

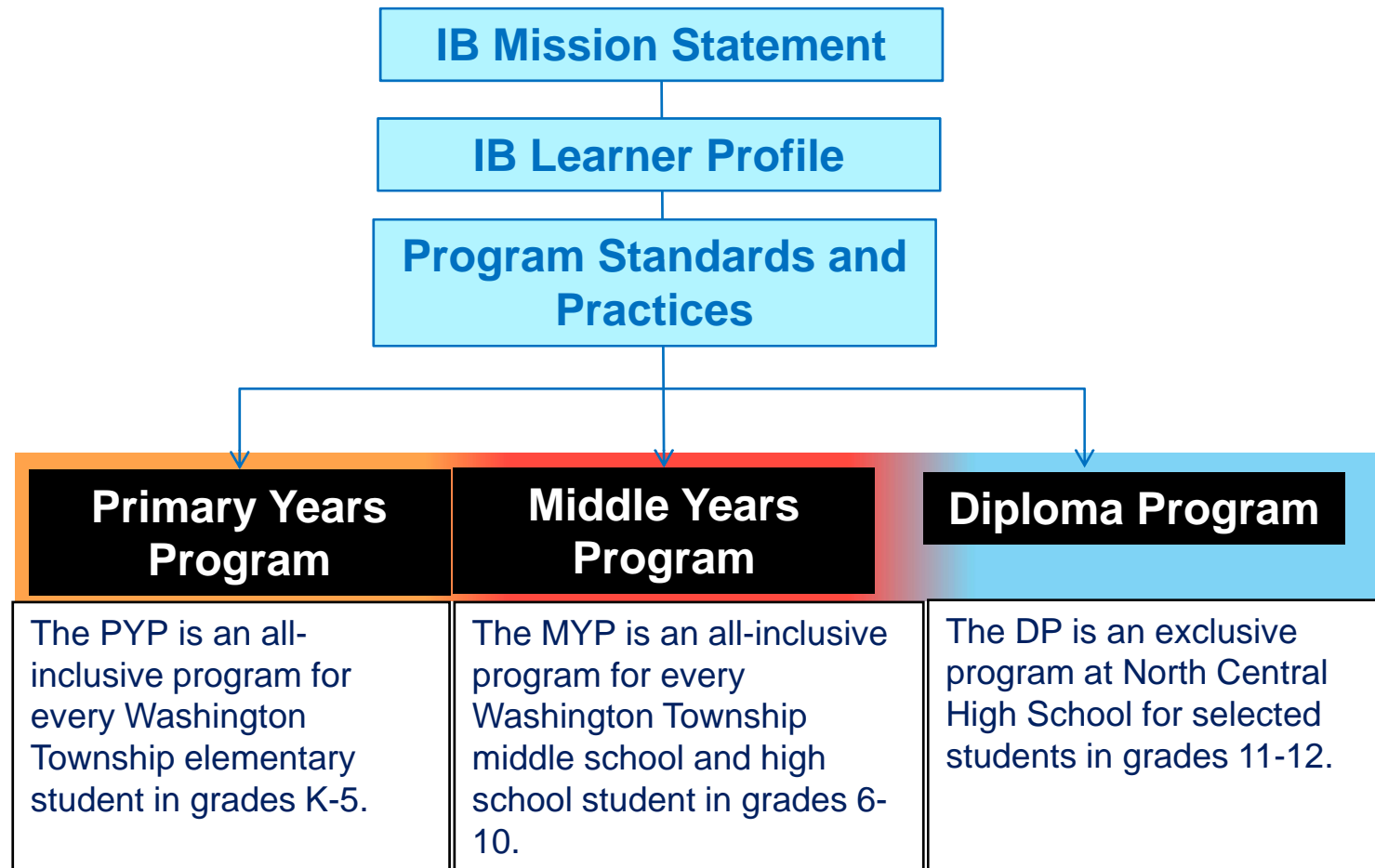


# International<sup>®</sup> Baccalaureate

**Primary and Middle Years Program  
Metropolitan School District of  
Washington Township**

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# The IB Continuum



# Authorization Process



## IB PROGRAMME AUTHORIZATION PROCESS

<p>Step 1: (6 months)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Undergoes feasibility study;</li> <li>• Submits <i>Application Form A</i></li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arranges for key staff training;</li> <li>• Learns about IB's philosophy and curriculum;</li> </ul>
<p>Step 2: (At least one academic year)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Undergoes one year trial implementation period</li> <li>• Selects a programme coordinator and undertakes teacher training</li> <li>• Puts in place all the processes and demonstrates the resources required</li> <li>• Has access to IB's online curriculum centre and global online support network</li> <li>• Receives pre-authorization / consultation visit</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Has access to the online curriculum centre</li> <li>• Key faculty and administrators attend IB-approved professional development workshops</li> </ul>
<p>Step 3: (6–18 months)</p>	<p>Submits <i>Application Form B</i>; • Receives authorization visit by an IB team</p>	

**Total duration of authorization process is usually two to three years**

# MSDWT IB Timeline



# Professional Development

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# Communicating the Vision





# Funding for IB

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# The Future of IB in Washington Township

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