



INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION PROCEDURES & REQUIREMENTS FOR THE 2016/2017 SCHOOL YEAR

(For students for whom English is a second language and/or who require an I-20)

For the 2016/2017 school year, Maui Prep accepts applications for enrollment on a rolling basis. For international students not residing on Maui, the only option to attend Maui Prep is to enroll in Maui Prep’s International Boarding Program for the academic year or semester. The capacity of Maui Prep’s boarding facility is 44 students per semester.

In order to be accepted into the International Boarding Program at Maui Prep, all student candidates must complete, in full, Maui Prep’s application process, which includes:

- A completed Maui Prep application form (or the equivalent provided by an organization/agency partnered with Maui Prep),
- A full transcript of academic performance for at least the three previous consecutive school years (a copy translated into English, and with an explanation for the grade scale(s) used on the transcript),
- Teacher recommendations (preferably one from a math/science teacher and one from an English/language arts teacher) and/or a principal’s or headmaster’s recommendation (again, all translated into English),
- An interview (which may occur in person or via SKYPE),
- A verifiable assessment of English language proficiency (see table below),
- And a \$125.00 non-refundable application fee (which should be paid in full prior to the interview).

Once Maui Prep is in possession of the completed application, all supporting materials, the application fee, and notes from the SKYPE interview, Maui Prep’s admission committee may rule on the application within 48-72 hours. Under extenuating circumstances, Maui Prep’s admission committee may waive one or more of the application requirements outlined above.

Maui Prep utilizes the table, below, to help determine a student’s English language proficiency and readiness to succeed at Maui Prep. These baseline scores *guide* the admission committee; they are not rigid benchmarks. These minimum requirements are based on the assumption that all international students intend matriculation at an American college or university following graduation. For those international students who intend to spend no more than a semester or year at Maui Prep, the English language proficiency requirements may be relaxed.

Entering Grade	CEFR	SLEP	iTEP SLATE	IELTS	TOEFL, Jr	TOEFL	SSAT (verbal)	Min. Un-weighted GPA
	Max C2	Max 67	Max 6.0	Max 9.0	Max 900	Max 120	Max 800	Max 4.0
6	B1	48-52	3.5-4.4	4.5	745-790	45-55	500-550	N/A
7	B1	48-52	3.5-4.4	4.5	745-790	45-55	500-550	N/A
8	B1	48-52	3.5-4.4	4.5	745-790	45-55	500-550	N/A
9	B1	50-55	4.0-4.5	5.0	X	55-65	500-550	3.0
10	B1-B2	53-58	4.5-5.0	5.5	X	60-70	550-600	3.0
11	B2	55-60	5.0-6.0	6.0	X	65-80	600-650	3.0
12	C1	60+	5.0-6.0	6.0	X	65-80	600-650	3.0

International Fee	Description
\$6,000.00	Intensive ELL: the student is assigned to a small group tutorial environment, generally not exceeding a 5:1 ratio, in which the ELL instructor is the “teacher of record” for all language arts/English-based subjects (English, history/social studies, and possibly science).
\$3,000.00	Moderate ELL: the student is assigned to a language lab/hybrid-learning environment in which the student may receive individualized reinforcement as needed to support mainstream course work, but also will be engaged with some online- and software-based English language learning tools.
\$1,500.00	Basic: the student is expected to be able to perform fully in all Maui Prep college preparatory coursework with only occasional ELL assistance/support in refining such schoolwork as extended essays or oral presentations.

All International students (for whom English is a second language and/or who require an I-20) are assessed an “international fee” in addition to tuition/room/board fees. The student’s level of English language proficiency at the time of application dictates which international fee is assessed. Each year while attending Maui Prep, the student’s level of English language proficiency is reassessed. The ultimately goal for a student attending Maui Prep is to achieve the highest level of English language proficiency possible and, therefore, requiring the lowest International Fee.

Maui Preparatory Academy (“Maui Prep”) values diversity and seeks students from different backgrounds. Maui Prep does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, national or ethnic origin, religion, sex, or sexual orientation in the administration of its educational and admissions policies. Maui Prep is committed to fair and equitable treatment of persons with disabilities and endeavors to provide reasonable accommodation, provided such accommodation does not impose an undue hardship on the Academy.