



# Cambridge AICE Diploma Program Application



Please read and follow the (3) steps below:

1. Using black or blue ink, please fill out the application form and sign the *Student Agreement* page.
2. Write a standard five-paragraph essay. This essay is a very important part of your application. The committee would like to get to know you as a student and person. The length should be 2-3 pages. It may be typed or handwritten.

Prompt: What are your future goals and how can the Cambridge AICE program help you achieve them? What qualities do you possess that make you a great candidate for the Cambridge AICE Program?

3. Please submit this application and essay to the front desk (fish bowl) at MSA or by email to Mrs. Jane Simon at [jsimon@msaschool.org](mailto:jsimon@msaschool.org).

## Eligibility Requirements

Acceptance into the MSA Cambridge AICE Program is contingent upon state assessment (or other standardized testing) scores, grade point average, discipline/attendance record, and successful completion of the application and essay. Students must have a 2.75 GPA and on level (3 or higher) on the state ELA & Math assessments, or comparable national exams. Out of state students will need to include the most recent standardized test scores and a transcript of their grades/GPA.

## Cambridge AICE Diploma Requirements:

1. Take at least (7) AICE Courses (Global Perspectives course required)
2. Take all the end of course exams and pass.
3. Follow Course progression plan.
4. Maintain 2.75 GPA & a minimum of a C average for all classes.

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*Application Form*

Student's Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First MI

Incoming Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_  
(MM/DD/YYYY)

Current 2023-2024 School: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Father/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Full Name of Mother/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_



Cambridge Assessment  
International Education

Cambridge International School

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## *Student Agreement*

AICE is a rigorous international curriculum and examination program that prepares students to enter college, provides them with the skills required to be successful once there and once earned, and qualifies students for the Florida Academic Bright Futures Scholarship. It also offers students the opportunity to tailor their needs to their individual interests, abilities and future plans within an international curriculum framework. The program is designed for academically motivated students and requires hard work and a desire to be challenged.

An MSA Cambridge AICE student is someone who:

- Loves learning
- Has a good work ethic, completes assignments, and meets deadlines
- Enjoys being challenged academically
- Follows through with course expectations and tasks
- Studies and practices for assessments
- Is self-motivated
- Can work independently and collaboratively with others
- Balances academics with arts to build creative thinking skills and pursue self-discovery
- Has good time management skills
- Has academic integrity

For an MSA Cambridge AICE student to successfully earn the Cambridge AICE Diploma, it is necessary for the Student/Parent/Guardian to agree to the following:

1. I agree to follow the MSA Student Code of Conduct
2. I certify that all student work submitted will be the student's own work and done by his/her own hand. Any quotations and ideas from the work of others will be acknowledged by proper citing.
3. I agree to take at least seven (7) Cambridge AICE classes and the corresponding AICE Exams. AICE Global Perspectives is required for the AICE Diploma.

4. I understand that each AICE course involves an exam at the end and that I must take these AICE examinations to receive credit for AICE courses.
5. I understand that the school will cover the cost of the exam, but if I do not take the AICE exam, I will reimburse the school the cost of the exam, which is approximately \$120.
6. I understand that AICE courses are significantly more rigorous than general classes and are designed to simulate the pace and content of a college class and agree to work hard to meet expectations and deadlines.
7. I agree to take all registered AICE Exams at MSA as scheduled. I understand that the University of Cambridge, not MSA, determines the AICE Examination dates for each subject each year. The AICE Exam Schedule includes exams administered during the months of April, May, and June.
8. I understand that if my grades drop below a C then I may be removed from the course and placed into another more appropriate course.
9. I agree to follow the MSA Cambridge AICE course progression plan.
10. I understand that I will be meeting with the MSA Cambridge AICE Coordinator periodically to review data and the educational progression plan.
11. I agree to being a good role model and citizen at MSA.

I am aware of the admissions procedures and Student Agreement as stated in this application and assume all the responsibilities as stated. I understand that any violation of these can result in immediate dismissal from the MSA Cambridge AICE Program.

Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby grant permission and consent for my son/daughter/student to enroll in the Cambridge AICE Program at Manatee School For the Arts and agree to all terms of this contract.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_