

# Why Aloha College is the place for your child

★ 10 reasons to apply ★

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We offer a **British International Education**. This means all subjects are taught in English following a curriculum based on the one taught in UK, with the addition of Spanish Language and Culture. British education focuses on the continuous development of skills and on inspiring the children to become positive, life-long learners.



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We educate children from the age of **3 to 18**. Children can enrol when they are little and complete their whole educational journey with us. As the ISI report states of the school in general "An outstandingly caring, supportive ethos engenders a highly empowering learning environment, which enables the school to fulfil its challenging aims"



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We are a **not-for-profit educational Foundation**. Unlike most local schools, Aloha College is owned by a Foundation, where any surplus from the running of the school is reinvested in the school itself for development and improvement. The Foundation is administered by a Board of Trustees, all of whom are parents of the school.



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The school was **founded in 1982**. We have years of accumulated experience in education and have guided many students to the best universities worldwide — our alumni are, today, successful adults.



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We have **excellent academic results**. Our IGCSE, A-Level and IB results are outstanding year after year. This is possible thanks to classes with a maximum of 20 pupils (14/15 in IB), which results in a staff-student ratio of better than 10 to 1. Also, performance is enhanced by grouping students according to ability in core subjects: this differentiation facilitates teaching and learning. Our strong home-school partnership is also a key factor in the pupils' performance.

**2015 Results**  
**97.3%** Pass Rate for IB  
**98%** Gaining 5 or more IGCSE's at A\*-C

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We believe in **the educational values of Sport and the Arts**. Drama, Art and Music are important parts of our enriching activities—we believe in creativity as an important life skill, not only to produce works of art but also to help students learn how to solve the problems they will encounter in life. We place great emphasis on Sport to keep our pupils fit physically and mentally and to learn to work in a team e.g. in our Football and Basketball Clubs.



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Our **international community values Spanish language and culture**. Integration into Spanish culture is paramount— our pupils participate in many Spanish local events and study Spanish language and culture (grouped in classes per ability), from Nursery to Y13.

According to the ISI report, in our school "Excellent cultural awareness is all-pervasive, fostering harmonious, supportive relationships between pupils from a diverse range of countries and cultures".



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We offer **excellent facilities and high-quality bus and meals services**.

Our ambitious educational aims need to be supported by outstanding facilities and services. All classes have underfloor heating, air conditioning and interactive whiteboards and the enhancement of facilities and services is ongoing - in 2004 we opened the Secondary School building, in 2008 and 2010 we refurbished half of the main school building (built in 1982), in 2012 we completely remodeled our astroturf and in 2015 we will open our

**New Sports and Arts Hall.....→**



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We help the children acquire a set of **values**: we care about people and we care about our environment. As the report says about our children "their strong moral awareness is clear in their enthusiastic support for charitable causes".

Our core values are: Respect, Effort, Honesty and Care.



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Our **memberships and inspections support us**. The school is a member of and the International Baccalaureate Organisation, the European Council of International Schools, the Council of British International Schools (Cobis) and the National Association of British Schools in Spain. We are now an **accredited** member of Cobis following our successful inspection by ISI (Independent Schools Inspectorate)

- full report available on school website.



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