

Course Overviews DP , UWC Thailand 2017-2018

All units taught in grades 11 and 12 are continuously being developed and improved to best meet the needs of the students at UWCT. Therefore, the following overview is only a reflection of current plans for the course. Some changes to these course overviews may occur as a result of planning done throughout the academic year.

Grade	Time Frame	Unit number and title	Approaches To learning skills taught / learnt / developed in this unit	Content (topics / knowledge/ subject specific skills)	Connections to TOK	Summative assessment
12	9 weeks	Unit 1	Communication skills Research skills Teamwork and collaboration Thinking skills Self-management skills Inquiry Conceptual understanding	Global issues <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Environment - Human rights (trafficking, child labour, gender gap...) 	Language Emotion Imagination Ethics Natural science What environmental and social issues present challenges to the world, and how can these challenges be overcome? What ethical issues arise from living in the modern world, and how do we resolve them?	

					<p>What challenges and benefits result from changes in urban and rural environments?</p> <p>Is it possible to attain global equality?</p>	
	7 weeks	Unit 2	<p>Communication skills</p> <p>Research skills</p> <p>Teamwork and collaboration</p> <p>Thinking skills</p> <p>Self-management skills</p> <p>Inquiry</p> <p>Conceptual understanding</p>	<p>Global issues</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Peace and conflict - Global culture 	<p>Language</p> <p>Emotion</p> <p>Imagination</p> <p>Ethics</p> <p>Human science</p> <p>History</p> <p>What challenges and benefits does globalization bring?</p> <p>What ethical issues arise from living in the modern world, and how do we resolve them?</p>	

	14 weeks	Unit 3	Communication skills Research skills Teamwork and collaboration Thinking skills Self-management skills Inquiry Conceptual understanding	Applying the skills and preparing for the examinations <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Review- Oral practice- Reading practice- Listening practice- Writing practice		Used in the gradebook
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