

QSI - INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF MINSK

ASSISTED SCHOOL SPECIAL NEEDS PROFILE

School situations can change quickly, particularly as schools face cutbacks to learning support programs due to the pandemic, current unrest, and economic uncertainty. For the most current information, work with the REO and school. Information in this document was collected by the Department of State's Office of Overseas Schools directly from the school in late 2020. If a field is not specified, please reach out to the REO listed below for more information.



QSI International School of Minsk (QSIM) is an independent, coeducational day school that was founded in 1993 at the request of the U.S. Department of State and is happy to celebrate 27 years of providing high quality education to children (aged two to 18) of parents working with diplomatic missions, NGOs, and multinational corporations in Minsk. Read more on the [Overseas Schools Fact Sheet](#).

MISSION & VISION

"The QSI International School of Minsk is a private, nonprofit institution that has been serving the international community of Minsk Belarus since 1993. Through mastery-based classrooms, teachers provide a quality education in the English language for students from two years old through eighteen years of age. QSI believes in success for all students and our teachers believe in creating the positive learning conditions, by which all students can be successful."

ADMISSIONS

The school's admission criteria and procedures can be found at minsk.qsi.org/admissions.

Due to the geopolitical issues in this region, the ability of this school to provide services may have been affected. Please contact the REO.

SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT SERVICES

DISABILITIES SERVED

Hearing Impaired	Yes	Behavioral/Emotionally Disturbed	No
Visually Impaired	Yes	Autistic	No
Handicap Accessible	No	Non-categorical	No
Learning Disabled	No		
Intellectually Disabled	No		

Use of IEP or ILP

Yes



Teacher Accommodations

Yes



Teacher Accommodations with Learning Support Teacher

Yes



Maximum Hours per Week per Student

Push In Not Specified
Pull Out Not Specified



Co-Teaching/ Team Teaching in the Classroom

Yes



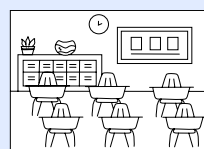
Academic support class
Secondary School

Yes



SELF-CONTAINED CLASSROOM

No



In Elementary No
In Middle School No
In High School No



Support for special needs preschoolers

Yes



SPECIAL NEEDS SUPPORT STAFF IN THE SCHOOL

Nurse:		2
Psychologist:		0
Social Worker:		0
Special Needs Coordinator:		0
Learning Support Teacher:		0
Guidance Counselor:		1

Staffing numbers are listed as full school totals. A breakdown by elementary, middle, and high school levels can be found on the [School Summary Information Portal](#)

[Portal](#)

or by emailing

OverseasSchools@state.gov.

SERVICES AVAILABLE IN ENGLISH

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Psycho Educational Assessment:	No	No
Speech Therapy:	No	No
Occupational Therapy:	No	No
Physical Therapy:	No	No
Behavior and/or Autism Specialist (ABA/Behavior Plan/Interventions):	No	No
Social Skills Group/Social Skills Training:	No	No

SCHOOL

1:1 Trained Classroom Aide:	Yes
Special Transportation:	Yes
Transportation Paraprofessional:	Yes

LITERACY & MATHEMATICS SUPPORT

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Reading Specialist:	No	No
Reading Remediation:	No	No
Reading Programs for Dyslexia (Orton Gillingham, etc.):	No	No
Math Specialist:	No	No

QUESTIONS ABOUT THE BEST EDUCATIONAL FIT FOR YOUR CHILDREN

Regional Education Officer (REO)

MED/CFP

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