



Bangkok Patana School
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November 6th, 2023

Meeting: Developments in the Secondary World Languages Curriculum

Date & Time: November 13th, 2024, 8:00am

Venue: Primary Hall

Audience: For parents of children in Year 5 and 6

Dear Parents,

We would like to invite you to a presentation about the World Languages provision in the Secondary School at Bangkok Patana.

This 45-minute session will explain the updated **Secondary language pathways** and explain how our curriculum will build upon learning in the Primary School as students journey through to Year 13. The presentation will include an explanation of the language requirements for the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP), which many of our students follow in Years 12 and 13.

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We will also share details of **recent developments** in the Secondary language curriculum, which have provided greater opportunities for students to study their home languages. Additionally, we will outline our plans to enhance the language pathway through to the IBDP by consolidating curriculum time for language learning, aiming to improve fluency and proficiency.

We will discuss pathways for:

- Modern Foreign Language Programme
- Thai Programme
- Other Home Languages at Patana

We will also explain how support is provided alongside our curriculum, specifically for:

- English as Additional Language (EAL)
- Support for Learning

This meeting is for an audience of parents with children in Years 5 and 6 who are beginning to consider the transition from Primary to Secondary School. A subsequent meeting will take place for parents with younger children in Term 2.

Please complete the [RSVP form](#) below by Monday, November 11th, to indicate your attendance and submit any questions in advance.

With kind regards,

Matt Seddon
Secondary Principal

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