



## Requirements to be met for MYP Certificate

Here are some clarifications in response to student questions:

- The student should earn a grade of at least “2” or better (on a 1-7 scale) in all subject groups. This equates to at least a C- grade point average. **However; when all scores in all eight subject groups are totaled, along with the final Personal Project score, the student must have achieved a total of 36 points or higher (out of 63 possible points) to get the certificate.** Therefore; having “2s” or “3s” in every subject will not earn you enough points to receive a certificate (3 x 9 grades = 27 points). A Record of Achievement will be awarded to those who do not meet the 36 point total.

Example points total for student earning Certificate	5	Example points total for student who would not qualify for Certificate, but could get Record of Achievement	3
Technology Grade:	5	Technology Grade:	5
Arts Grade:	5	Arts Grade:	3
Language A Grade:	6	Language A Grade:	3
Language B Grade:	5	Language B Grade:	3
Math Grade:	4	Math Grade:	4
Science Grade:	4	Science Grade:	4
P.E. Grade:	6	P.E. Grade:	5
Humanities Grade:	5	Humanities Grade:	4
Personal Project Grade:	5	Personal Project Grade:	4
<b>POINTS TOTAL:</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>POINTS TOTAL:</b>	<b>35</b>

- Required Subject Groups.
  - Technology
  - Arts (Visual or Performing)
  - Language A (English)
  - Language B (German or Spanish)
  - Math (**Geometry or higher**)
  - Science (**Chemistry**)
  - P.E.
  - Humanities (History)
- The student must have passed the Personal Project. The student must have earned a mark of “2” or higher in each Criterion level for the Personal Project. (Occasionally a “1” if only one “1”) The student must earn a minimum overall grade of “3” for the Personal Project. All criteria for Personal Project are one a 1-4 point scale.
- The student must have participated in the MYP curriculum for at least the final two years (this means, new 10<sup>th</sup> grade students are not eligible for MYP certificates UNLESS they came to us from another MYP school where they completed a 9<sup>th</sup> grade MYP curriculum) .
- In Year 5, the student must have met Guajome Park Academy’s 30 hours of community service requirement or be very close to completion by March 2010. **I will NEED photocopy of verified hours. Students may photocopy their completed community service log.**