



LA GARENNE
INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL



BONAS MACFARLANE

PREPARE FOR HIGHER EDUCATION

WITH BONAS MACFARLANE

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La Garenne Universities & Careers Programme

Extended collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane Education

La Garenne International School is pleased to extend collaboration with [Bonas MacFarlane Education](#). This partnership aims to enhance our students' educational experience and guarantee them the best university and career choices.

The programme has been designed to meet the eight '[Gatsby Benchmarks](#)', which are the framework for world-class provision in university and careers guidance.

Bespoke services will also be available to La Garenne students, allowing them to access Bonas MacFarlane's renowned university consultancy and academic tuition team.

Together, these will provide students and parents with truly exceptional support in this key area of their La Garenne curriculum.

What we offer

- Cognitive and academic profiling conducted by Bonas MacFarlane Education;
- Career aptitude tests;
- Psychometric testing to identify interests, personality strengths and skills;
- Opportunities to explore a range of different careers;
- Access to University & Career Planning platform 'Unifrog';
- Year group meetings on university preparation and applications;
- Visits to University Fairs and meetings with University Admissions teams;
- Visits to UK, US & Swiss universities;
- Talks in school by representatives of a range of global universities;
- Information and support with language exams such as DELF, IELTS and Cambridge, and UK university entrance;
- Support with SAT and ACT practice;
- Unlimited 1:1 meetings with university advisors;
- Support with essays and personal statement writing in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Parents' webinar in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Mentoring sessions with Bonas MacFarlane.

Student Pathway

MYP3

- Cognitive and academic profiling by Bonas MacFarlane;
- Introductory careers workshops;
- Guidance to help students reflect on their strengths and interests and select the best programmes and subjects in Senior School;
- A range of activities and opportunities through extra-curricular activities and service programmes;
- School trips involving service programmes.

MYP4

- Introduction to the University & Career Planning platform 'Unifrog';
- Cognitive and academic profiling by Bonas MacFarlane if not previously completed;
- Parent webinars in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Mentoring sessions;
- Opportunities to hear from visiting admissions officers at a range of universities;
- Guidance to help students select the best academic programme - IB or High School Diploma;
- A range of activities and opportunities through extra-curricular activities and service programmes;
- Opportunities to listen to the experiences of visiting alumni;
- School trips involving service programmes.

MYP5

- Use of the University & Career Planning platform 'Unifrog';
- Parent webinars in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Mentoring sessions;
- Guidance to help students choose their IB subjects;
- Taking leadership roles in extra-curricular activities and service programmes;
- Parent information sessions for High School and IB Diploma subject selection;
- UK and Swiss universities trips;
- Workshops with visiting university admissions officers;
- Participation in university fairs to understand university entrance requirements;
- Tuition and support for students taking language exams such as IELTS and DELF;
- Sessions to help students understand how best to spend their summer before the final IB year;
- Practice sessions for writing personal statements;
- School trips involving service programmes.



DP1

- Access to the University & Career Planning platform 'Unifrog';
- Parent webinar in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Individual and group sessions with a Student Futures Counsellor;
- Subject-specific support and guidance in writing personal statements;
- Mentoring sessions;
- US universities trip;
- Application and Personal Statement seminars;
- Sessions on completing personal portfolios;
- Explore and expand individual academic interests beyond the classroom through reading, projects and extracurricular activities;
- Support with SAT and ACT practice;
- Support with taking language tests such as DELF and IELTS;
- Participation in school trips and service programmes;
- Support to make the final university choices;
- Workshops and seminars.

DP2

- Parent webinars in collaboration with Bonas MacFarlane;
- Mentoring sessions for students taking Oxbridge entrance exams;
- Support with practice interviews where necessary;
- Opportunities to attend pre-exam booster sessions;
- Explore and expand individual academic interests beyond the classroom through reading, projects and extracurricular activities;
- Participation in seminars.