

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Students may sign up to participate in any of the offered After School Activities (ASA's). These vary from year to year but typically include sports (swimming, soccer, basketball, softball), music, ballet, choir, library, board games, robotics, and arts and crafts.

CO-CURRICULAR

RAS is fortunate to offer a rich array of co-curricular activities to compliment our academic program. Approximately 85% of students are engaged in one or more of these offerings throughout the school year.

These include Athletics, Academic, Creative, Social/Cultural, and Service orientated.



RAS CAMPUS AT A GLANCE

RAS moved to its Oceanside campus along the Rabat corniche in January of 2019 after 50 years in the Agdal campus. Our new campus has been designed to offer new opportunities to our students.

- Modern, spacious & tech integrated learning spaces,
- Science labs,
- Student study areas,
- Band and music practice rooms,
- Art rooms,
- Learning Commons (library),
- Performing arts center with a 300 seat auditorium,
- Makerspace including robotics,
- Audio/visual lab,
- Cafeteria with a fully equipped kitchen,
- Gymnasium,
- 25-meter indoor pool and a small pool,
- Outdoor basketball courts,
- Artificial turf field for soccer and softball,
- Playground areas, and
- Track & Field (tb completed April 2021)

ENROLLMENT PROCEDURE

You are invited to explore the [RAS website](#) and learn about our vision, mission, beliefs, academics, student life, as well as the admissions process.

A visit to the school is recommended but is not required. We certainly enjoy welcoming all applicants to the school! To receive further information from the Admissions Officer or to schedule a campus visit please email: info@ras.ma

RAS has a rolling admissions policy and will accept applications from families throughout the year. When the application and supporting documents outlined in the [Admissions page](#) are received by the Admissions Office, the Principal and the Admissions Team will review and decide the next steps.

Acceptance and Grade placement will be decided after the review of the application, school supporting documents, age appropriate admissions assessments and parent/learner interviews.



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RABAT AMERICAN SCHOOL



LEARNING IN A WORLD COMMUNITY...

ABOUT RAS

Rabat American School was founded in 1962 as a private, non-profit, co-educational day school, which offers an American educational program from Pre-Kindergarten to Grade 12 for students of all nationalities.

We prize the diversity of cultures represented in our student and faculty body. 50+ different countries are represented in our school community. American and Moroccan students form the two largest national groups. Others come from countries in the Persian Gulf, Africa, Europe, Asia and the Americas.

RAS is accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools (MSA) and is authorized to offer the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program (IBDP).

A well-trained and committed professional staff joins a Board of Trustees and community determined to provide the best education possible for its students and to ensure that RAS remains a quality institution.

VISION STATEMENT

Learning in a World Community:
Pursuing excellence in an environment of unity, mutual respect and understanding.

MISSION STATEMENT

The Rabat American School is a world community, preparing its students for higher education by inspiring academic excellence, intellectual curiosity, effective communication, service and integrity.



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

RAS Elementary School consist of Pre Kindergarten (ages 3 & 4), Kindergarten, and 1st through 5th Grades.

The Elementary curriculum includes 4 core subjects that are taught by the homeroom teachers: English language arts, mathematics, science, and social studies. Other classes "specials" are taught by subject specialized teachers. These include: music, physical education, art and library. In Pre K - Grades 5, the curriculum also includes both French & Arabic. Moroccan studies course is integrated in social studies in all grade levels.

We strive to design authentic and life-connected learning tasks in which students make choices, take risks, solve problems, practice skills, and develop strategies for learning and applying acquired knowledge.

One of our highest goals is helping students learn how to learn. Students who understand the process of learning, and themselves as learners, will be able to successfully face the transitions they will encounter in their schooling, in their professional careers, and in their personal lives.

SECONDARY SCHOOL

The RAS Secondary school encompasses grades 6 -12. It is divided into a middle school for students in grades 6-8 and a high school for students in grades 9-12.

The Philosophy of the Secondary School has its foundations in the liberal arts approach to education, which offers students the opportunity to learn in a variety of ways. We offer a broad selection of challenging academic courses, leading to three learner-centered pathways through a four-year high school diploma and two-year college preparatory experiences based upon courses within the International Baccalaureate Diploma Program framework.

We encourage participation in a wide variety of co-curricular activities such as team or individual sports and the visual and performing arts. Our students learn responsible citizenship by actively participating in the governance of the school as members of the student councils and by engaging in purposeful community service.

IB DIPLOMA PROGRAM

Rabat American School is authorized to deliver the IB diploma program since 1992. The IB offers an integrated course comprising of six subjects and three compulsory core elements.

At RAS we have three pathways to choose from that will get students into the college of their choice. All students that graduate from RAS earn a US Diploma and this forms the foundation for the qualifications needed to get into a university in the USA, Canada and Europe.

The Grades 11 and 12 three Pathways approach at RAS is based on courses within the IB Diploma Program (IBDP), this being because it is felt that the combination of the academic rigor of the IBDP and the teaching and learning approaches offered by the program best prepare RAS students for the life and learning that follows graduation.

In short, the program encapsulates what is articulated in the school's foundation documents – mission, vision, beliefs and the Profile of Graduates.



ATHLETICS

The Athletic program consists of:

- School team and individual practices and competitions for boys and girls of all ages within the secondary school.
- Typical programs on offer are volleyball, basketball, soccer swimming, track & field and badminton.
- RAS Athletes compete locally against other schools in Morocco and participate internationally in invitational tournaments.

