



## **STANDARDS OF EXCELLENCE FOR THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL HEAD**

The head of an international school:

### **I. LEARNING**

1. Insists on a focus on learning in every aspect of the school's work.
2. Promotes the implementation of a curriculum rooted in best practice, international-mindedness, and value beyond school.
3. Provides leadership on how best to monitor and improve learning.

### **II. LEADERSHIP**

4. Inspires faculty and staff to the highest expectations.
5. Galvanizes the school community around a worthy and achievable mission-driven vision.
6. Promotes a culture of accountability.

### **III. ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

7. Builds relationships and organizational structures which effectively support learning and ensure long term financial stability and mission protection
8. Initiates and maintains ethical personnel practices, focused on the highest standard of teaching in every classroom.

### **IV. PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTABILITY**

9. Models behavior consistent with the school's mission and values.
10. Continuously refreshes professional skills and knowledge.