

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Is Açı Schools a foundation school?

Açı Schools, established under the Ministry of National Education, is an investment of Açı Education and Teaching Services Inc.; it is not a foundation school.

2. What is your fee policy?

School fees are determined and announced to the public between the end of January and the beginning of February in accordance with the relevant articles of the Ministry of National Education's Private Education Institutions Regulation. Fees vary across preschool, primary school, and high school levels.

3. What is your policy regarding registration cancellation and fee refunds?

Registration cancellation and fee refunds are carried out in accordance with "Article 56 of the Ministry of National Education's Private Education Institutions Regulation".

4. Do you offer a sibling discount?

A 10% discount will be applied to the second sibling of two children; a 15% discount will be applied to each of three siblings; a 15% discount will be applied to the first three siblings of four, and a 20% discount will be applied to the fourth sibling.

5. Do you offer any discounts for institutions or organizations?

There are no discounts for any institutions or organizations.

6. Are twin children placed in separate classes?

Twin children are placed in separate classes.

7. What are the second foreign language options besides English?

In addition to English, French or Spanish are offered as elective courses starting from grade 5.



8. What factors do you consider when forming classes?

Our teachers, guidance counselors, school principal, and vice principals evaluate students each year based on social-emotional and academic development, gender balance, and friendship dynamics, among other criteria, and then reorganize the classes.

9. Is there an educational difference between the preschool and primary school campuses?

The same curriculum and teaching program are applied across schools at the same level, regardless of the campus..



PRESCHOOL

1. Where are your preschool campuses located?

Our preschool campuses are located in Levent, Kemerburgaz, and Bahçeköy.

2. What age groups do you serve in preschool?

We provide education for 3, 4, and 5-year-old children.

3. How is student admission for Açı Preschool done?

For all age groups, a parent meeting is held. During the meeting, the school program is introduced, and the student and family are familiarized. Starting from the second semester, students are invited for a meeting to get to know the school.

Student interviews may be conducted if necessary, and reports may be requested from the student's previous school.

4. Can students transfer between campuses?

Transfers between campuses are possible if there is availability.



PRIMARY SCHOOL

1. Where are your primary school campuses located?

Our primary school campuses are located in Akatlar and Bahçeköy.

2. How is student admission to Açı Primary School done?

For candidates who have attended preschool education at different institutions, a daily schedule planning, guidance assessment, and English evaluation are carried out at Açı Primary School.

3. Can students transfer between campuses?

Transfers between campuses are possible if there is availability.

4. How is foreign language education provided?

The language of instruction is Turkish. English is taught for 10 hours per week.



MIDDLE SCHOOL

1. How is student admission to Açı Middle School done?

In addition to the guidance assessment, academic evaluations in Turkish, English, and Mathematics are conducted for prospective students. Based on these evaluations, successful students are granted admission.

2. What is the procedure for transitioning from middle school to high school?

Students graduating from Açı Middle School who wish to enroll in Açı High School must meet the following criteria:

- a) No multiple disciplinary offenses during middle school
- b) A final grade point average of 77 or higher in grades 6, 7 and 8

For students wishing to enroll in Açı Social Sciences High School, the following criteria apply:

- a) No multiple disciplinary offenses during middle school
- b) A final grade point average of 65 or higher in grades 6, 7 and 8

3. What is the continuation rate from Açı Middle School to Açı High School?

The continuation rate of our 8th graders to Açı High School for the 2023-2024 academic year is 87%.

4. What club/elective courses do you offer?

There are two categories of elective courses in middle school:

Elective Course 1: Application of Academic Subjects (1 hour per week for 5th and 6th grades, 2 hours per week for 7th and 8th grades)

Elective Course 2: Music and Art Applications (2 hours per week)

5. Do you offer scholarships?

Scholarships are available for middle school students based solely on need.



6. Do you offer a second foreign language option?

From 5th grade onward, students can choose either Spanish or French as a second foreign language.



HIGH SCHOOL

1. How is student admission to Açı High School done?

Prospective students are not assessed based on the national entrance exam (LGS). For 9th and 10th grade students, interviews are conducted with the student and their parents, followed by evaluations in literature, English, and mathematics. Based on these evaluations, a guidance assessment is conducted. Successful students are admitted. External admissions are not accepted for 11th and 12th grades.

For detailed information: https://www.acischools.k12.tr/en/admission/

2. What are the scholarship conditions at Acı High School?

Açı High School offers merit-based scholarships. Graduates of Açı Middle School who have an average grade of:

- a. 85% 89.99% receive a 25% scholarship
- b. 90% 94.99% receive a 50% scholarship
- c. Above 95% receive a 75% scholarship

All students at Açı High School can earn scholarships based on their final grade point average and positive behavior. For incoming students, a one-year scholarship of 25% is given to those scoring 85% or higher, and 50% to those scoring 90% or higher on the Açı High School entrance assessment.

3. How are "extracurricular activities" conducted, and how often are they offered?

Açı's Diploma Program includes "Açı Academic Program (AAP)" and "Açı Learning Experiences (ALE)." ALE focuses on social responsibility and clubs, offering students 25 different club options, with students having the freedom to choose clubs they wish to join. Participation in social responsibility projects is voluntary, with students choosing from 14 different projects. Clubs meet after school on Wednesdays and Fridays.

4. How does Açı High School prepare students for university?

Açı High School students choose between domestic and international university preparation programs at the end of 10th grade. Starting from 11th grade, students begin their university preparation based on their choices.



5. How are AP (Advanced Placement) courses offered? Can every student take them?

Açı High School offers AP courses for students planning to study abroad starting from 11th grade. Pre-AP courses are offered for 10th grade students. These courses are conducted either during or after school hours depending on the subject.