Age Placement Guide

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Entry Age	Year Lever	Learning Phasse	Curriculum	Grade level
2	K2	Early Childhood Education (ECE)	Bilingual programme providing a well-rounded education, with a specially developed curriculum that allows children to learn through a balance of play and structured activities	
3	K3			Preschool
4	K4			Pre-Kindergarten
5	Year 1	Lower Primary	International curriculum based on the National Curriculum for England, Character Education and an intensive Chinese language and culture programme	Kindergarten
6	Year 2			Grade 1
7	Year 3			Grade 2
8	Year 4	Upper Primary		Grade 3
9	Year 5			Grade 4
10	Year 6			Grade 5
11	Year 7	Lower Secondary		Grade 6
12	Year 8			Grade 7
13	Year 9			Grade 8
14	Year 10	Upper Secondary	International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE)	Grade 9
15	Year 11			Grade 10
16	Year 12		International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme	Grade 11
17	Year 13			Grade 12