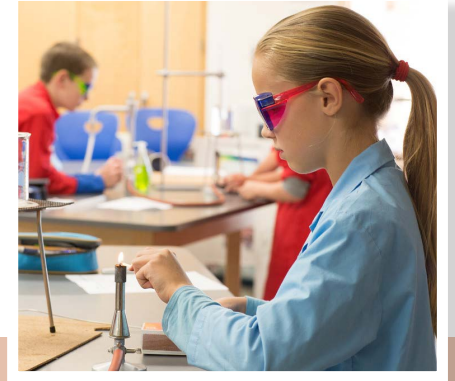




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WASHINGTON D.C.



The German International School Washington D.C. (GISW) has been recognized for its outstanding offerings and achievements in STEM subjects and is, as of the 2018/19 school year, a member of the German network of excellent MINT-EC Schools. This makes the GISW the first MINT-EC school in the U.S. and the first non-European school in the network.



What is MINT-EC?

MINT stands for Mathematics, Computer Science, Natural Sciences, and Technology; the German equivalent to STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics). MINT-EC is a German network of excellent STEM secondary schools (grades 5 through 12). Acceptance into this network is competitive and validates the high quality of our school's STEM profile. Further Information: <http://www.mint-ec.de>.



STEM
is integral to our curriculum from preschool through Grade 12.

What does MINT-EC mean for teaching and learning at our school?

Students will have the chance to participate in highly sought-after MINT-EC Camps that take place at German universities and research facilities. Additionally, advanced programs, competitions, and networking opportunities with students of other MINT-EC schools are possible. Students and teachers benefit from a tight network of MINT-EC schools that are connected through a variety of platforms that offer additional teaching resources and opportunities for collaboration. GISW faculty members may also participate in the excellent professional development seminars offered by MINT-EC.



MINT-EC Certificate

Students who participate regularly in STEM-related activities (STEM/MINT camps, competitions in Math, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science, extracurricular courses, optional research papers) can earn the prestigious MINT-EC Certificate along with their German International Abitur and US High School Diploma, which will be a significant advantage when applying to universities.



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