

High School Profile 2020 - 2021

Shekou International School provides a rigorous education in a caring community and inspires our students to become principled, innovative contributors in a transforming world.

School Community

- Established 1988 in Shenzhen, Guangdong, China
- Nonprofit, independent, day school
- 180 days divided into two semesters August to December and January to June
- 933 students school wide
- 157 students in the high school
- 48 teachers in the high school
- 8 different teacher nationalities

Academics

- WASC accredited
- High School Diploma awarded to all students
- IB Diploma Program since 2010
- Class of 2018 achieved the highest average diploma score in SIS history
- Open Admissions policy to Diploma Program
- Students in Grades 9 and 10 complete a standards-based core curriculum

Student Activities

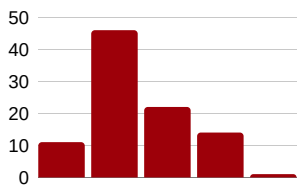
- 75% students in High School participate in Athletics or Activities.
- 7 sports include: football, basketball, volleyball, badminton, swimming, track and field, and cross country
- 25 activities, many student led: Global Issues Network, Student Council, Model United Nations, Yearbook, House Building, Fashion Show, SIS Green

Grading, GPA SIS reports using the 1-7 IB marking scheme.

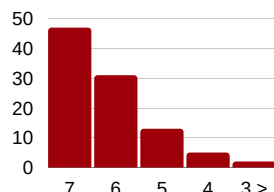
Keeping with the IB philosophy, SIS does not calculate GPA; nor do we rank students.

COVID-19 Statement: We shut our doors for the Chinese New Year holiday on the afternoon of 23 January 2020, and did not reopen for several months. online classes began on Monday 3 February 2020. We maintained our grading scale; instruction remained fully online until 27 April 2020. At that time those in China returned to campus and a hybrid delivery model was offered. The year ended on 17 June 2020. There was an opportunity to revise and sit internal semester examinations to complete the academic year online or in person depending on student situation.

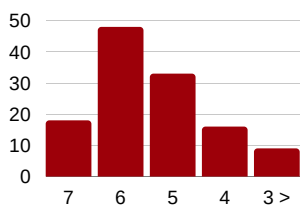
IB Score Distribution 2017 - 2020



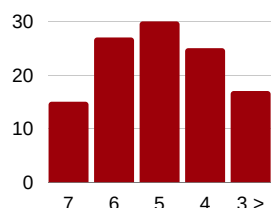
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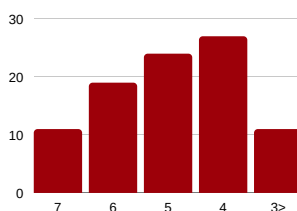
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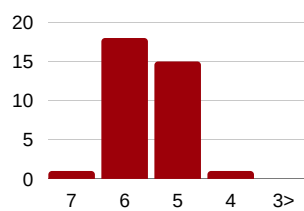
Individuals & Societies



Sciences



Mathematics



Arts

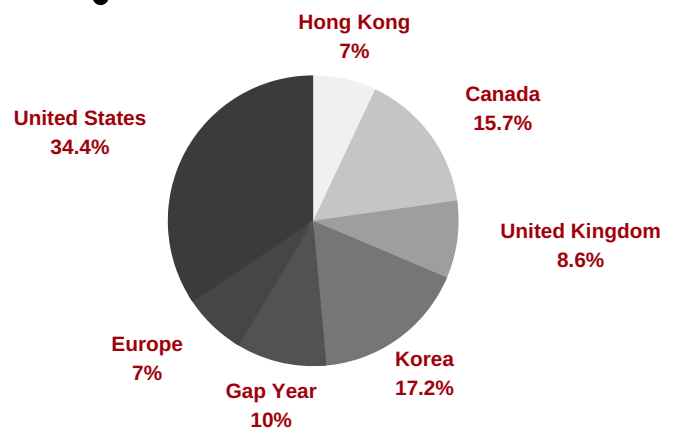
Statement of Impact on Class 2021

The 2020-21 school year commenced 10 August with 90% of students and 40% staff on campus (full school) using a blended model with substitute teachers supervising many lessons in person; we anticipate staff return throughout the semester and plan to resume full face-to-face learning by Semester 2 January 2021.

As of 1 September, 25 of 30 Grade 12 students were on campus. Only 12 of the 30 IB classes being taught to Class 2021 had returning teachers. 18 of the 30 classes have a new teacher most of whom are teaching remotely.



SIS University Matriculations 2018-2020



Class of 2020	IB Diploma Candidates	IB Diploma Earners	Bilingual Diploma	Highest Diploma Score	Average Subject Score	Average Diploma Score
	17	17	3	42	5.63	36

Class of 2021

30 Seniors from 14 Distinct Nationalities



Australia / Brazil / Canada (3) / Finland / France (2) / Hong Kong (5) / Malaysia / India (2) / Korea (9) / Philippines / Singapore / Taiwan / UK / USA

Class of 2021 intend to pursue studies in Animation, Biology, Biomedical Sciences, Business, Chemistry, Creative Writing, Dentistry, Economics, Film Production, Management in Creative Industries, Mathematics, Engineering, Media & Communications, Philosophy, Psychology, Theatre, Visual Arts.

Class of 2021 SIS Grade Distribution as of June 2020

Course	7	6	5	4	3 >
Lang & Literature	6	15	1	6	3
Lang Acquisition	16	7	4	0	2
Individ & Societies	14	11	5	5	3
Sciences	10	14	7	6	3
Mathematics	8	10	8	2	1
Arts	4	2	3	0	0

28 out of 30 students are registered in the Diploma Programme

- SIS limits students to 10 applications worldwide.
- Official transcripts and letters of recommendation are sent directly to admissions offices or through Cialfo using Parchment services.
- Unofficial transcripts are neither signed nor stamped, but are provided for students to self-report.
- SIS is a registered SAT test center for SIS students only; we do not prepare students for SAT, nor do we report SAT data as not all students take this test.

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Accreditations and Memberships

WASC - Western Association of Schools and Colleges

IB - Fully accredited International Baccalaureate - PYP and DP

NCCT - National Center for Curriculum and Textbook Development

EARCOS - East Asia Regional Council of Overseas Schools

NACAC - National Association for College Admissions Counseling

AAIE - Association for the Advancement of International Schools

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