



ARCHBISHOP MAKARIOS III LYCEUM
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SCHOOL'S PROFILE

ARCHBISHOP MAKARIOS III LYCEUM is an upper secondary school with a minimum common core and flexibility in opting for a broad range of subjects of academic and/or vocational character. Each year an approximate number of 500 students enroll, distributed in its three classes (A, B, C). Any student who has successfully graduated the Gymnasium (Lower Secondary School) has a right to register at the school. Students are taught 37 periods per week. At the end of the 3rd Year, the students take final exams for their Apolytirion - School Leaving Certificate. The examination papers are prepared centrally by the Ministry of Education and are graded by independent teachers. The curriculum is the same to the entrance exams' curriculum for Public Universities in Cyprus and Public Universities in Greece. A high percentage of graduates take the Universities entrance exams.

COMMON CORE SUBJECTS:

Periods per week (p.p.w) : 1 period = 45 minutes

SUBJECTS	A CLASS p.p.w.	B CLASS p.p.w.	C CLASS p.p.w.
Modern Greek	6	5	6
Ancient Greek	2	1.5	
Mathematics	4	3	3
Physics	2	1	1
Chemistry	2		
Biology	1		
History	2		3
English Language	2	2	2
French	2	2	2
Computers	2		
Art	1		
Music	1		
Physical Education	1.5	2.5	2
Religious Studies	1.5	2	2
Design and Technology	2		
Economics	1		
TOTAL	33	21	21



In the 1st year of studies (A Class) students must choose one of the following Four Orientation Teams:

Orientation	Specialization Subjects *
1st Orientation Team	Ancient Greek History
2nd Orientation Team	Mathematics Physics
3rd Orientation Team	Mathematics Economics
4th Orientation Team	Economics English

* *Each Specialization Subject is taught for 2 additional periods per week*

In the 2nd and 3rd year, students must choose one of the following six Directions:

1st Direction	Classical and Human Studies
2nd Direction	Foreign Languages and European Studies
3rd Direction	Sciences, Biosciences and Computers and Technology
4th Direction	Economic Studies
5th Direction	Commerce & Other Services
6th Direction	Fine Arts



Each Direction includes the Common Core subjects and 4 Specialized Subjects. Two or three of the Specialized Subjects are compulsory and one or two are electives according to the following table:

2nd and 3rd year			
Directions	Compulsory Subjects	# of Electives	Electives (4 additional periods per week)
Classical and Human Studies	Ancient Greek History Latin	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Literature Philosophy Languages* <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>
Foreign Languages and European Studies	English History	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Latin French Language* Ancient Greek Economics <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>
Sciences, Biosciences and Computers and Technology	Mathematics Physics	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Chemistry Biology Language* Computer Networks (CISCO) Computers Technology Free/Perspective Drawing Architectural/Technical Drawing Graphic Design <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>
Economic Studies	Economics Mathematics Accounting	1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Business Administration Software Applications Commerce and Marketing Languages* <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>
Commerce & Other Services	Economics English	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Accounting Commerce and Marketing Software Applications Biology Business Administration Technology Languages* <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>
Fine Arts	Art Theater History		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Visual Art Free/Perspective Drawing Music Photography Graphic Design Applications Languages* <i>*English, French, German, Spanish, Italian, Russian, Turkish</i>



The grading system is on a 1 - 20 scale where the lowest passing mark is 10/20. School reports are issued at the end of each term in which the student's performance and grades are presented. The average grade for the whole school year is distributed between the two semesters (35% each) and the final exam grade (30%).

- * Our school, as well as all other public schools in Cyprus, is responsible for no other examinations (e.g. G.C.E, T.O.E.F.L, SAT, ACT, etc.) conducted by external bodies. Many of our students take private tuition in their spare time in order to meet the requirements set by universities abroad.

- * Every year about 85% of our students pursue higher education either in Cyprus or abroad.

For further information please visit our website:
<http://lyk-dasoupoli-lef.schools.ac.cy/index.php/el/>

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