

UPPER SCHOOL APPLICATION



Admissions Procedures

FOR APPLICANTS TO GRADES 6 THROUGH 12

The following checklist will help guide you through your child's application for admission to The American School of Marrakech.

- Make an appointment to **TAKE A TOUR** of ASM by contacting the admissions office at: admissions@asm.ac.ma or +212 (0)524 32 98 60/+212 (0)524 32 98 61.
- Give the **TRANSCRIPT & GRADES REQUEST FORM** to the school office at your child's current school.
- Give the **TEACHER EVALUATION FORMS** to teachers. Two are required for all applicants (English & Math). If the teacher teaches both English and Math, please ask another teacher to fill out the second form. Ask that the teachers mail the forms directly to The American School of Marrakech Admissions Office.
- Complete and mail the **APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION, PARENT STATEMENT, AND STUDENT STATEMENT** to The American School of Marrakech Admissions Office.
- Send the Admissions Office a **SAMPLE OF YOUR CHILD'S WRITING**. This should be a finished work that your child has submitted for a grade. Leave the teacher comments intact.
- Enclose a check of 1000 MAD application fee.
- Send the Admissions Office an **OFFICIAL COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S BIRTH CERTIFICATE**.
- The Admissions Office will contact you to arrange **TESTING AND INTERVIEWS** once we have received your application.

Other Required Documents:

- Vaccination Record
- Two Photos
- Medical Certificate
- Copy of parents passports/ID
- Birth Certificate

Application for Admission



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CHILD'S NAME _____ Applying to Grade _____
LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Date of Birth _____ Boy Girl Nickname _____
MONTH/DAY/YEAR

Nationality: Applicant _____ Father _____ Mother _____

Street Address _____

Mailing Address (if different than above) _____

Child lives with: Both parents Mother Father Other _____ Home Phone _____

Parents: Married Separated Divorced Mother Deceased Father Deceased Single parent

Names, ages, and schools of all other children in the family:

Name _____ Age _____ School _____

Name _____ Age _____ School _____

Name _____ Age _____ School _____

FATHER'S NAME _____

MOTHER'S NAME _____

Permanent Address (if different from above) _____

Permanent Address (if different from above) _____

Cell Phone _____

Cell Phone _____

Preferred E-mail _____

Preferred E-mail _____

Occupation _____

Occupation _____

Title _____

Title _____

Employer _____

Employer _____

Business Address _____

Business Address _____

Business Phone _____

Business Phone _____

Will parents reside full-time in Marrakech? Father Yes No Mother Yes No

APPLICANT'S CURRENT SCHOOL _____ Year Entered _____ Current Grade _____

School Address _____ School Phone _____

Previous schools and grades/dates of attendance _____

Name(s) of teachers(s) writing evaluations _____

Is English the child's first language? Yes No If no, please specify other language(s) spoken at home: _____

Have you had a tour of The American School of Marrakech? Yes No If yes, when? _____

How did you hear about The American School of Marrakech? _____

Have any relatives attended or graduated from The American School of Marrakech? *(Please include name and class.)*

Parent's signature _____ Date _____

Thank you for completing this application. Please mail it with the Parent Statement, Student Statement, and other requested materials directly to:

Admissions Office
American School of Marrakesh
Route de Ouarzazate, Km 9
B.P.6195
Marrakech 40000 Morocco

English Teacher Evaluation Form

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TO THE TEACHER: Please answer the following questions concerning the above-named student. Your responses will be valuable to us in getting to know this student well and will be held in strict confidence. We appreciate your time and effort spent on this child's behalf.

TO THE PARENT: Please complete the following information before giving this to the teacher.

CHILD'S NAME _____ Applying to Grade _____
 LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Name of teacher _____ Grade level taught _____

Name of school _____ School address _____

Parent's name _____ Parent's signature _____

1. PLEASE ASSESS THIS STUDENT'S INTELLECTUAL ABILITIES, INCLUDING CRITICAL THINKING, CURIOSITY, READING SKILLS, AND ABSTRACT REASONING.

2. PLEASE ASSESS THIS STUDENT'S ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE, INCLUDING CONSISTENCY AND STRENGTH OF EFFORT, STUDY SKILLS, USE OF TIME, CLASS PARTICIPATION, AND READING COMPREHENSION.

3. PLEASE ASSESS THE QUALITY OF THIS STUDENT'S WRITTEN EXPRESSION, IN TERMS OF BOTH CONTENT AND MECHANICS.

4. WHAT GENRES OF LITERATURE HAS THE STUDENT EXPERIENCED? PLEASE LIST UP TO THREE WORKS READ THIS YEAR FOR ENGLISH CLASS.

5. WHAT KINDS OF WRITING ASSIGNMENTS ARE COMPLETED FOR YOUR CLASS AND HOW OFTEN DO THEY OCCUR (DAILY, WEEKLY, MONTHLY)?

6. PLEASE DESCRIBE THIS STUDENT'S LEADERSHIP ABILITY, MATURITY, AND INTEGRITY. HOW WOULD YOU CHARACTERIZE THE STUDENT'S RELATIONSHIPS WITH PEERS AND ADULTS? DOES THIS STUDENT WORK WELL IN COLLABORATIVE SETTINGS?

7. IF YOU COULD SINGLE OUT ONE AREA IN WHICH THE STUDENT NEEDS TO IMPROVE, WHAT WOULD IT BE?

PLEASE ASSESS THIS STUDENT'S PERFORMANCE IN YOUR CLASS RELATIVE TO HIS/HER CLASSMATES?

Top 2% Top 10% Top 25% Top 50% Below 50%

MAY WE CONTACT YOU FOR FURTHER INFORMATION? Yes No E-mail _____

Teacher's signature _____

Date _____

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Mathematics Teacher Evaluation Form

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TO THE TEACHER: Please answer the following questions concerning the above-named student. Your responses will be valuable to us in getting to know this student well and will be held in strict confidence. We appreciate your time and effort spent on this child's behalf.

TO THE PARENT: Please complete the following information before giving this to the teacher.

CHILD'S NAME _____ Applying to Grade _____
 LAST FIRST MIDDLE

Name of teacher _____ Grade level taught _____

Name of course or subject taught _____

Name of school _____ School address _____

Parent's name _____ Parent's signature _____

1. WHAT IS THE TITLE OF THIS STUDENT'S MATHEMATICS COURSE? PLEASE INDICATE THE LEVEL (ON-GRADE, ACCELERATED, HONORS) AND BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE COURSE CONTENT.

2. BRIEFLY DESCRIBE THE OVERALL ACHIEVEMENT OF THIS STUDENT IN YOUR CLASS. DOES HE/SHE HAVE A GRASP OF THE SKILLS REQUIRED TO SOLVE PROBLEMS?

3. PLEASE ASSESS THE QUALITY OF THIS STUDENT'S INTELLECTUAL ABILITIES, INCLUDING CRITICAL THINKING SKILLS AND ABSTRACT REASONING. IS THE STUDENT ABLE TO MAKE CONNECTIONS? CAN THE STUDENT APPLY THINKING SKILLS TO NONROUTINE PROBLEMS?

4. PLEASE DESCRIBE THE STUDENT'S ATTITUDE, EFFORT, PARTICIPATION AND WORK ETHIC IN YOUR CLASS. CAN THE STUDENT ACCEPT CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM?

5. PLEASE ASSESS THE STUDENT'S FUNDAMENTAL NUMERICAL SKILLS AND NUMBER SENSE. CAN THE STUDENT APPLY FRACTIONS, DECIMALS, PERCENTS, AND NEGATIVE NUMBERS TO RELEVANT PROBLEMS IN YOUR COURSE? CAN THE STUDENT ESTIMATE?

6. PLEASE DESCRIBE THIS STUDENT'S LEADERSHIP ABILITY, MATURITY, AND INTEGRITY. HOW WOULD YOU CHARACTERIZE THE STUDENT'S RELATIONSHIPS WITH PEERS AND ADULTS? DOES THIS STUDENT WORK WELL IN COLLABORATIVE SETTINGS?

7. IF YOU COULD SINGLE OUT ONE AREA IN WHICH THE STUDENT NEEDS TO IMPROVE, WHAT WOULD IT BE?

PLEASE ASSESS THIS STUDENT'S PERFORMANCE IN YOU CLASS RELATIVE TO HIS/HER CLASSMATES?

Top 2% Top 10% Top 25% Top 50% Below 50%

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Teacher's signature _____ Date _____

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Parent Statement

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First and Last Name of Applicant _____ Applying to Grade _____

Father's First and Last Name _____

Mother's First and Last Name _____

AS PART OF THE ADMISSIONS PROCESS, WE ASK PARENTS TO PROVIDE INFORMATION ON THEIR CHILD. IN ORDER TO HELP US GET TO KNOW YOUR CHILD BETTER, PLEASE ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN THE SPACE PROVIDED.

What foreign languages has your child studied? _____ How long? _____

Musical instruments played: _____ How long? _____

1. WHAT ARE THE QUALITIES YOU BELIEVE TO BE IMPORTANT IN A GOOD EDUCATION?

2. PLEASE DESCRIBE YOUR CHILD - HIS/HER PERSONALITY, INTERESTS, AND TALENTS.

3. WHAT DO YOU SEE AS YOUR CHILD'S PARTICULAR STRENGTHS AND CHALLENGES?

4. HOW WOULD YOU ASSESS YOUR CHILD’S LEARNING OR SCHOOL EXPERIENCES TO DATE?

5. HOW WOULD YOU DESCRIBE YOUR CHILD’S INTERACTIONS WITH PEERS AND ADULTS?

6. IS THERE ANY OTHER INFORMATION YOU WOULD LIKE TO SHARE TO HELP US GET TO KNOW YOUR CHILD BETTER – FOR EXAMPLE, IMPORTANT FAMILY, HEALTH OR DEVELOPMENTAL EVENTS?

7. ARE THERE ANY REASONS THAT YOUR CHILD WOULD BE UNABLE TO PARTICIPATE FULLY IN ALL SCHOOL ACTIVITIES?

Parent’s signature _____ Date _____

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Student Statement

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Name of Applicant _____ Applying to Grade _____

TO THE STUDENT: Please answer the following questions in your own handwriting

1. WHICH OF YOUR SCHOOL SUBJECTS DO YOU ENJOY MOST? WHY?

2. WHAT IS THE QUALITY YOU MOST ADMIRE IN A TEACHER?

3. LIST THE TITLES AND AUTHORS OF THREE BOOKS YOU HAVE READ INDEPENDENTLY THIS PAST YEAR, AND TELL WHY THEY HAVE PARTICULARLY INTERESTED YOU.

4. WHAT QUALITIES ARE YOU LOOKING FOR IN YOUR NEW SCHOOL? DESCRIBE WHY THESE QUALITIES ARE IMPORTANT TO YOU.

5. WHAT EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES (SPORTS, CLUBS, VOLUNTEER ACTIVITIES OR OTHER) HAVE YOU PARTICIPATED IN DURING THE PAST YEAR? DESCRIBE YOUR INVOLVEMENT.

Student's signature _____ Date _____

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Transcript & Grades Release Form

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TO THE PARENT: Please complete the following information and give this form to the school office at your child's current school.

To the Registrar of _____
APPLICANT'S CURRENT SCHOOL

I hereby authorize you to send a copy of my child's official school transcript, as well as a copy of the current school year's report card and grades, and all standardized test scores to The American School of Marrakech.

Student's name _____ Grade _____

Parent's name _____

Parent's signature _____ Date _____

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