

# About Us

PYP (TK-5th grade) and MYP\* (6th-8th grade) students at Arroyo are encouraged to question and explore to gain new understanding. Students continue their learning through further questioning and research. A unique aspect of our approach is that our students' learning does not end with the content but with meaningful action in the school, community, and world.

When students embody the IB Learner Profile Attributes, they show that they are international minded citizens who see the commonality of all humans.



IB World Schools share a common philosophy—a commitment to improve the teaching and learning of a diverse and inclusive community of students by delivering challenging, high quality programmes of international education that share a powerful vision.

## Mission Statement

Through reflection and inquiry, we strive to be an action-driven community of knowledgeable and caring world-changers.

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**ARROYO**  
AN  
IB WORLD  
SCHOOL\*

\*Arroyo is an authorized IB Primary Years Programme school.

Arroyo is a candidate school\* for the International Baccalaureate (IB) Middle Years Programme and pursuing authorization as an IB World School.



# The Primary Years Programme (PYP)

Our TK-5th grade students learn through Units of Inquiry organized in six transdisciplinary themes:

- Who We Are
- Where We Are In Time and Place
- How We Express Ourselves
- How the World Works
- How We Organize Ourselves
- Sharing the Planet

Our students also have the opportunity to further develop their skills through enrichment:

- Spanish
- Music
- Art
- Personal, Social, and Physical Education



Students organized a canned food drive to donate to a local shelter as part of the PYP Exhibition



Students planted a tree on campus

## The IB Learner Profile Attributes

As an International Baccalaureate World School we support the development of the whole child through transdisciplinary learning.

The Arroyo community strives to be.....

- Caring
- Thinkers
- Courageous
- Knowledgeable
- Balanced
- Open-Minded
- Communicators
- Principled
- Inquirers
- Reflective



# The Middle Years Programme (MYP)\*

**\*Candidate School**

Our 6th-8th grade students learn through concept driven, interdisciplinary, inquiry based education. Students are encouraged to connect their learning from the classroom to the real world in courses like:

- Art
- Language and Literature
- Science
- Individuals and Societies
- Math
- Design
- Spanish
- Physical and Health Education

By emphasizing international mindedness and the importance of taking action, Arroyo MYP students will become better global citizens and leaders.

