



ANTALYA
TOPLUM KOLEJİ

MIDDLE SCHOOL · PARENT INFORMATION GUIDE

A Strong National Foundation, An International Vision

2026 – 2027 Academic Year

“We raise students who are open to the world, confident, and responsible.”

ANTALYA · DÖŞEMEALTI



WELCOME

Dear Prospective Parents

Thank you for your interest in Antalya Toplum College Middle School.

Founded in 2019, we are a private educational institution affiliated with the Turkish Ministry of National Education and enriched by the Cambridge International Curriculum. Our aim is to provide students with both a strong national foundation and an internationally recognised education, raising them as open-minded, confident and responsible global citizens.

In this guide, we have brought together everything about your child's daily life at ATK, our academic programme, and the opportunities our school offers. We are always here to answer your questions.

Antalya Toplum College Middle School Administration

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APPROVED CURRICULUM

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INTERNATIONAL

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ANTALYA CAMPUS



OUR EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY

We Guide Learning

Our school is student-centred; our teachers guide learning rather than simply transmitting information. We steer clear of rote learning, integrating technology and varied methods into our lessons in a planned, purposeful way.



Student-Centred

The student is at the centre of the learning process; our lesson plans are built around active student participation.



Purposeful Technology

Digital tools are used in our lessons only when planned in advance and clearly linked to a learning goal.



Holistic Development

We follow our students' social and emotional development as closely as their academic achievement.

Homeroom Teaching and Mentorship. Our teachers observe and guide students beyond the classroom as well, acting as their main mentor for academic and social development. Families are contacted whenever a change in behaviour is noticed.



ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

A Balanced Bilingual Education

English is the primary language of instruction at our school. Mathematics, Science, ICT, Well-Being, Literacy and Global Perspectives are taught in English, while Turkish, Social Studies, Art, Music, P4C and Religious Culture are delivered in Turkish.

TURKISH

National Programme

- Turkish
- Social Studies / History of the Turkish Revolution
- Religious Culture and Ethics
- P4C – Philosophy for Children
- Physical Education and Sport
- Music
- Visual Arts
- Social Clubs

ENGLISH

International Programme

- English (First & Second Language)
- Second Foreign Language (German / Slavic Languages)
- ICT – Robotics, Coding & AI
- Mathematics & Problem Solving Hour
- Science & Problem Solving Hour
- Well-Being
- Global Perspectives
- Literacy

Language Acquisition: Students are placed in level-based groups for Turkish, English and German to maximise proficiency. German is offered as a second foreign language from Grade 5, alongside literature-based exposure to Slavic languages.



YOUR CAMBRIDGE JOURNEY

It's a Journey, Not a Race

3,500+

Cambridge Lower Secondary schools

140

countries follow the same programme

1

Grade 5

You start at Stage 6

Students begin the Cambridge Lower Secondary programme through English, Mathematics, Science, Global Perspectives and other subjects.

2

Throughout the Year

Progression Tests

Regular progress checks help us see where a student is strong and where support is needed.

3

Grades 6 and 7

Step by step

Each year builds on the achievements of the one before.

4

Grade 8

Cambridge Checkpoint

The final assessment is marked by Cambridge, and students receive an internationally recognised statement of achievement.

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YOUR CAMBRIDGE JOURNEY

Cambridge Learner Attributes



Confident

Confident in working with information and ideas — their own and those of others.



Responsible

Responsible for themselves, responsive to and respectful of others.



Reflective

Reflective as learners, developing their ability to learn.



Innovative

Innovative and equipped for new and future challenges.



Engaged

Engaged intellectually and socially, ready to make a difference.

This international education journey, which begins in middle school, continues in high school through the Cambridge IGCSE and A Level programmes.



SCHOOL LIFE

A Day at ATK

Our school operates on weekdays only, from 09:00 to 16:45, comprising 9 lesson periods per day and a total of 45 instructional hours per week.

 40 minutes Length of each lesson	 9 lessons Lessons per day	 On campus Breakfast and lunch	 2 breaks Long breaks per day
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TIME	PERIOD
09.00 – 09.40	Period 1
09.40 – 10.00	<i>Breakfast</i>
10.00 – 10.40	Period 2
10.40 – 10.55	<i>Long Break</i>
10.55 – 11.35	Period 3
11.40 – 12.20	Period 4
12.25 – 13.05	Period 5
13.05 – 13.40	<i>Lunch</i>
13.40 – 14.20	Period 6
14.25 – 15.05	Period 7
15.05 – 15.20	<i>Long Break</i>
15.20 – 16.00	Period 8
16.05 – 16.45	Period 9

Clubs: Every Tuesday, in the last two lessons, students take part in social clubs of their own choosing. The school week opens and closes with a flag ceremony on Mondays and Fridays.



OUR SCHOOL CULTURE

A Safe, Well-Ordered Environment

We maintain the following practices without exception, so that the environment your child steps into every day stays safe, orderly and easy to focus in.



Phone Box

Phones and smartwatches are handed in each morning and returned to students at the end of the school day.



Safe Corridors

There is no running in the corridors; safety comes first, and students walk between lessons.



Respectful Language

Students communicate with one another and with staff in a respectful manner.



We Start on Time

There is no bell at our school; lessons begin punctually at the scheduled time.



Our Dining Hall

There is no canteen; breakfast and lunch are eaten in the dining hall, accompanied by teachers.



Lost & Found and Ball Box

Balls are kept in the ball box, and lost items are safely stored in the lost-and-found cabinet.



OUR DRESS CODE

Controlled Free Dress

In middle school, students come to school within the following colour palette, under our controlled free dress code.



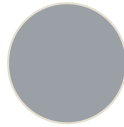
Navy



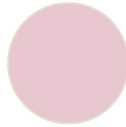
Black



White



Grey



Pink



Clothing must not be patterned and must not carry any message, logo or text.



The top and bottom do not need to match; the specified colour tones may be freely combined.



Shades may vary, as long as they do not differ noticeably from the specified colours.

Have a question? Please feel free to reach out to your child's homeroom teacher or our administrative office with any question about our dress code.



LIBRARY AND CLUBS

A School Life That Feeds Curiosity

Our Library

- Our library catalogue can be reached at www.libib.com/u/toplumkoleji.
- We regularly hold workshops on research methods, citation and critical reading.
- Turnitin and JSTOR help our students build strong academic study habits.
- If you cannot find the book you are looking for in our catalogue, simply let us know.

Our Clubs

- Clubs take place every Tuesday, in the last two lessons.
- Students choose their club according to their own interests.
- Clubs build leadership, communication, confidence and responsibility.
- Sessions are led by our teachers and by professional coaches in their field.

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CLUBS ON OFFER

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CATEGORIES

Tuesday

CLUB DAY

2

PERIODS / WEEK



OUR 2026-2027 SOCIAL CLUBS

Students may choose from 20 different clubs across the following 7 categories:

SPORTS

Table Tennis Club

Football Club

Volleyball Club

Swimming Club

ARTS

Drama Club

Dance Club

Mandala & Calligraphy Club

Creative Makers Club

Art Club

SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY

Robotics Tournament Club

ICT Fest Club

Guinness Physics Club

The Boring Club

MUSIC

Choir Club

ACADEMIC

Junior Model United Nations

Math Competitions Club

LANGUAGE & CULTURE

Reading Club (English)

ENVIRONMENT & SUSTAINABILITY

Colourful Ideas Workshop

Eco-School Club



OUR TEAM AND CONTACT

We're Here for Your Questions

Whenever there is an issue, a question, or you simply need information, you can reach us directly.

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Middle School Principal

**Burçin Tavşan**

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**Burak Aksoy**

International Programme Coordinator

**Erman Yılmaz**

School Counsellor

TOPIC	POINT OF CONTACT
Curriculum, annual plans, international exams	Relevant Programme Coordinator
Attendance, tardiness, discipline	Vice Principal's Office
A student's social-emotional wellbeing	School Counselling Office
General communication and information	Homeroom Teacher



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We Would Be Happy to Welcome You to Our Family

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