





AS & A Level

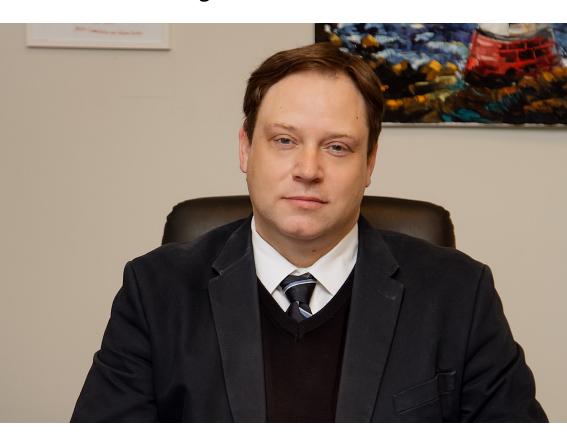








Director's Message





IIt is my privilege to welcome you and to invite you to take a look at the next exciting and historic educational development for Heritage International School and Moldova.

To study at Heritage is to study at an international school with an enviable global reputation for innovation in education. In our Lyceum, the Cambridge International A Level programme is designed to offer a unique learning experience and gold standard, rigorous academic qualifications linked to study at university and to develop skills to go onto succesful careers across all fields and to lead happy lives.

Our mission is to create a world class innovative education model that not only prepares our young people for the challenges of the future but also instils our shared common values as we develop the leaders of the future. Our expert teachers are recruited from across the world to provide the outstanding quality teaching and learning experience, student-centred, based on challenge and support of our students, that matches the very best in international schools anywhere around the globe. Also, our stunning

modern campus in the heart of the green sector of Chisinau offers a unique educational setting and experience to our Lyceum students.

Our school culture is about wanting our students to be aware of their wider world, to be good citizens, to think deeply & critically about the issues that impact our lives, to be confident and socially responsible, to be digitally literate, to be balanced and to practice good wellbeing, to work together with each other and to lead with wisdom.

To study at Heritage International School is much more than gaining qualifications for university. To study at Heritage is about getting prepared successfully for life beyond school in an outward facing educational philosophy.

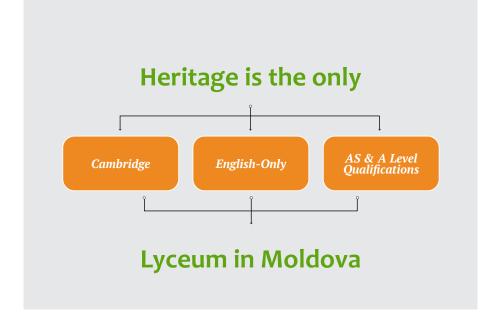
We look forward to welcoming you to study and be a part of our international school and the Lyceum. This is Heritage. The future begins here.

Rob Ford,

Director of Heritage International School



What makes Heritage Lyceum UNIQUE? Within Heritage International School, the only Cambridge School in Moldova, Heritage Lyceum – a unique high school following the Cambridge Pathway – offers the students a world-class education. The Lyceum provides learners with everything they need in order to gain the required skills and have the best opportunities for an international academic and professional career. At Heritage Lyceum students study the Cambridge International A Level, a +16 university access course, the global gold standard. Our students take the A Level exams and get the globally recognized Cambridge qualifications. We are proud to be the first to introduce it in Moldova, because these qualifications are accepted worldwide, by over 1400 institutions, including topranking universities. Moreover, in the Heritage Lyceum, our medium of instruction is exclusively English, meaning that our students get even more opportunities for their university studies and dream careers.





Heritage Lyceum students take only Cambridge International AS & A Level Exams

Heritage Lyceum is the only preuniversitary centre of study in Moldova following the Cambridge curriculum and offering globally recognized AS and A Level qualifications.

Cambridge International AS & A Levels are international qualifications providing excellent preparation for university entry and education in Moldova and around the World. This is part of the Cambridge Advanced program, which is very flexible, Heritage learners having the freedom to select almost any combination from the wide variety of 55 subjects that are right for them – they either follow a broad course of study or specialise in a particular area. Cambridge International A Level is typically a two-year course, and Cambridge International AS Level is typically one year. The AS & A Level Program is meant for the 11th and 12th graders, typically aged 16 to 19 years.





Prepares Heritage students for their dream careers, such as: Medicine, Business, Law, Architecture, Engineering, Psychology etc.



Flexibility of study – students can choose the subjects that are right for them from a wide variety of 55 subjects



International qualifications recognized by top Universities around the world and by global employers



Students develop deep subject knowledge, conceptual understanding and higher order thinking skills



4 Final Exams in the 4 subjects that students choose to study



Exams in **November** and **June** with **flexibility of timing**

The skills Heritage Lyceum learners develop within the A Level Program

One of the main reasons for choosing the Cambridge International AS & A Level program at Heritage Lyceum is the fact that it develops learners' knowledge, understanding and skills in: handling and evaluating different types of information sources, thinking logically and presenting coherent arguments, in-depth subject content, independent thinking, making judgements, recommendations and decisions. Also, the learners become confident, responsible and innovative.



Heritage lyceum learners become:



confident



responsible



innovative



engaged



reflective

Heritage lyceum learners develop skills in:



conceptual understanding



in-depth subject content



presenting coherent arguments



applying knowledge to new situations



independent thinking



working and communicating in English

Heritage Students about A Level



Bogdana Bujag AS Level student



The unique learning experience that Heritage provides isn't only about the academics, but also about the welcoming school environment, the diverse community, and the countless opportunities that allow students to develop on multiple interpersonal levels, and that help them in becoming the young leaders of tomorrow.



Ștefan Botnari A Level student

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Studying at Heritage International School is like embarking on a journey where curiosity is nurtured, knowledge is illuminated, and potential is unleashed. Here, education becomes a passport to a world of endless opportunities.



Sabina ȚurcanAS Level student

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Heritage is the true definition of a community where everyone feels safe, seen and heard. What makes Heritage stand out from other schools in the country is offering its students the opportunity to choose their preferred subjects and focus on what each individual does best. Not only does this serve as an additional source of motivation but also allows students to experience various disciplines before applying to university.



Loredana Sandu A Level student

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Studying at Heritage offered me the tools to discover about the world around me, develop unique perspectives and become the best version of myself.



Yun HwangAS Level student



I'm so glad that we have our own lyceum building. We got new classrooms and what I like the most is our new Self Study Area. Students can always come here and do their studies. Thanks to our Heritage school, I could decide to study in an international school in Moldova. It offered me a great opportunity.



Andrea Ghimpu A Level student

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At Heritage I got the chance to experiment with a wide range of subjects and activities which will open many doors to my future.

Cambridge International AS & A Level Subjects

Due to the fact that the Cambridge International AS & A Level curriculum is so flexible, it is not only helpful for the Heritage Lyceum learners who can actually choose and combine what they will study, but it is also a proof of respecting their time.

The whole range of 55 subjects gives them the possibility to either follow a broad course of study or specialise in a particular area. Depending on the career they want to follow, the students will be guided to select the essential and recommended subjects.

To complete A Level successfully with good grades, students will need to invest a significant amount of time studying independently to increase their depth of understanding. All A Level courses include some untaught time, which is spent in private study and in library sessions.





Medicine & Pharmacy

Medicine & Pharmacy Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics

Recommended Subjects Physics



Law

Essential Subjects

None

Recommended Subjects

Mathematics, Economics, Law, Accounting, English Literature



Business

Essential Subjects

Mathematics & Economics

Recommended Subjects

Business Studies, Accounting, Law, Psychology



Engineering

Essential Subjects
Mathematics & Physics

Recommended Subjects

Chemistry, Further Mathematics







Architecture

Essential Subjects

Art

Recommended SubjectsMathematics, Physics

Psychology

Essential Subjects

Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics or Physics

Recommended Subjects

Psychology, Sociology



Nutrition & Biochemistry

Essential Subjects

Chemistry, Biology & Mathematics

Recommended Subjects

Physics









Students wishing to study A Level will be able to choose a combination of any 4 subjects from the list below.

Advanced Level Subjects		
AS Level Subjects	A Level Subjects	
Accounting	Accounting	
Art & Design	Art & Design	
Biology	Biology	
Business	Business	
Classical Studies	Classical Studies	
Chemistry	Chemistry	
Computer Science	Computer Science	
Economics	Economics	
English - Language	English - Language	
English - Literature	English - Literature	
Geography	Geography	
Global Perspectives and Research	Global Perspectives and Research	
History	History	

Information Technology	Information Technology	
Law	Law	
Mathematics	Mathematics	
Media Studies	Media Studies	
Physics	Physical Education	
Psychology	Physics	
Sociology	Psychology	
Travel & Tourism	Sociology	
French	Travel & Tourism	
German	French	
	German	
AS Level Only	A Level Only	
English - Language and Literature	-	

In addition, all Lyceum students take a series of non-examinable extracurricular courses, such as Duke of Edinburgh's Award training, Leadership Courses, Student Council & SR, Higher Education Advisory, Clubs, Sports and Founders' Lectures. A number of students also can take the Extended Project Qualification (EPQ).

International Recognition and Opportunities

The Cambridge International AS & A Level qualifications offered by Heritage Lyceum give students the opportunity of continuing their education in over 1400 institutions across 195 countries, including top-ranking universities. Our curriculum prepares the learners to gain the needed skills for their higher education. The top five skills and qualities university admissions officers are looking for when they are assessing applicants are:

overall academic achievement

character traits (motivation, perseverance, collaboration, etc.)

proficiency in English

understanding in subject area

extracurricular activities



AS & A Level Qualifications are recognized:







Cambridge Qualifications are accepted by Top-Ranking Universities, such as:



University of Cambridge and all other UK universities



The American University in Cairo, Egypt



University of Toronto, Canada



Australian National University



The University of Hong Kong



Freie Universität, Berlin



Over 740 US universities, including all Ivy League & Ivy Plus (Brown, Harvard, MIT, Stanford, Yale, etc.)

In places such as the United States and Canada, good grades in carefully chosen Cambridge International A Level subjects can result in up to one year of university course credit.

Gaining Cambridge International AS & A Level qualifications

Learners can choose from a range of assessment options to gain Cambridge International AS & A Level qualifications:



Take the
Cambridge
International
AS Level only,
usually for one of
the subjects. The
syllabus content is
half a Cambridge
International A
Level.



Take a 'staged' assessment route - take the Cambridge International AS Level in one examination series and complete the final Cambridge International A Level at a subsequent series. AS Level marks can be carried forward to a full A Level twice within a 13-month period. The staged assessment route is not possible in all subjects. The outcomes awarded for Cambridge International AS Level language syllabuses cannot be carried forward to Cambridge International A Level.



Take all papers of the Cambridge International A Level course in the same examination session, usually at the end of the course.



Reporting Achievement & Examinations

Each subject that a learner takes receives a separate grade. Grades are benchmarked using internationally recognised grades, which have clear guidelines to explain the standards of achievement. The Cambridge International A Level is reported on a grade scale from A* (highest) to E (minimum required performance). There is no A* grade for Cambridge International AS Levels, which run from grade A to E.

Exams in all subjects are compulsory in A Level. Cambridge International AS & A Level examination series are held twice a year, in June and November. Results are issued in August and January.

Career/university guidance

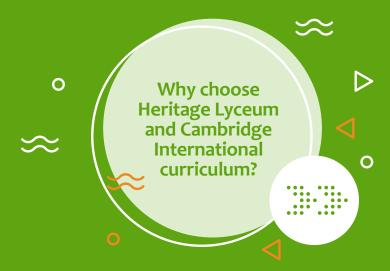
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A career/university counsellor guides students throughout the two years of Lyceum, from the initial stage of career orientation, to making a shortlist of universities to which they would like to apply, and finalizing with the actual application process (CV, application essays and all required documents).

Join the Heritage Community

The application process at Heritage Lyceum for the next academic session would run technically until September, but the real window of opportunity for students is the end of January, February and no later than March. We do a very personalised interview with each candidate and help the students with their career guidance, so that we can make sure they are on the right pathways.

You can learn more about admissions and apply at www.heritage.md/admissions



Choose Heritage Lyceum if you



Are eager to choose and combine the subjects you will study



Wish to study exclusively in English



Dream of a quality international education



Want to have many opportunities for a global career



Want to receive the AS & A Level qualifications, recognized worldwide

About the admissions:



The admission process is open until September. But we recommend you to apply in advance, by March



You will receive career guidance and counselling



You will have a very personalised interview



You will get confirmation for the chosen subjects



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Key Admission Dates for A Level Entry

Admission Stage	Dates
Option Choice Form Submission	January
Interviews	February
Courses offer confirmed and draft timetable	February
External Candidates Form Submission	January-August
External Candidates Examination	January-August























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