

# LA SCUOLA HIGH SCHOOL: MODEL COMPARISON

Updated with Middle School Alignment Analysis | \$52K Tuition | February 2026

## CURRENT MIDDLE SCHOOL MODEL (FOR REFERENCE)

**Core Subjects:** All taught in English

**Language Tracks:** Italian L2 + Spanish L3 **OR** Spanish L2 + Italian L3 (student choice)

### MODEL A: Italian Focus

35-40% Italian Immersion for All

### MODEL B: Hybrid

Italian Core + Language Electives

#### Structure:

35-40% subjects taught IN Italian

(History, Culture, Art, Italian LA)

60-65% taught in English

No language choice — Italian only

#### Structure:

Core subjects in English (like MS)

20-25% Italian Core (Culture, History)

+ Language elective (student choice):

Italian L2 / Spanish L2 / French / Mandarin

## MIDDLE SCHOOL → HIGH SCHOOL ALIGNMENT

Feature	Model A vs Current MS	Model B vs Current MS
Core subjects language	CHANGE — English → Italian	SAME — English
Language track choice	REMOVED — Italian only	EXPANDED — 4 options
Spanish L2 students	LOST — must switch to Italian	RETAINED — can continue Spanish
MS → HS transition	Significant adjustment	Natural continuation

## FINANCIAL COMPARISON @ 100 STUDENTS / \$52K TUITION

Metric	Model A	Model B
Revenue	\$5.2M	\$5.2M
Personnel	\$3.0M (6-8 bilingual)	\$3.2M (7-8 mixed)
Operating Margin	~\$650K (12%)	~\$500K (10%)

### UPDATED RECOMMENDATION: Model B (Hybrid)

Better alignment with current MS model | Retains Spanish-track families | Natural transition

*Model A remains viable if differentiation is prioritized over continuity*

*Key Question: What % of current MS families chose Spanish L2? (If >30%, Model A risks significant attrition)*