At Green School we define ‘Sustainable’ as meeting the needs of Now and the Future. A sustainable future has environmental, social, economic and wellbeing needs - and our learning program focuses on these as big-picture, real-world learning outcomes. We are ‘learning for a sustainable future’ by teaching and learning for the needs of now and the future.

Our learning environment is unique. We have a jungle campus, with bamboo groves, permaculture gardens, rice-fields and a river. We don’t want to sit in a box — or to think in one. Our stunning wall-less bamboo classrooms are built sympathetically into the landscape and create a sense of flow between the indoors and outdoors. We believe that nature is our greatest teacher. We nurture our campus, we learn from our environment, and we harness its potential to feed, fuel and inspire us — sustainably.

Over a 15 year period, Green School Bali has developed a unique curriculum that is mission-driven towards sustainability; meeting the needs of now and the future. Our curriculum is accredited internationally (WASC) and in Indonesia (SPK); it has also been assessed and reviewed by the Education in Motion group.
OUR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS
The Green School curriculum embraces the complex problems facing contemporary learning design by acknowledging the fundamental principles required for a future-ready education.

Green School students are the green change-makers of the future, the dynamic thinkers and hands-on tinkerers, the emboldened activists and adventurers... they are the voices of a new generation of change - change to an outdated and stale pedagogical model, and bravely embracing the new paradigm of experiential education for a sustainable world.

28 Nationalities
American | Australian | Austrian | Belgian | Brazilian | British | Canadian | Colombian | Czech | Danish | Dutch | Estonian | French | German | Indian | Indonesian | Italian | Japanese | Lithuanian | Moroccan | New Zealand | Peruvian | Polish | Russian | Serbian | Slovakian | Spanish | Swiss

EXAMPLE HIGH SCHOOL CLASS
THE MARTIAN UNIT
A thematic, interdisciplinary approach to learning

Life cannot be compartmentalised into separate boxes, so why should learning be? Our curriculum addresses this by taking a thematic, interdisciplinary approach to the way we learn. For students, this could mean learning mathematics and physics by building a bamboo bridge over a river that passes through our campus. Or learning biology by exploring marine biodiversity, understanding our impact on it and developing solutions towards conserving and regenerating it. We understand that each student learns differently, and our thematic units are designed to foster a deep love for learning in them. We have seen students thrive when programmes are designed to value their individual passions and they are empowered to lead their own learning journeys. This video is one example of our thematic approach to learning.

SHOWCASING THE LEARNING JOURNEY
GREENSTONE
Greenstone is a Grade 12 capstone project where students present their world-shaping ideas in a TED-style talk. By exploring a project or purpose that leads to illuminating discoveries, students find self-worth, validation as critical thinkers, confidence as communicators and develop lasting connections to passions, causes, partners, and potential career pathways. Ultimately the Greenstone embodies, “the journey is the destination”. The reflective storytelling is mentored, supported, and shared with our local and global community. These presentations are a rite of passage for all Green School graduates, bridging the Green School experience and each student’s next steps in life. Click here to watch some inspiring student Greenstone presentations.

A community of learners making our world sustainable.

We educate for sustainability, through community-integrated, entrepreneurial learning, in a wall-less, natural environment. Our holistic, student-guided approach inspires and empowers us to be changemakers.
HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

The academic year is split into four terms across two semesters. High School students have the choice of a wide range of interdisciplinary and thematic courses each term. Under the guidance of their academic advisors and high school counsellor, they can ensure they meet the minimum credits required for graduation, while also choosing courses that help build their knowledge, experience and understanding of their chosen pathways. This flexibility allows students to engage with a range of academic and experiential disciplines, gaining core subject expertise and broadening their understanding of the real world.

GREEN SCHOOL HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA REQUIREMENTS

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<td>Literacy</td>
<td>4 Credits</td>
<td>4 Credits each in Sciences, Literacy, Humanities, Indonesian Language, and Mathematics are available through Green School course offerings and are strongly recommended for university-bound students.</td>
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<td>Mathematics</td>
<td>3 Credits</td>
<td>Students can choose to take Advanced Placement (AP) courses in the following subjects: AP Environmental Science, AP Statistics, and AP Calculus AB.</td>
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<td>Science</td>
<td>3 Credits</td>
<td>In addition, a minimum of 40 hours of community service per year is required as graduation requirement.</td>
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<td>Humanities</td>
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GRADUATING WITH HONORS

Students who complete a minimum of 4 full credits of advanced level classes, including at least one in English Literacy, one in Maths, and one in Science, with an overall cumulative GPA of 3.5 or higher are eligible to graduate with Honors.

GRADUATING WITH GREEN LEADER DISTINCTION

Students who complete core class requirements as well as a portfolio representing their project-based learning demonstrating development of the Green School Skills are eligible to graduate with a Green Projects Diploma. Those who also consistently embody our IRESPECT values as recognized by our faculty are eligible to earn the distinction of Green Leader.

GREEN SCHOOL SKILLS

- Think Creatively
- Activate
- Think in Systems
- Think Critically
- Be Aware
- Communicate
- Collaborate
- Adapt
- Solve Problems

REAL LEARNING PRINCIPLE

- Relationship-centered
- Experiential
- Authentic
- Local

GREEN SCHOOL IRESPECT VALUES

- Integrity
- Responsibility
- Empathy
- Sustainability
- Peace
- Equity
- Community
- Trust

Across the academic year, students are invited to contribute to and take part in a diverse variety of cultural celebrations, and meaningful action. VOICES is part of the global V-Day celebrations, calling for an end to gender-based violence, and is replete with poetry, spoken word and dramatic performances. SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS is where our community comes together to discuss, problem-solve and collaborate to find solutions to the global climate crisis, through education, powerful activism, community empowerment and fundraising. Each year we celebrate the diversity of our unique community through BAMBOOPALOOZA, our annual festival of the nationalities at Green School. With 53 nationalities represented across the whole school, it is a loud, colourful, beautiful (and sometimes chaotic!) celebration of diversity.
UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES & MATRICULATIONS

AUSTRALIA
Deakin University
*La Trobe University, Melbourne
Murdoch University, Perth
University of Canberra
University of the Sunshine Coast
University of Sydney

CANADA
*Quest University, Squamish, BC
Concordia, Quebec
University of New Brunswick, NB
*University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC)

CZECH
*Prague University

DENMARK
International Business Academy, Kolding University College Sjaelland

FRANCE
The American University of Paris

GERMANY
*Bard Berlin
Constructor University

CHINA
City University, Hong Kong

ITALY
*Bocconi University
*Istituto Europeo Di Design (IED)
*Nuova Accademia di Belle Arti
*University of Palma

INDIA
Swarnabhoomi Academy of Music, Chennai

INDONESIA
*IPDN, Java
*New Media College, Bali
*Udayana University, Bali

IRELAND
*American College Dublin
Trinity College Dublin

JAPAN
*Genki Japanese Culture School
*Keio University

THE NETHERLANDS
Han University of Applied Sciences
*Stenden University
Willems de Kooning Academie at Rotterdam
University of Design Academy Eindhoven
*Applied Sciences

NEW ZEALAND
*The University of Auckland

SPAIN
IE University
*Universitat de Barcelona
*University of Europe, Barcelona

SWEDEN
Lund University

SWITZERLAND
*Les Roches International School of Hotel Management

UNITED KINGDOM
*Bangor University
Blake College
Bournemouth University
Brighton International College
Goldsmiths, University of London
Hamstead School of Art
Hult University
Richmond, The American International University in London
SOAS, University of London
University of the Arts London
University of Brighton
University of Greenwich
University of Leeds
*University of Sussex
UWE Bristol

USA
*Antioch College
Bard College
Berkeley School of Music
*Centre College
*College of Charleston
College of William and Mary
*Colorado College
*Cornell University
*Columbia College Chicago
Davis & Elkins College
*Emerson College
Evergreen State College
Flagler College
George Washington University
Hope College
Humboldt State University
Illinois Wesleyan University
*Marian College
*Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
*Middlebury College
*Metropolitan State University of Denver
Mills College
Mount Holyoke College
New York University
*Rhode Island School of Design (RISD)
*San Francisco Art Institute
*Savannah College of Art & Design (SCAD)
Smith College, Massachusetts
Southern California Institute of Architecture
Smith College
*Pomona College
*Portland Community College
Spelman College
Springfield College
*Southern Oregon University
*The New School, Parsons School of Design
*University of California, Davis
University of California, Los Angeles
*University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Hawaii
*University of Massachusetts, Amherst
University of Michigan
*University of Montana
University of Puget Sound
University of San Diego
University of Vermont
Vanderbilt University
*Warren Wilson College
Wesley College Delaware
Western Washington University

*Matriculations denoted by asterisk

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