

ST JOSEPH'S INSTITUTION INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL MALAYSIA (TROPICANA PJ CAMPUS)

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SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAMME Information for Applicants





SJII MALAYSIA

St. Joseph's Institution International Malaysia (SJII Malaysia) opened its doors to students in August 2016 with 450 students and has now grown to 750 students in total in its third year. Over the past 3 rounds of scholarship offerings, more than 60 scholarships have been awarded to deserving students planning to take the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme in our school. We can already see the potential in our students to be leaders in the fields they aim to pursue upon graduation and we have high hopes for their success in the future. From our graduated cohort in 2017, we had 2 students obtain a result of 44 out of 45 and over 30% of the cohort scored 40 points and above. Among our scholars, we have 46% of them going on to receive scholarships from foreign universities.

SJII Malaysia was established by alumni of SJI Singapore. The aim being to remain true to the mission of the Founder, St. John Baptist De La Salle: the provision of quality values-based, holistic education for the young. Instilling the core values of Faith, Service and Community is at the heart of this institution producing servant-leaders in the society. To teach minds, touch hearts and transform lives is the main goal of SJII Malaysia and we do hope that every member of our community enters to learn and leaves to serve.



Vision

To be an international school of choice, recognized for values-centred education and learning driven by passion that nurtures persons who make a difference to society.

We are committed to developing our students to become thinking and caring global citizens who are at the same time securely rooted in their community, share common values and have genuine spiritual awareness.



Mission

Enabling youth to learn how to learn, and to learn how to live, empowering them to become people of integrity and people for others.



Lasallian Connection

Underpinning all we do is the ethos of the 330-year Catholic educational tradition of the De La Salle Brothers (named after St. John Baptist de La Salle, Founder and Patron Saint of Teachers) with its network of over 900 Lasallian educational institutions in 80 countries, including 67 universities. In addition to our students being prepared to do well academically for their International Baccalaureate Diploma studies, students will have the opportunity to discover their interests and talents in a caring, respectful and inclusive community which strongly emphasizes character, service and leadership development. The school has Lasallian Brothers in residence to provide support and auidance to students.



Students who leave SJII Malaysia will be:

Lifelong learners who are resilient, creative, problem solvers, adaptable and risk takers. **Equipped with life skills,** which will ensure they are respectful, thoughtful, caring and compassionate

Internationally minded, with a sense of community and engagement; celebrating diversity; taking positive action and having global awareness.

WHAT WE OFFER



The International Baccalaureate Diploma.

The IBDP is widely recognised as one of the world's most challenging educational programmes. It focuses on personal, social and academic development and is globally recognised by leading universities for the holistic and rigorous education it provides. Success in the IBDP offers students the opportunity to gain access to the best universities in the world.





Nurturing and Caring Teachers.

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As a Lasallian school, all students have many opportunities to participate in service learning locally and in the region so that they can make a difference in the lives of others.

University Counselling Services

Our University Counsellor provides guidance on the selection of the subject choices that will lead our students to the tertiary institutions and university courses of their choice. The university counsellor assists in their application to tertiary scholarships and meetings, conversations and discussions with SJII Singapore past scholars on their IBDP and tertiary experiences.

Lasallian Leadership Training in the Philippines

All SJII Malaysia scholars will undergo an established immersion programme in the Philippines where they will receive Lasallian Formation, Lasallian Leadership Training and be involved in service activities among the less fortunate in society. They will return to be senior leaders of SJII Malaysia upon completion of the programme.

A SCHOLAR'S REFLECTION

Having joined SJI in its founding year, I have seen the school flourish with new talents, new activities and new environments

I am very grateful to have received a scholarship from SJIIM as it has given me the chance to study the vigorous yet prestigious IB diploma programme that I would not have been able to afford otherwise. It has also enabled me to study in a school that emphasises Lasallian core values and taught me how to be empathetic.

As scholars, we were given the golden opportunity to carry out service projects in the Philippines. This was a very unique experience for me as I could interact with children who spoke a language I, along with many of my peers, could not understand. The language barrier made it very difficult for us to communicate with the children and forced us to step out of our comfort zones. Instead of communicating through speech, we resorted to hand gestures. Luckily, we had a classmate from the Philippines who aided us in our communication. This valuable volunteering experience helped to reinforce the service part of the Lasallian core values and encouraged us to do more to give back to the community.

Since its inception, the school has been very open to new ideas and student-initiated activities. Activities such as the Christmas concert, themed assemblies and competitions were mostly student-led, with guidance from supportive teachers, Principals and Brothers making each event a success. These activities give students opportunities to organise events and to gather important leadership experiences.

To foster an inclusive community, the Student Representative Council successfully set up a whole school House System so that students of different year groups could come together during house events and get to know each other better. Festival assemblies are also held so that students can be exposed to various cultures and accept and treat each other as brothers and sisters despite their diverse backgrounds.

Overall, the schooling experience in SJIIM was a unique and enriching one. The various opportunities provided at SJIIM have enabled me to try various activities and helped me grow as a person.

Song-Ling Yip 2019 IBDP SCHOLAR S IIIM



St Joseph's Institution International Malaysia offers scholarships to students entering Year 12 in August 2019.

Merit-based and means-tested Scholarships are awarded based on:

- SJII Malaysia's Scholarship assessment
- an interview with the Scholarship Panel
- a written personal statement
- the student's current school academic records
- an endorsement from the Principal of the applicant's current school
- Amount awarded is usually based on the financial details provided

These scholarships cover all or part of the application fee, enrolment fee, security deposit and tuition fees for 2 years according to the percentage of the award. The scholarships are normally within a range of 25% - 100%.



Applications close on Sunday, 27th January 2019.
Scholarship tests will take place on Saturday, 9th February 2019.
Shortlisted applicants will be notified on Friday, 15th February 2019.
Shortlisted applicants will attend a selection interview on Saturday, 16th February 2019.
You can expect to know the results two days after the interviews.
Attend Lasallian camp in August 2019.

To download the application form please visit our website at:

http://www.sji-international.edu.my/information-for-parents/ib-scholarship-programme

Full applications should be emailed to **scholarships@sji-international.edu.my** and include:

- A completed Scholarship Application Form, signed by your parent or guardian
- Personal Statement
- Copies of official school transcripts for the past 3 years
- One recent passport sized photograph (digitally attached to the application form)
- Endorsement from the Principal of your current school
- Financial details (Income Tax Filing Receipt)
- A copy of your latest passport/IC

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