



ST. GILGEN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL
AUSTRIA



WANTING TO BE HERE

Our most important requirement is that a student coming to our school really wants to be here and be open to the school's Mission and Core Values. We ensure high educational standards and the international nature of the school through the careful selection of motivated and talented students.

We admit qualified students of either sex, and welcome students of all races, nationalities, or ethnic origins. We do not discriminate in any aspect of our educational policies, scholarships, financial planning, or other school-administered programmes.

Students should be capable of and willing to fully participate in all aspects of the program: academic, extra-curricular, and service. They should be willing to share privileges as well as duties, regardless of social or economic background.



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In accepting a student to St. Gilgen International School, we consider:

- the personality and motivation to give one's best and to share experiences and talents with others
- the applicant's potential to benefit from the educational programme
- the capability of the school to meet the educational needs of the applicant
- linguistic ability in English
- willingness to abide by essential agreements confirmed by teachers and students, as well as mandated by Austrian law
- fulfilment of the school's financial and medical requirements.

Late admission during the course of the school year is not ideal; however, every effort will be made to welcome and support all late entrants in cases of necessity.

The school provides appropriate assistance for temporary difficulties, but it is not equipped to offer the professional help and support needed for children with serious learning difficulties or a history of behavioural problems.

ADMISSION

Please consider the following:

- All applicants must have successfully completed the previous grade (or equivalent) in their current school
- Beginners of English, or students with limited English skills, are required to follow a programme of Intensive English (ESL) in coordination with the other academic subjects
- Applicants to Grade 10 and above should be fully conversant in written and spoken English
- Some applicants for Grade 10 and above may be required to take proficiency tests in English, Mathematics and Science
- In order to ensure the best placement and course selection, all applicants will be personally interviewed and counselled by the Headmaster or a designated administrator upon arrival



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APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

- Completed and signed Application for Student Admission form
- Completed and signed Parent/Guardian Questionnaire
- Completed and signed Student Statement written in English
- Two School Reports/Official School Transcripts (preferably the last two), together with one Counsellor/Administrator/School Recommendation if appropriate
- An English Language Reference (to be completed by an English/ESL/EAL/EFL teacher) for applicants who do not have English as their Mother Tongue
- An optional Arts, Sports, or Activities Reference if appropriate
- A copy of the student's passport and two recent (dated on back) photographs of the applicant
- The € 100 (non-refundable) application fee