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# Cambridge A Level



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## Flexible Subject Choice with Global Recognition

Cambridge International A Level typically takes less than two years to complete and offers a flexible course of study. With over 50 subjects to choose from, schools can offer almost any combination from the wide range of subjects available, giving students the power to choose and motivate themselves throughout their studies.

Cambridge qualifications are accepted by universities all around the world. Examples of some of the most popular destination countries for Cambridge students are United Kingdom, Denmark, Germany, United States, Canada, Singapore, Australia, New Zealand, India, UAE and locally here in Malaysia.

## Who Takes Cambridge International A Level?

Aimed at 16-19-year-old students before university study, Cambridge A Level is taken by over 175,000 students in more than 125 countries every year. In the U.K., the programme is taken in year 12 and 13 of the secondary school curriculum.

## Specialisation

○ Tertiary Education

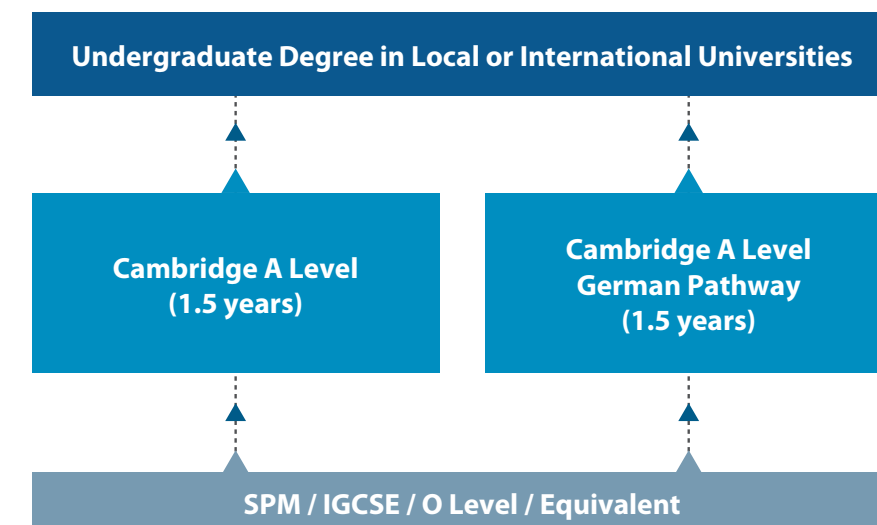
○ Cambridge A Level (16-19)

○ Cambridge Upper Secondary (14-16) IGCSE and O Level

○ Cambridge Lower Secondary (11-14)

○ Cambridge Primary (5-11)

## PROGRAMME PATHWAY



## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

### SIJIL PELAJARAN MALAYSIA (SPM)

Min. 5 credits and a pass in Bahasa Melayu and Sejarah (History)

### O LEVEL / IGCSE

Min. 5 credits including English & Mathematics

### OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

Other equivalent qualifications recognised by the Ministry of Higher Education (MOHE) or Malaysian Government will be considered on a case-by-case basis

## ENGLISH REQUIREMENTS\*

SPM	C
IGCSE (English as Second Language)	C
IGCSE (First Language English)	C

\*or equivalent

## PREREQUISITE

- Credit in respective science subject is required for Biology, Chemistry and Physics
- Credit in Additional Mathematics is required for Mathematics and Computer Science
- Further Mathematics must be enrolled with Mathematics

### NOTE:

\* English Placement Test (EPT) is required for applicants who do not meet the minimum English requirement.



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The Cambridge Assessment International Education A Level is MCKL's most prominent pre-university programme. This serves as an entry qualification to a wide range of degree programmes in universities locally and internationally.

A Cambridge education prepares students for life, helping them develop an informed curiosity and a lasting passion for learning. Students will be exposed to syllabi that develop a deep understanding of subjects and independent thinking skills.

MCKL's curriculum sets a global standard for education, with programmes that stretch, challenge and inspire our students. They will be equipped with knowledge and key competencies and skills, ready to embark on their university journey.

## Recognised Cambridge A Level Provider

One of the earliest tertiary institutions in Malaysia to offer the A Level programme as an education pathway for school leavers to further their studies globally. MCKL's A Level programme is one of the most affordable and internationally recognised in Malaysia.

## Cambridge IPQ Certification

The pioneer institution to offer Cambridge IPQ. It is a project-based qualification designed to develop skills, such as critical thinking, problem solving, independent research, innovation, creative thinking, reflection and communication for students' success by carrying out research into a topic of their choice.

## Dedicated & Experienced Lecturers

Learn from a combination of both experienced and enthusiastic lecturers who are qualified in their fields.

## Experienced University Placement Team

Experienced lecturers and university placement staff have successfully placed students in top universities of their choice.

## Personalised Community

Concentrated class sizes that allow lecturers and students to build trust, along with our administrative and support staff to help students along the way.

## Excellent Track Record

A strong track record as CAL students have been awarded Top in the World, Top in Malaysia and High Achievements for various subjects, granting students entry to top universities.

## INTAKE

January & July

18

Months Programme



## SUBJECTS OFFERED

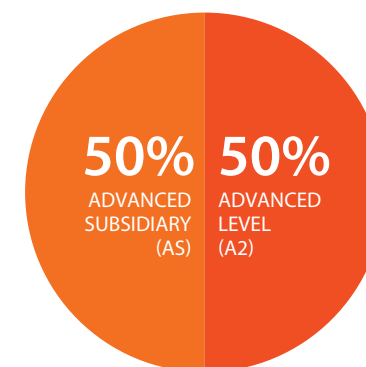
Students are required to take a minimum of 3 subjects and a maximum of 4 within the same cohort.

Science	Arts
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Biology</li><li>• Chemistry</li><li>• Computer Science</li><li>• Further Mathematics</li><li>• Mathematics</li><li>• Physics</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Accounting</li><li>• Business</li><li>• Economics</li><li>• Law</li><li>• Literature in English</li><li>• Psychology</li></ul>
<b>COMPULSORY SUBJECTS:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Service Learning</li><li>• Character Formation</li></ul>	

### NOTE:

- Students are advised to refer to the admission form when selecting the subject combinations.
- Further Mathematics can only be taken as the 4th subject.

## ASSESSMENT MODE



### Examination:

May / June and October / November

\* Internal assessments are conducted to monitor students' progress and to provide students with feedback for continuous improvement.

## SUCCESSFUL TRANSFERS

### AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND

- University of Melbourne, Australia
- University of Sydney, Australia
- University of Auckland, New Zealand

### GERMANY & IRELAND

- RWTH Aachen University
- Technical University of Berlin
- University College of Dublin

### HONG KONG

- Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
- The University of Hong Kong

### JAPAN & SOUTH KOREA

- Tokyo University of Foreign Studies, Japan
- Waseda University, Japan
- Hanyang University, Korea

### MALAYSIA

- Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia
- Universiti Malaya
- Universiti Sains Malaysia

### SINGAPORE

- Nanyang Technological University
- National University of Singapore
- Singapore Management University

### UNITED KINGDOM

- Imperial College London
- London School of Economics and Political Science
- University College London

Partial listing only.

TESTIMONIALS



**Lee Ming Cheng**  
Cambridge A Level  
(German Pathway), MCKL  
B. Sc. Computer Science,  
RWTH Aachen, Germany

I must admit, sometimes it can be very overwhelming and challenging. Nevertheless, this one whole year of learning German, meeting new people from all around the world and now studying in one of the most prestigious universities in Germany, have been nothing short of life-changing and eye-opening.



**Eng Wai Lam Simpson**  
Cambridge A Level, MCKL  
Minerva Schools at KGI, USA

I chose MCKL as it has a great reputation for the Cambridge A Level programme, affordable fees and generous scholarships. I was very happy to have lecturers and friends who were always willing to assist me whenever I needed help. Volunteering as a facilitator in the orientation camp was my most memorable experience and I advise others to give it a try.



**Chia Zhi Ling**  
Cambridge A Level, MCKL  
Business and Commerce,  
Monash University, Malaysia

I found MCKL's university placement department extremely helpful and welcoming as I would often receive various emails regarding different university placement talks and fairs. These events provided more opportunities for students to consult with university staff and a deeper insight into the various choices of courses and schools.



**Darren Chin**  
Cambridge A Level, MCKL  
Nanyang Technological University,  
Singapore

MCKL was my college of choice for its reputation of providing top-notch pre-university education and its track record of producing excellent results. MCKL is considerably more affordable compared to other colleges in Malaysia. My university placement officer also poured his time and energy by giving me advice on how to write my application forms and training me for the university interviews.



**Brandon Tay Jian Wei**  
Cambridge A Level, MCKL  
University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong

MCKL has taught me the value of being in a community that pushes each other to perform better in the classroom and beyond, and how important it is to give back to the community. I would like to thank my lecturers who taught me well during my time at MCKL, allowing me to accomplish many things, including winning the Outstanding Cambridge Learner Awards for Top in the World – AS Level Mathematics.



**Jesselyn Sin Jun Yi**  
Cambridge A Level, MCKL  
Medical Science,  
Monash University Australia

My choice to study in MCKL was truly an excellent decision as I had dedicated lecturers who encouraged me to excel, leading to me being awarded the Outstanding Cambridge Learner Awards for the October/ November 2019 examination series as Top in the World for Chemistry AS level. I will recommend MCKL without hesitation to any prospective student.





# Pathway to Universities in Germany

Germany is one of the countries that offer a world-class education at a lower cost compared to other popular study destinations. Regardless of your nationality, Germany is one of the few countries that offer reduced or free tuition fee at its public universities. If students plan to study Engineering, Sciences, Mathematics or IT, Germany will be one of the best choices.

## More Reasons to Study in Germany



Minimal tuition fee in public universities.



After graduation, students can work part time and obtain a job seeking visa for up to 18 months.



More affordable living cost compared to other European nations.



Universities use a more practical approach in preparing students for future work.



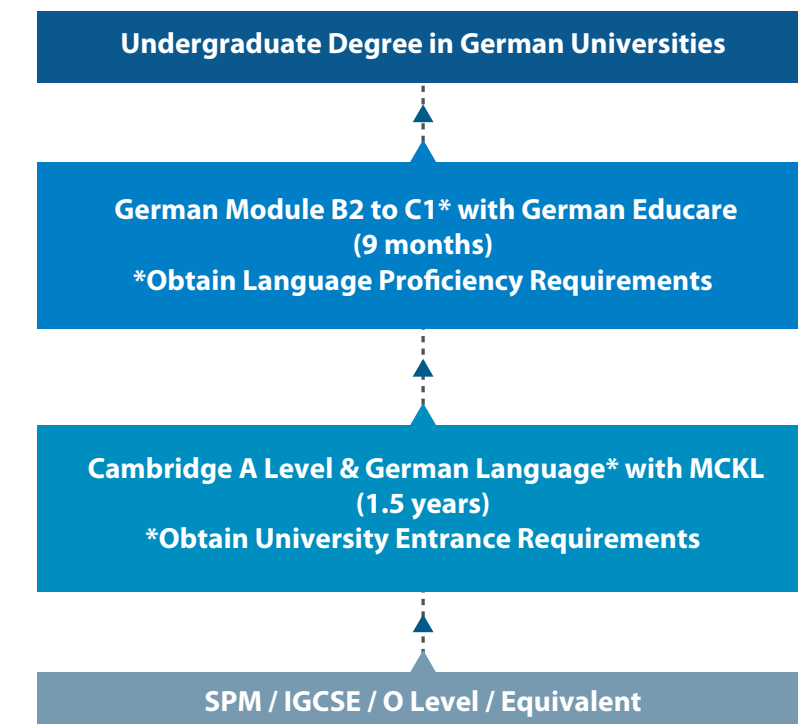
World-class universities providing networking opportunities with students from all over the world.

### German Educare

German Educare was founded by a group of Malaysians who had studied and lived in Germany for several years. German Educare will assist students to fulfill other requirements for admission to German universities of their choice. This includes German language classes for the DSH / TestDaf exam, assistance with university and visa applications, pre-internship placement and other arrangements to help in the transition to living and studying in Germany. The support team guides students in both Malaysia and Germany.



## PROGRAMME PATHWAY



\* Online learning platform will be used for more holistic learning. Students' progress in German language proficiency will be tracked throughout the course.

\*Note: Additional fee incurred for course books, Interactive Online, Learning Programme, German A1,A2, B1 Level External Test.

## UNIVERSITIES IN GERMANY

### BUSINESS / ECONOMICS

- Free University of Berlin
- Goethe University Frankfurt
- HAW München
- HS Pforzheim
- HS Reutlingen
- HTW Berlin
- LMU Munich
- TH Köln
- University of Cologne
- University of Mannheim

### ENGINEERING / INFORMATICS

- HAW Munich
- HS Karlsruhe
- HTW Berlin
- Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT)
- RWTH Aachen
- TH Köln
- TU Berlin
- TU Darmstadt FH Aachen
- TU Munich

### NATURAL SCIENCES

- Free University of Berlin
- Goethe University Frankfurt
- Heidelberg University
- Humboldt University of Berlin
- LMU Munich
- RWTH Aachen
- TU Berlin
- TU Munich

# Cambridge A Level (German Pathway)

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**MCKL provides students with a direct pathway to further their studies in Germany. While students are studying the A Level in MCKL, they will also be attending German language lessons to fulfill the language requirement to study in Germany.**

The German Pathway is specially designed for students who have decided to study in German universities or wish to explore the possibilities of furthering their studies in Germany. This pathway will grant students access to early exposure in German language without the need for a tutor.

Students who have met subject and grade prerequisites will be able to directly apply for entry into German universities to pursue medicine, finance, engineering, psychology, law, actuarial science, economics, biotechnology and many other courses. Upon completion of this programme, German Educare will assist students in qualification check, university applications and placements, advance German language lessons, visa applications and more.

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## Dedicated & Experienced Team

Supported by a professional team that is in well verse German education and has successfully assisted students to further their studies in Germany.

## Personalised Community

Concentrated class sizes that allow lecturers and students to build trust, along with our administrative and support staff to help students along the way.

## Excellent Track Record

Over the years, we have maintained a 100% university acceptance rate for students who meet the academic and language requirements.

## Experienced University Placement Team

A proven system has been developed to help students identify suitable universities and guide them thoroughly through the application process.

## Diversified Options Available

German pathway offers science and arts options, allowing students to explore a diverse range of programmes, such as engineering, business, architecture, economics and many more.

## SUBJECTS OFFERED

Students are required to take a minimum of 3 subjects and a maximum of 4 from the subjects below in which Mathematics is a mandatory subject to be taken:

### Subjects

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mathematics (mandatory)</li> <li>• Biology</li> <li>• *Business / Economics</li> <li>• *Business / Law / Psychology</li> <li>• *Chemistry / Computer Science</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Literature in English</li> <li>• Physics</li> </ul> |
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### COMPULSORY SUBJECTS:

- Service Learning
- Character Formation

### GERMAN LANGUAGE CERTIFICATION:

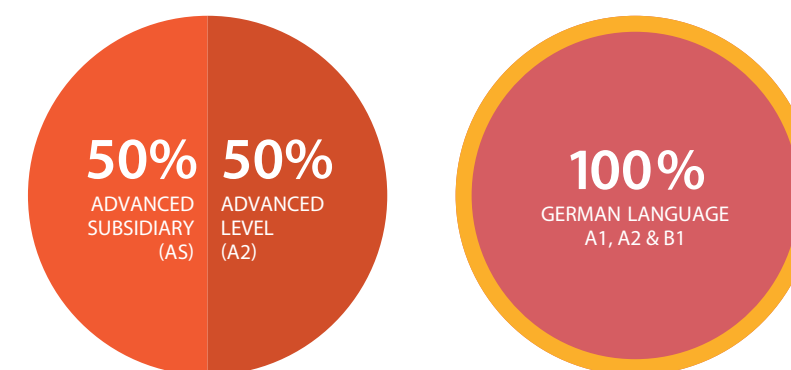
- German Language Level A1, A2 & B1

\* Student may only select one subject based on the provided options.

### NOTE:

Please consult with our education consultant for the ideal combination of the chosen subjects.

## ASSESSMENT MODE\*\*



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May / June and October / November

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Since its establishment in 1983, the College has gained a reputation of providing quality private education in the best of Methodist traditions. The educational experience is underpinned by core values, ethical standards and community involvement. Experienced lecturers teach classes and they give personal attention to their students. The College also provides student counselling (personal and academic), including making career choices and support for university applications.

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