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TASIS Dorado is a licensed 501(c)(3) non-profit, independent school and certified by the local governmental agency, the "Consejo de Educación de Puerto Rico." It is also accredited by the Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools (MSA-CESS) and by the "Comisión Acreditadora de Instituciones Educativas" (CADIE).

TASIS Dorado is a member of the National Association of Independent Schools (NAIS) and the Caribbean Association of Independent Schools (CAIS). The Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools awarded TASIS Dorado a Program of Distinction Award for its Early Childhood Education Program (PPK to 1st Grade) in 2016.

OUR COMMUNITY

The TASIS School in Dorado, Puerto Rico, is an independent, college-preparatory day school with English as its primary language of instruction. Founded in 2002 and located 21 miles west of San Juan International Airport (SJU), the school serves 867 children from PPK to 12th grade. All students graduate with proficiency in English, Spanish and either French, Italian or a computer programming language. Approximately 63% of our students are born and raised in Puerto Rico, and the majority speak Spanish at home, 35% are from the mainland U.S. and 2% are international.

TASIS Dorado is affiliated with the TASIS Schools in Europe. The school forms engaged citizens and innovative thinkers through its rigorous academics, robust creative arts and athletic programs, and superb teachers. The school aspires to transform students' lives through a love of learning, beauty, truth, goodness, and wisdom.

DISTANCE LEARNING DURING LOCKDOWN AND SOCIAL DISTANCING - COVID-19

In response to the COVID-19 outbreak and per government order, the school was closed on March 16, 2020. TASIS launched a distance learning program on March 18, 2020, designed to engage our students remotely while maintaining our institution's rigorous academic standards and expectations. Distance learning schedules provided students with academic time equal to when they were on campus, but all extracurricular activities were canceled. Students safely returned to campus in March 2021, and we offered a blend of virtual and in-person learning instruction.

STUDENT BODY | ACADEMIC YEAR 2022-2023

Total enrollment • 867

Grades 9-12 • 259

Class of 2023 • 65

The majority of students are active members in at least one of several campus organizations, including the National Association of Student Councils, National Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, International Thespian Society, Interact Club, National Computer Science Honor Society, Model United Nations Federation Puerto Rican Chapter, Puerto Rico High School Athletic Alliance, LAMEPI, Math and Science Competition Teams, community service clubs, visual & performing arts clubs, and environmental clubs. Additionally, students can engage in sports at the Junior Varsity and Varsity levels in: Volleyball, Beach Volleyball, Basketball, Golf, Soccer, Tennis, Swimming, Cross Country, and Track & Field.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

The TASIS School in Dorado is surrounded by a highly diverse community, spanning wealth and poverty. Our students recognize their civic and moral responsibilities to their peers and the world beyond their campus. Each student is required to complete 100 hours of community service as a graduation requirement. In addition, all Honor Societies and most clubs have their own additional service requirements. As a result, most TASIS Dorado students graduate with significantly more than 100 hours of community service.

CURRICULUM & SPECIAL PROGRAMS

TASIS Dorado offers a rigorous college-preparatory program that prepares students for universities and colleges in the United States, Puerto Rico, and worldwide. Students are expected to master skills and content, become more inquisitive and analytical, develop research skills, and communicate verbally and in writing effectively. Students are expected to write extensively throughout their years at TASIS Dorado. Our students thrive in today's digitally-driven world and are well-prepared for a rapidly evolving future. In 2016, the school opened an **MIT-certified STEAM Fab Lab**, equipped with a CNC machine, laser cutter, 3D printers, and scanners. In 2019, an **Innovation Sciences Department** was launched, which aims to make students proficient in Information and Communication Technology (ICT) and Design and Applied Technology (DAT).

LEADERSHIP ACADEMY

The TASIS Dorado Leadership Academy, a Stubbe Family Legacy, is designed to elevate and refine leadership qualities including innovation, entrepreneurship, and collaborative problem-solving. After a rigorous application process, selected students will identify strengths, recognize essential personal goals, and explore and apply design thinking while establishing a foundation of leadership skills and self-awareness through a variety of seminars. The Academy also includes the opportunity to travel abroad to explore a global issue while leveraging their acquired skills at the Global Leadership Summit. Finally, students receive professional internship opportunities and focus on capstone projects using design-thinking to tackle real-world problems.

GLOBAL ONLINE ACADEMY

TASIS Dorado is honored to have been selected to join the Global Online Academy (GOA), an elite consortium of leading independent schools from around the world whose mission is to reimagine learning to empower students and educators to thrive in a globally networked society. Through this exclusive membership, TASIS Dorado high school students have access to renowned institutions, leading thinkers, and innovative educators to amplify passion-driven learning through unique elective course offerings.

EXPLORATION WEEK

Exploration Week is offered during the second semester as a required program for all high school students. Exploration Week has two components: an integrated, academic mini-course emphasizing experiential learning/apprenticeship with an expert practitioner; and a service-learning opportunity to develop virtuous character and leadership skills. Students engage in four day-long sessions of academic seminars and a full day of service-learning on Day 5.

ADVANCED PLACEMENT (A.P.) PROGRAM*

A total of 29 College Board-approved AP courses are offered: Biology, Chemistry, Physics 1, 2 & C (Electricity/Magnetism and Mechanics), Calculus AB & B.C., Statistics, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics, Computer Science A, Computer Science Principles, Environmental Science, English Language and Composition, English Literature, Capstone Seminar & Research, French Language, Italian Language, Spanish Literature, Spanish Language & Culture, Studio Art: 2-D Design, Music Theory, United States History, European History, World History, Human Geography, Psychology, and U.S. Government & Politics.

*Certain entrance requirements must be met to enroll in A.P. courses. Students who take A.P. courses are required to take the corresponding exam upon completion. They are strongly advised to limit their A.P. course enrollment as follows: 10th grade (1); 11th grade (2); 12th grade (3). Students in the enriched track in mathematics have the opportunity to begin A.P. classes in 9th grade and, therefore, will likely exceed the recommended maximum of 6 A.P. courses.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

A minimum of 24 credits is required for graduation, including English (4 credits), Spanish (4 credits), Mathematics (4 credits), Sciences (3 credits in lab sciences), Social Studies (4 credits), Foreign Language or Innovation Science (2 credits or proficiency), Electives (2 credits, .50 of which must be in the Visual or Performing Arts) and Physical Education (.75 credits, plus .25 in Health). All high school students must complete the Exploration Week Program all four years and at least two semesters of College Education.

GRADING SYSTEM

The TASIS School in Dorado **does not rank its students**. Grades earned at TASIS Dorado are only used to calculate cumulative GPA. Cumulative GPA is calculated using all courses taken during the student's high school years. Enriched Mathematics courses are taken a year ahead of the regular curriculum. They receive a five-point bonus at the end of each semester. Advanced Placement courses are weighted in determining GPA.

GRADE POINT AVERAGE (GPA) POLICY

TASIS Dorado calculates a weighted (adjusted) GPA which is provided to college and post-graduate institutions. The weighted (adjusted) GPA is on a 4.0 scale and includes all high school-level courses.

HIGH SCHOOL CREDITS EARNED IN MIDDLE SCHOOL

TASIS Dorado grants graduation credit to middle school students who take high school courses. These courses must have the same expectations, curriculum, and final exams as the equivalent courses taught in high school.

- The following middle school courses have been identified for high school credit: Algebra I, Geometry, and World Language levels 1 and 2 (French 1, French 2, Italian 1).
- Students who pass these courses will automatically be granted high school credit. These grades will be reflected on the student's high school transcript and included in the cumulative GPA calculation.

SAT MEAN SCORES • 2020-2022

Class 2020	Class 2021	Class 2022
585 ERW	604 ERW	589 ERW
610 MATH	611 MATH	559 MATH

▶ ACT Composite: 22 • 3 students in Class of 2022 took the ACT

AP SCHOLAR AWARDS	2020	2021	2022
National AP Scholar	4	1	7
AP Scholar with Distinction	20	12	5
AP Scholar with Honor	13	10	4
AP Scholar	12	21	7
AP Capstone Diploma	2	2	1
AP Seminar and Research Certificate	3	4	4

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

- 3 Presidential Scholar for Puerto Rico: 2011, 2018, 2022
- 8 Presidential Scholar Semifinalists: 2012, 2020, 2022
- 41 Presidential Scholar Candidates: 2011 - 2022
- 14 National Merit Scholars: 2015-2022
- 48 National Hispanic Scholars: 2011 - 2022
- 3 National Honor Society Scholar 2020 - 2021
- 4 Math Olympiad Bronze Medals: 2015 - 2021
- 2 National Gold Council of Excellence: 2021
- 3 NatStuCo Distinguished Student Leader: 2021-2022
- 1 HerLead Fellow: 2020

HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OFFERINGS

English: English Literature 9 Honors, English Literature 9, English Literature 10 Honors, World Literature 10, American Literature, British Literature, AP English Language and Composition, AP English Literature and Composition • **Spanish:** Spanish Literature 9 Honors, Spanish Literature 9, Spanish Literature 10 Honors, Spanish Literature 10, Spanish Literature 11, Spanish Literature 12, AP Spanish Literature, AP Spanish Language and Culture, Español-Nivel Avanzado • **Foreign Language:** French I, French II, French III, Advanced French, AP French, Italian I, Italian II, Italian III, AP Italian • **Innovation Science:** Intro to Computer Science, AP Computer Science Principles, AP Computer Science A, Fab Lab, Research & Engineering, Machine Learning • **Mathematics:** Algebra I, Enriched Algebra I, Geometry, Enriched Geometry, Algebra II, Enriched Algebra II, Pre-Calculus, Pre-Calculus Plus, Enriched Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Calculus, Plus, Enriched Calculus, AP Calculus AB and BC, Statistics, AP Statistics, Multivariable Calculus & Linear Algebra, Math Problem Solving • **Sciences:** Physics, AP Physics I, II and C, Chemistry, AP Chemistry, Biology, AP Biology, AP Environmental Science, Marine Biology, Anatomy & Physiology, Organic Chemistry • **History and Social Science:** World History I, World History II, AP World History, US History, AP US History, History of Puerto Rico, AP Psychology, AP European History, AP Government • **Visual Arts Electives:** Studio Art I, II, and III, Ceramics, Advanced Ceramics, AP Studio Art, Digital Photography, Mix Media & Painting, Printmaking • **Performing Arts Electives:** Acting, Musical Theatre • **Music Electives:** Instrumental Music, Concert Band, Jazz & Improvisation, Musical Composition, AP Music Theory • **Electives:** Creative Writing in Spanish, AP Capstone Seminar & Research, Introduction to Finance and Economics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Microeconomics, Physical Education, Health, College Ed

EXTRACURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES & CLUBS

Clubs offer students the opportunity to develop and excel in their particular areas of interest. The TASIS School in Dorado offers the following clubs in addition to Student Council, National Honor Society, National Junior Honor Society, National Art Honor Society, International Thespian Society, French and Italian Honor Society, Beta Honor Society, Computer Science Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society: 3D Printing, Abstract Board Games, Animal Alliance, Art, Band, Batucada, Board Games, Business, Chess, Coloring, Computer Science, Concert Choir, Craft, Debate, Drama, Engineering, Environmentalist, Foreign Film, French Tutoring, Gastronomy, Gender Equality, Interact, Just Dance, Math Games, Model United Nations, Neuroscience, Outdoors, Photography, Poetry Out Loud, RPG, Science Bowl, Science, Spanish, Spanish Literature, SSL Reinforcement, Stock Market, Traditional Italian Card Games, Yoga & Wellness. There are also presentations by visiting professors in the arts, sciences, social studies, and literature, all led by experts in their fields.

COLLEGE ENROLLMENT

100% placement at 4 year Colleges and Universities.

COLLEGE MATRICULATIONS CLASSES OF 2019 - 2022

American University	Rider University
Assumption College	Rochester Institute of Technology
Babson College	Rutgers University
Baylor University	Saint Joseph's University
Bentley University	Seattle Pacific University
Boston College	Smith College
Boston University	Syracuse University
Brigham Young University	Temple University
Brown University	The Ohio State University
Carnegie Mellon University	The Savannah College of Art and Design
Case Western Reserve University	Tufts University
Chapman University	Tulane University
Columbia University	Universidad de Puerto Rico - Río Piedras, Mayagüez, Bayamón, Arecibo
Cornell University	Universidad del Sagrado Corazón
Dartmouth College	Universidad Interamericana de Puerto Rico
Davidson College	Universidad Politécnica de Puerto Rico
DigiPen Institute of Technology	University of Alabama
Drexel University	University of Alberta-Canada
Duke University	University of California-Berkeley, Irvine, Los Angeles, Chico, San Diego, Santa Barbara
Eckerd College	University of Colorado, Boulder
Elon University	University of Connecticut
Fashion Institute of Technology	University of Dayton
Florida International University	University of Florida
Fordham University	University of Illinois Chicago
George Washington University	University of Iowa
Georgetown University	University of Miami
Georgia Institute of Technology	University of Michigan
Harvard College	University of New Haven
Haverford College	University of Notre Dame
High Point University	University of Pennsylvania
Indiana University	University of Pittsburgh
Iowa State University	University of South Carolina
Johns Hopkins University	University of South Florida
Loyola University, New Orleans	University of Tampa
Loyola University, Maryland	University of Texas, Austin
Marquette University	University of Wyoming
Marymount Manhattan College	Utah State University
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	Vassar College
Miami University of Ohio	Villanova University
Michigan State University	Wake Forest University
Middlebury College	Washington and Lee University
Mount Holyoke College	Washington University in St. Louis
New York University	Wesleyan University, CT
Pepperdine University	Yale University
Pontificia Universidad Católica de Puerto Rico	
Princeton University	
Purdue University	
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	
Rhode Island School of Design	

RANGE	COLLEGE PREP COURSES			AP COURSES
	1 credit	0.50 credit	0.25 credit	1 credit
100-98	4.00	2.00	1.00	5.00
97-94	3.85	1.93	0.96	4.85
93-90	3.65	1.83	0.91	4.65
89-87	3.45	1.73	0.86	4.45
86-83	3.30	1.65	0.83	4.30
82-80	3.10	1.55	0.78	4.10
79-77	2.90	1.45	0.73	3.90
76-74	2.60	1.30	0.65	3.60
73-70	2.20	1.10	0.55	3.20
69-67	1.80	0.90	0.45	2.80
66-65	1.20	0.60	0.30	2.20
64-0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

TD GPA CONVERSION TABLE REV. AY 2022-2023				
RANGE	COLLEGE PREP COURSES			AP COURSES
	1 credit	0.50 credit	0.25 credit	1 credit
100-97	4.00	2.00	1.00	5.00
96-93	3.85	1.93	0.96	4.85
92-90	3.65	1.83	0.91	4.65
89-87	3.45	1.73	0.86	4.45
86-83	3.30	1.65	0.83	4.30
82-80	3.10	1.55	0.78	4.10
79-77	2.90	1.45	0.73	3.90
76-73	2.60	1.30	0.65	3.60
72-70	2.20	1.10	0.55	3.20
69-67	1.80	0.90	0.45	2.80
66-65	1.20	0.60	0.30	2.20
64-0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

**The new revised GPA table will only apply for the senior year of Class 2023.



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