



**MISSION STATEMENT: Enabling students, within a Lasallian community, to learn how to learn and learn how to live, empowering them to become people of integrity and people for others.**


SJI International was founded in January 2007 and is part of the Catholic educational tradition of the De La Salle Christian Brothers. We are one of three schools in Singapore with a license to educate both Singaporean and international students.

Learning at the High School has four core pillars: Academic Learning, Service Learning, Co-Curricular Learning and Outdoor Education.

## STUDENT POPULATION

**1234 students**  
  
**in Grades 7 through 12**

**410 students** in Grades 11 and 12  
**411 students** in Grades 9, 10, and 10 FC  
**20 students** in Grades 7 through 12 study at the school on full or partial scholarships

**55.5% Singaporeans**  
  
**44.5%** are from **30** other nationalities

## CLASS OF 2021

  
**201** are full IB Diploma candidates

**203 students**  
  
**from 18 nationalities**

  
**8** are on full or partial scholarships

All Singaporean and Singaporean Permanent Resident males (36.9% of the Class of 2021) are required to complete two years of compulsory National Service with the Singapore Armed Forces after graduating. They are only able to start university after completing this commitment.

## FACULTY

**121** full-time faculty  
**8** part-time faculty  
**from 19 nationalities**



**51** hold Masters degrees  
**6** hold Doctoral degrees

## COLLEGE ADMISSIONS INFORMATION

- The language of instruction at SJI International is English.
- Our academic year runs from January to December with students sitting November IGCSE and IB exams. The Class of 2021 will graduate on November 20 2021 with final IB results expected in early January 2022.
- All Singaporean Citizens and Permanent Residents must fulfil the Ministry of Education Mother Tongue Language Requirement. Hence a student's choice of languages throughout High School is usually restricted.
- Male Singaporean Citizens and Permanent Residents completing their compulsory Singapore National Service are supported by the University Counsellors at SJI International through their university applications, including submitting all official high school documents and letters of recommendation.
- Final IGCSE grades by the Cambridge IGCSE are awarded on an A\* to G scale; final IB grades by the IBO are awarded on a 1 - 7 scale with 7 being the highest. For the Class of 2021, school grades were awarded on a 1 - 7 scale and Theory of Knowledge was assessed on an A - E scale.
- Students are awarded one grade at the end of Grades 9 and 11, and two grades in Grades 10 and 12.
- Predicted Grades are awarded in October, just before students sit their final examinations and graduate in November.
- We do not rank students or award Grade Point Averages.
- We do not tick rating boxes on recommendation forms.
- Disciplinary infractions resulting in a fixed term external exclusion are disclosed if requested.

## Impact of COVID-19 on the Class of 2021

- In line with the Singapore Ministry of Education guidelines, SJI International has been on Home Based Learning from 26 March to 12 June 2020 and from 19 May to 11 June 2021.
- Since early February 2020, even when school has been in person, activities, movement and interaction have been severely restricted. With frequent changes to safe-distancing regulations, it has also been disruptive and difficult to plan.
- The Class of 2021 have been awarded grades as normal, based on the school and IB 1-7 grading system.
- With the cancellation of test centers, students have had extreme difficulty accessing the SAT and ACT tests in 2020 and 2021. The entire process has caused a lot of anxiety.
- The November 2021 IB examinations are expected to be administered. Final results are expected in early January.
- All school related student and staff travel ceased on 3 February 2020 and has not resumed.

# IB DIPLOMA SUBJECTS

Class of 2021

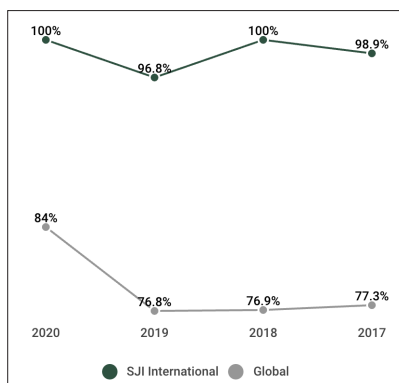
All courses are offered at the Higher and Standard Levels unless indicated otherwise.

Group 1: Language and Literature	Group 2: Language Acquisition	Group 3: Individuals and Societies	Group 4: Sciences	Group 5: Mathematics	Group 6: The Arts
<b>Language and Literature</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chinese A</li> <li>English A</li> <li>Korean A SL</li> </ul> <b>Literature</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>English A</li> <li>Indonesian A</li> <li>Vietnamese A SL</li> </ul>	<b>Language B</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chinese B - Mandarin</li> <li>English HL</li> <li>French SL</li> <li>Hindi SL</li> <li>Malay SL</li> <li>Russian SL</li> <li>Spanish</li> <li>Tamil SL</li> </ul> <b>Ab initio (SL only)</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>German</li> <li>Japanese</li> <li>Spanish</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Business Management</li> <li>Economics</li> <li>Environmental Systems and Societies SL</li> <li>Geography</li> <li>History</li> <li>Psychology</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Biology</li> <li>Chemistry</li> <li>Computer Science SL</li> <li>Environmental Systems and Societies SL</li> <li>Physics</li> <li>Sports Exercise and Health Science</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mathematics Analysis and Approaches</li> <li>Mathematics Applications and Interpretations SL</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Music HL</li> <li>Theatre HL</li> <li>Visual Arts</li> </ul>

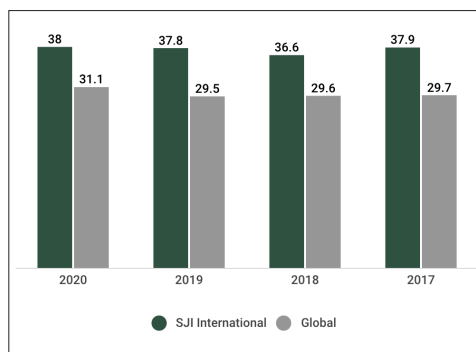
## IB RESULTS

(Global results are weighted to account for May and November sessions. Data taken from the [IBO Statistical Bulletins](#).)

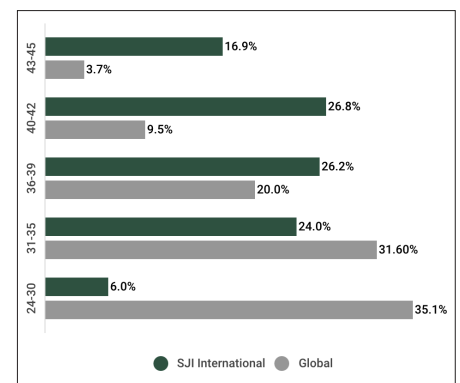
### PASS RATES



### MEAN IB DIPLOMA SCORES



### IB GRADE DISTRIBUTION



## Highlights of the Academic Programme

Grade 9 & 10 (IGCSE Curriculum)	Grade 10 Foundation Course (FC)	Grade 11 & 12 (IB Diploma)
<p>All students follow the Cambridge International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) curriculum and sit eight IGCSEs at the end of Grade 10; students who also take Additional Mathematics sit nine.</p> <p>With the exception of some language examinations which are only offered in the May sitting, all IGCSE examinations are taken in the same examination session.</p>	<p>FC is a one-year course for students who join the school at the end of Grade 9 or the start of Grade 10 and cannot join the two year IGCSE programme.</p> <p>FC students may take one or two IGCSE examinations (usually Mathematics and/or Foreign Language).</p>	<p>All students follow the International Baccalaureate Diploma programme and almost all offer the full IB Diploma, with an occasional student offering Courses.</p> <p>In keeping with the four pillars of our programme, students are discouraged from taking four subjects at the Higher Level in the IB Diploma, unless there are exceptional circumstances.</p> <p>Non-Singaporean students admitted on a scholarship are required to study their Home Language at the Language A level.</p>

## Highlights of the Service Learning, Co-Curricular Learning and Outdoor Education programmes

All students in Grades 9 - 12 engage in Service Learning, Co-Curricular Learning and Outdoor Education. However, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, these activities ceased on 20 March 2020. A modified Service and Co-curricular activities programme resumed from 14 September 2020. However, interaction was severely restricted to allow for safe-distancing requirements and most activities were held virtually.

- In Grade 11 and 12 service programmes are usually student-initiated and led. In 2020 and 2021 since direct interaction was not possible, service learning took place through means such as advocacy.
- Usually all students participate in challenging residential experiences overseas, culminating in Challenge Week in Grade 11, a student-planned, teacher-mentored project resulting in a week of independent activity, without teacher supervision, within South East Asia. However, while the Class of 2021 planned their trips through Grade 11, they were not able to implement them due to travel restrictions.
- All students in Grade 9 complete the National Youth Achievement Bronze Award. From Grade 10 onwards students can choose to continue to the Silver and Gold Awards. In 2020 and 2021 students working towards the Silver and Gold Awards did their expeditions in Singapore.

## BREAKDOWN BY SUBJECT FOR THE CLASS OF 2020

Grp	Subject	SJII Mean	SJII Count	SJII Max	SJII Min	Global Weighted Mean
1	Chinese A: Lang And Lit HL	6.50	4	7	6	6.11
1	Chinese A: Lang And Lit SL	6.33	3	7	6	6.20
1	English A: Lang And Lit HL	5.89	53	7	4	5.12
1	English A: Lang And Lit SL	5.86	110	7	4	5.44
1	English A: Lit HL	5.75	8	7	4	4.86
1	English A: Lit SL	5.88	8	7	5	5.24
1	Indonesian A: Lit HL	7.00	1	7	7	6.11
1	Indonesian A: Lit SL	6.25	4	7	6	6.04
1	Japanese A: Lit SL	6.00	1	6	6	6.00
1	Vietnamese A: Lit SL	7.00	1	7	7	5.82
2	Chinese B HL	5.67	3	6	5	6.39
2	Chinese B SL	6.69	103	7	4	6.27
2	English B HL	6.33	6	7	6	5.81
2	French Ab. SL	5.75	8	7	4	4.99
2	French B HL	7.00	1	7	7	5.27
2	French B SL	5.80	5	7	5	5.10
2	Hindi B SL	6.00	13	7	5	5.85
2	Japanese Ab. SL	7.00	2	7	7	5.40
2	Japanese B SL	7.00	2	7	7	5.30
2	Malay B SL	6.00	1	6	6	6.27
2	Spanish Ab. SL	5.79	24	7	3	5.14
2	Spanish B HL	6.00	3	6	6	5.69
2	Spanish B SL	6.43	7	7	5	5.12
3	Business Management HL	6.26	35	7	4	5.21
3	Business Management SL	6.38	8	7	5	5.10
3	Economics HL	5.68	38	7	4	5.34
3	Economics SL	6.04	28	7	4	5.00
3	Environmental Systems And Societies SL	5.78	9	7	4	4.33
3	Geography HL	6.05	42	7	5	5.41
3	Geography SL	6.50	2	7	6	5.00
3	History HL	6.50	18	7	5	4.47
3	History SL	6.60	5	7	6	4.66
3	Psychology HL	5.93	41	7	4	5.21
3	Psychology SL	6.25	20	7	4	4.79
4	Biology HL	5.95	55	7	3	4.72
4	Biology SL	5.58	19	7	4	4.35
4	Chemistry HL	6.19	99	7	3	4.99
4	Chemistry SL	5.75	12	7	3	4.30
4	Computer Science SL	5.46	13	7	3	4.22
4	Environmental Systems And Societies SL	5.78	9	7	4	4.33
4	Physics HL	6.10	48	7	3	5.28
4	Physics SL	5.20	10	7	3	4.58
4	Sports Exercise And Health Science HL	5.27	11	7	3	5.03
4	Sports Exercise And Health Science SL	3.00	1	3	3	4.05
5	Mathematical Studies SL	5.45	22	7	4	4.39
5	Mathematics HL	6.13	56	7	4	5.05
5	Mathematics SL	5.25	107	7	3	4.70
6	Music HL	6.25	4	7	5	5.02
6	Music SL	5.50	2	6	5	4.94
6	Theatre HL	6.00	9	7	5	4.96
6	Visual Arts HL	5.38	21	7	4	4.25
6	Visual Arts SL	6.00	1	6	6	3.89



## STANDARDISED TEST RESULTS FOR THE CLASSES OF 2017-2021

The highest scores in each exam, including those from non-native speakers, are included.

Our school year runs from January to December, with students sitting their final IB examinations in November. Therefore, our students are required to incorporate the tests in the midst of a busy schedule as there are no dates that fit seamlessly with our calendar.

In keeping with the four pillars of our programme, students are not encouraged to spend excessive amounts of time preparing for standardised tests.

The cancellations to the tests in Singapore in the past four years, as well as more recently because of the COVID-19 global pandemic, have added to the difficulties of accessing the standardised tests and have resulted in an increased level of anxiety and lack of confidence in the tests themselves amongst our student and parent communities. For the Class of 2021, the added uncertainty of not knowing if testing will be required, as well as last minute changes to regulations in Singapore due to COVID-19 and test or center cancellations, meant that the entire process was extremely anxiety ridden. As a result very few students were able to take the tests.

### Number of students who took the test

Graduating Year	SAT	ACT
2017	58	14
2018	80	7
2019	60	8
2020	41	4
2021	20	2
	<b>259</b>	<b>35</b>

SAT (259 students tested)	Middle 50%	Mean
Evidence Based Reading and Writing	620 - 720	670
Mathematics	680 - 780	720
Total	1310 - 1460	1380

ACT (35 students tested)	Middle 50%	Mean
English	28 - 35	31
Math	33 - 35	34
Reading	27 - 34	30
Science	31 - 36	33
Writing	8 - 9	9
Composite	30 - 35	32



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# UNIVERSITY MATRICULATIONS: CLASSES OF 2017-2020

One or more students from the Classes of 2017-2020 has chosen to matriculate at the following universities.  
(based on student reported data – correct as of 1 August 2021)



Asia (ex SG)	3.3%
Australia	11.7%
Canada	5.3%
Europe (ex UK)	5.7%
Singapore	35.3%
UK	24.7%
US	14.0%

## ASIA (ex SG)

Ashoka University (India)  
Beijing University of Chinese Medicine (China)  
British University of Vietnam (Vietnam)  
City University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong)  
Fudan University (China)  
Ghent University Global Campus (Korea)  
Hong Kong Baptist University (Hong Kong)  
Hong Kong Polytechnic University (Hong Kong)  
Hong Kong University of Science & Technology (Hong Kong)  
International Medical University (Malaysia)  
Keio University - Fujisawa Campus (Japan)  
National Taiwan University (Taiwan)  
New York University Abu Dhabi (United Arab Emirates)  
Savannah College of Art and Design (Hong Kong)  
Sungkyunkwan University (Korea)  
Tama Art University (Japan)  
Tsinghua University (China)  
Tsukuba University (Japan)  
University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong)  
Waseda University (Japan)

## AUSTRALIA

Australian National University  
Curtin College  
Curtin University  
Edith Cowan University  
Macquarie University  
Monash College  
Monash University  
University of Adelaide  
University of Melbourne  
University of New South Wales  
University of Queensland  
University of Sydney  
University of Western Australia  
Victoria University  
William Angliss Institute

## CANADA

Concordia University  
Emily Carr University of Art & Design  
McMaster University  
University of British Columbia

University of Toronto  
Western University  
York University

## EUROPE (ex UK)

Bocconi University (Italy)  
Ecole Hotelier de Lausanne (Switzerland)  
Erasmus University College (Netherlands)  
Istituto Marangoni (France)  
National University of Ireland, Galway (Ireland)  
Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland (Ireland)  
Technische Universiteit Delft (Netherlands)  
Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)  
UniLasalle (France)  
University College Cork (Ireland)  
University College Twente (Netherlands)  
University College Utrecht (Netherlands)  
University of Amsterdam (Netherlands)  
University of Utrecht (Netherlands)

## SINGAPORE

Curtin Singapore  
James Cook University Singapore  
LASALLE College of the Arts  
Nanyang Technological University  
National University of Singapore  
PSB Academy  
SIM Global Education  
Singapore Institute of Management  
Singapore Institute of Technology  
Singapore Management University  
Singapore University of Social Sciences  
Singapore University of Technology and Design  
Yale-NUS College

## UNITED KINGDOM

Architectural Association School of Architecture  
Bellerbys College Brighton  
Birkbeck, University of London  
Cardiff University  
Courtauld Institute of Art  
Durham University  
Imperial College London  
King's College London  
London School of Economics and Political Science  
Norwich University of the Arts  
Queen Mary, University of London  
Queen's University Belfast  
Royal Veterinary College  
University College London  
University for The Creative Arts  
University of Aberdeen  
University of Bath  
University of Birmingham  
University of Bristol  
University of Cambridge  
University of Dundee  
University of East Anglia

University of Edinburgh  
University of Exeter  
University of Glasgow  
University of Leeds  
University of Leicester  
University of Liverpool  
University of Manchester  
University of Northumbria  
University of Nottingham  
University of Oxford  
University of Sheffield  
University of Southampton  
University of St. Andrews  
University of the Arts London  
University of Warwick  
University of York

## USA

Barnard College  
Bates College  
Boston University  
Brandeis University  
Brown University  
Case Western Reserve University  
Colgate University  
College of the Holy Cross  
Cornell University  
Georgetown University  
Indiana University at Bloomington  
Johns Hopkins University  
Loyola Marymount University  
Michigan State University  
Middlebury College  
New York University  
Northeastern University  
Northwestern University  
Occidental College  
Princeton University  
Rhode Island School of Design  
San Francisco Conservatory of Music  
Santa Clara University  
Sarah Lawrence College  
Savannah College of Art and Design  
Skidmore College  
Smith College  
Stanford University  
SUNY Geneseo  
Swarthmore College  
The New School  
University of California, Berkeley  
University of California, Irvine  
University of California, Los Angeles  
University of California, San Diego  
University of Kentucky  
University of Michigan Ann Arbor  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of San Francisco  
University of Southern California  
University of Virginia  
University of Washington  
Vassar College  
Wesleyan University  
Yale University

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