

SCHOOL BOARD OF BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

BOARD AGENDA ITEM – November 14, 2023

DEPARTMENT/SCHOOL INITIATED AGREEMENT

BW 24-397-JW International Bacculaureate

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (BW) Bids Waived	<input type="checkbox"/> (A) Agreement
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REQUESTOR: Curriculum & Instruction

Legal Review Required: Yes No

Standard Template Used with No Changes: Yes No

Standard Template Type: Bids Waived

VENDOR NAME	AMOUNT AWARDED	REQUIRED PRODUCTS/SERVICES
International Bacculaureate	Estimated \$236,602.08	International Bacculaureate Products and Services
Estimated Total	\$236,602.08	

<input type="checkbox"/> Contract Renewal	New Contract Amount	\$236,602.08
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Recurring Contract	Previous Contract Amount	\$197,168.40
<input type="checkbox"/> New Contract	Variance	\$39,433.68

PRICE INCREASE / DECREASE EXPLANATION:

We anticipate a 20% growth in the program based on previous year SY 22-23. There are no testing and course fee increases for FY23/24.

DISCUSSION:

The International Bacculaureate (IB) Program is an internationally recognized accelerated program in which students may earn college and university credits. The IB Program based in Geneva, Switzerland, serves schools in 146 countries. Students who receive a 4 or higher on a 7-point exam are awarded postsecondary credit. Each exam passed with a 4 or higher earns .16 FTE. Additionally, each student earning an IB Diploma also earns an extra .3 FTE. Add On FTE money earned from 2022-23 IB FTE totals \$561,647.00. Students who earn an IB Diploma and complete the required number of community service hours qualify for the Bright Futures Scholarship. Cocoa Beach Jr./Sr. High School and Melbourne High School offer the International Bacculaureate Program.

The standard bid waiver agenda template has been used, which does not require legal review.

CONTRACT TERM:

The initial contract term shall commence November 22, 2023, and continue until November 21, 2024.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is the recommendation of Tara Harris, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction, and Mollie Vega, Director of Secondary Programs, to award 24-397-BW-JW for International Bacculaureate.

AUTHORITY FOR ACTION:

Florida Administrative Code 6A-1.012 (11)(a)



IB Fees 2024

Exams \$119

Theory of Knowledge entry \$46

Extended Essay \$91

Community Service (CAS) \$10