



CITY ACADEMY

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Cambridge International Centre Status Awarded to Local School

City Academy Offers New Range of Qualifications to Its Students

Salt Lake City, UT - City Academy is proud to have become accredited to offer Cambridge International Examinations (CIE) courses, the first school in Utah to achieve this status. Cambridge International Examinations is the world's largest provider of international qualifications for high school students. Its courses are globally renowned for their high academic standards and also for being engaging, relevant, and up to date.

Newsweek magazine included Cambridge International Advanced courses in its rankings of the top high schools in the United States. Courses geared specifically for ninth and tenth graders, for which students earn the International General Certificate of Secondary Education, provide excellent preparation for moving on to study at the Advanced Level. "This accreditation is an important statement about the rigor and opportunities provided by the curriculum at City Academy," said Gareth Orr, Social Studies teacher. "Our students are able to pursue challenging and stimulating courses and may now receive certification through internationally recognized and prestigious examinations." Gareth also observes that CIE courses validate City Academy's longstanding commitment to investigative, active, community-centered learning. To learn more about the Cambridge International Examinations, log on to the Cambridge University website at www.cie.org.uk.

City Academy is a public charter school offering open enrollment; no tuition is charged. The school is accredited by the Northwest Association of Accredited Schools. Now in its eighth successful year of educating Utah students, City Academy provides a challenging and meaningful educational approach, implemented in tandem with the Utah state core curriculum. City Academy serves students from across the Salt Lake community, in grades 7 through 12. For more information about City Academy visit our website at www.cityacademyslc.org or call us at 801-596-8489.

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