**International Baccalaureate Implementation Timeline**

***February 2012*** Determine IB Language B offering(s)

***March 2012*** Hire HS Principal – Steven Miller hired Spring 2012

***March – August 2012***  Hire IB Coordinator/Teacher – Steven Meek hired Spring 2012

Principal/IB Coordinator Attend Category 1 IB Training

Language B Teachers attend Category 1 IB Training

Language B Teachers/Middle School Modern Language Collaboration

***Spring 2012*** Develop IB Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) document

***August 2012*** Posted IB FAQ to web

***September 2012*** HS and MS Back to School Nights have communication about IB

***Fall 2012*** Develop IB Learner Profile and plan for course sequence

***Fall 2012*** Host 3 IB Stakeholder meetings (close in proximity) \*Produce IB literature (flyer)

***2012-2013 School Year*** Middle School offers semester Modern Language class to 8th graders

***Ongoing***  Educate community on IB philosophy

***September 2012*** RPHS join Midwest IB Schools Organization

Order IB publications (DP starter pack+course guides for projected courses)

***December 2012*** Complete Feasibility Study

***February 1, 2013*** IB Orientation Seminar in Minnesota ($2,500)

***April 1, 2013*** Submit Application for candidacy ($4,000)

***July – August 2013*** Develop Action Plan based on Request for Candidacy feedback

***July-August 2013*** Ensure all teachers have attended a Category 1 workshop

***July-August 2013*** IB Coordinator/Principal work with IB-appointed consultant for a 2-day

On-site visit and 20 remote hours

Develop supporting documents related to RPHS policies, scheduling, subjects

offered, course outlines and CAS outline for the Application for Authorization

***July-September 2013*** Establish teacher accounts on the On-Line Curriculum Center

***August 2012-April 2014*** Develop plan for collaborative planning among IB teachers

***April 2014*** Submit Application for Authorization

***July-August 2014*** Review feedback and prepare for the verification visit

***Pre-verification visit (TBD)*** Continue developing and implementing action plan

***Class of 2017*** First IB Course offered at Ray-Pec for 2012-2013 9th graders

Additional information:

Upon acceptance of the Application for Authorization, a visit to the school will be carried out to verify the school’s claim that it has taken all necessary actions and is prepared to become and IB World School.

The purpose of the visit is to ensure that the educational principals, standards, and practices on which the IB program is founded will be maintained and furthered.

The IB Director General makes the final decision in granting or denying authorization.

***September 2012 Update***