded program that emphasizes academic and personal growth. The academic coursework provided by SABIS® is integrated, sequential, and age-appropriate in skills, knowledge, and values. Academic objectives include providing a well-rounded education based on a mastery of English, mathematics, French, and Kiswahili. The curriculum is also designed to develop students' logical reasoning and critical thinking skills, while generating excitement for lifelong learning. These skills are taught in a nurturing and supportive environment. The **Middle School** curriculum also includes instruction in science, geography, history, computer science, art, music, and swimming.

High School (Grade 9 – Grade 12)

The focus of the SABIS® International School – Runda **High School** is on continuing to build students' foundation of knowledge. Classes will include a broad base of traditional academic subjects and reflect the knowledge that ensures that students are college and career ready. Abstract reasoning and critical thinking skills will be emphasized in all disciplines.

SABIS® International School – Runda graduates will earn the SABIS® High School Diploma and have the foundation of knowledge and skills needed to gain admission to college or university. Our students will be prepared to take external exams including the International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE), SAT, AS and A Level exams in a variety of subjects, the American College Testing (ACT) assessment, and Advanced Placement® (AP®) exams, many of which are used to benchmark student acceptance to colleges and universities around the world.

The SABIS® Educational System is designed to help students achieve their full potential.

By choosing SABIS® Runda, parents know that they have chosen a school that is committed to providing a high-quality education and helping all students succeed.



A Level: PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING A* - C

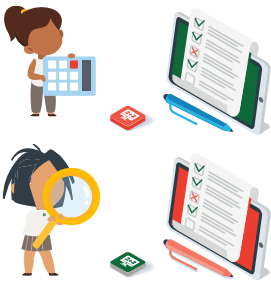


SABIS® Average
70%

Global Average
72%

SABIS® students consistently outperform global and national averages on standardized exams. Every year, SABIS® graduates are accepted to top universities around the world.

IGCSE: PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING A* - C



SABIS® Average
87%

Global Average
78%

Our first-ever graduating students (Class of 2024) have been accepted to top-tier universities, including:

American University in Dubai
American University, Washington, D.C.

Arizona State University

Bard College

Brock University

California State University, Long Beach

Cardiff University

Constructor University, Bremen

Hendrix College, Arkansas

International Medical University

Lakehead University

Rollins College

Stetson University

Strathmore University

The University of Adelaide

United States International University

University of Calgary

University of California, Davis

University of Illinois Chicago

University of San Diego

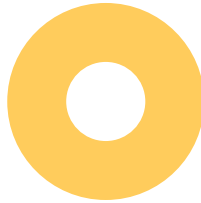
University of Sussex

AP®: PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING 5, 4, OR 3



SABIS® Average
80%

Global Average
62%



STUDENT LIFE AT SABIS® INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL – RUNDA

Beyond academics, SABIS® International School – Runda prepares students for success in life. The school provides countless opportunities and the right environment for students to acquire self-discipline, build self-confidence, and learn self-motivation skills. Students also thrive in an environment that fosters tolerance and strengthens civic, ethical, and moral values that stay with them well beyond the school years.

*Through the SLO, students
achieve new heights of emotional,
social, and moral growth.*

SABIS® STUDENT LIFE ORGANIZATION (SLO)

SABIS® International School – Runda students at all levels – Kindergarten, Lower School, Middle School, and High School – are encouraged to play an active role in every aspect of life at school. Through the SABIS® Student Life Organization (SLO), a mini society that is run by students for students, our students benefit from countless opportunities to develop essential skills and attributes, such as:

- Leadership
- Collaboration
- Organization
- Critical thinking
- Problem solving
- Lifelong friendships
- Independent learning
- Empathy and tolerance
- Communication
- Accountability
- Teamwork

SABIS® RUNDA PARENT SCHOOL ASSOCIATION (SRPSA)

Our Parent School Association offers an outstanding opportunity for parents to actively engage with the school, support key activities, and strengthen our vibrant community. Each year, a dedicated parent committee is formed, ensuring fresh ideas and leadership.

Within the SRPSA, various sub-committees focus on supporting student leaders in areas such as sports, community service, discipline, performing arts, and more. Parents have numerous ways to get involved, enriching both student life and school events while fostering a strong sense of collaboration and belonging.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

SABIS® International School – Runda offers students a wide range of extracurricular activities on state-of-the-art facilities that allow students to develop new hobbies and interests, discover new passions, and participate in numerous sports.

Activities include swimming, basketball, football, tennis, dramatic arts, music (ABRSM Exams, Trinity College drama exams and points, Martial Arts Grading), and more.

Students in all SABIS® schools around the world can also travel to England, U.K., for the SABIS® Educational Summer Camp that takes place every summer on the stunning Ashwicke Hall campus.



Ashwicke Hall campus, U.K.

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

Who is SABIS®?

SABIS® is a global education network with a long history that dates back to 1886. Today, SABIS® schools are present in 21 countries, on 5 continents, and educate students in both the private and public sectors.

SABIS® schools are dedicated to providing students with a top-quality international education through the implementation of the SABIS® Educational System, a 360° approach to education that places students on the path to success.

Our students have a long track record of acceptance to top universities worldwide. In 2023, SABIS® schools around the world graduated over 2,021 students, who all gained acceptance to university, including those ranked among the top 20, 100, and 200 globally.



What is the SABIS® educational philosophy?

The SABIS® Philosophy is based on three important tenets. We believe that:

- A university education should be accessible to almost all students, not just a select few.
- Admission to any SABIS® school should be conducted through a non-selective admissions process.
- The success of a school should be measured by the value it adds to each student.

What is the SABIS® Educational System?

The SABIS® Educational System has proven itself for more than 135 years and is built on **6 important pillars**:

1. The curriculum:

Students in SABIS® schools follow a dynamic, rigorous, international curriculum that gives them the strong foundation of knowledge and skills they will need to achieve future success.

The curriculum is aligned to national and international standards and prepares students for external exams, such as the American Advanced Placement® (AP®) or the British IGCSE, as well as AS and A Level exams.

2. SABIS® Book Series:

Students in all SABIS® schools use books that have been specifically written and developed for them. This allows students to follow a natural, sequential progression as they build their knowledge base.

The SABIS® Book Series is specifically tailored for every grade level and subject and is aligned with national and international requirements, effectively preparing students for a wide range of external examinations.

The SABIS® Book series includes over 2,800 books in both electronic (e-books) and traditional formats.

In addition, bilingual books (in English, French, and Kiswahili) will be available for all grades in Math and Science, allowing local students to transition into our system even if they have a lower level of English.

Students in Grade 3 upwards will have access to our book series in an electronic format, allowing them to use the technological systems to improve their learning in and outside of school.

3. Teaching Methods:

Teachers in all SABIS® schools deliver their lessons using the SABIS® Point System of instruction. The SABIS® Point System is a proven instructional method that keeps students engaged and learning efficiently, through the use of interactive flipcharts, paced content, and the Integrated Learning System (ILS).

Every instructional period has distinct learning objectives to be met and includes opportunities for students to work independently and in groups under their teacher's guidance.

4. Testing and Monitoring:

SABIS® schools use regular assessment to help students build a solid foundation of knowledge, particularly in the subjects of English and math, as well as world languages in some schools. In SABIS® schools, what we teach in one week, we test in the next.

Informative and summative examinations occur regularly throughout the school year, mainly AMS, Periodic, and Homework exams. Exams are generally computer-based, using the SABIS® Integrated Testing and Learning (ITL).

5. Follow-up and Support:

The progress of every student is continuously monitored through a series of regular tests. In addition to praise and encouragement, students are given the support they need. All available means are used to help those students who fall behind. Students are advised on study techniques, motivated by the academic staff, and encouraged by receiving help from peer tutors or teachers.

6. SABIS® Student Life Organization (SLO):

Students in SABIS® schools are encouraged to take an active part in their school and lead an engaging and meaningful social life. This is done through the SABIS® Student Life Organization or SLO, which is the beating heart of every SABIS® school.

Through the SLO, students benefit from many opportunities for academic, emotional, social, and moral growth. Students also develop essential 21st century skills through real-life experiences.



What is the international academic calendar adopted?

The academic year starts in September and ends in June.

It will cover 180 instructional days spread over 3 terms. Each term will have End of Term summary academic results.

Why should a parent choose SABIS® Runda?

As the world becomes more and more competitive, parents are more aware than ever of the importance of choosing the right school for their children. By choosing SABIS® Runda, parents can rest assured that they have chosen a school that is committed to providing a top-quality education that helps all students achieve their full potential.

SABIS® Runda will offer your children an international, trilingual education in a safe and nurturing environment. Our curriculum follows the local Kenyan education regulations, offering a fully integrated international and national program allowing students to choose to go to university locally or abroad.

How does SABIS® accommodate student's language needs?

We have an intensive language program that helps students to develop their language skills within their proficiency level. Based on the results of their diagnostic tests, we will engage them on the path they need to improve as fast and as efficiently as possible through intense support within the classroom or pull out lessons.

Will international students be integrated with all the other students?

Every student at SABIS® is treated the same way regardless of their race or nationality. Opportunities are offered to all students, which support them tremendously when engaging in the local habits, culture, and language. We believe everyone is part of our school community and consequently we work very hard to integrate every member equally. There are many activities that support this environment like our Student Life Organization, which makes sure all of this is brought to life.

If you would like to know more about SABIS® International School – Runda, please contact us.

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