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# **SCHOOL PROFILE 2024/2025**



## **MISSION**

Frankfurt International School's (FIS) mission is to be the leading, culturally diverse and family-oriented international school with English as the principal language of instruction. We inspire individuals to develop their intellect, creativity and character to become independent, adaptable, socially responsible and internationally minded citizens, by ensuring a dynamic, inquiry-driven education of the highest standard.

# **SCHOOL COMMUNITY**

FIS was established in 1961 as a private, non-profit association to serve the international community in the greater Frankfurt area. FIS is accredited by the New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC) and is a founding International Baccalaureate (IB) World School. As one of the oldest and largest international schools in Europe, FIS is known for its high academic standards and excellent campus facilities.



## **OUR STUDENTS**

The Class of 2025 has 136 students. The total current enrollment is 1829 students representing over 60 nationalities, with the largest numbers identifying as American (31%), Korean (20%), German (19%), British (6%), and Chinese (5%). Over 30 languages are spoken within the school community. In Grades 9–12, the enrollment is 563 students with approximately 140 students per grade level. FIS graduates matriculate at universities across the globe with the majority of students attending institutions in the United States, the United Kingdom and the Netherlands.

# **CLASS OF 2025 SNAPSHOT**



136	30	<b>77</b> %	88 %
seniors in the class	number of	of seniors who	of seniors pursuing
	languages spoken	have studied at FIS	the IB Diploma
	in the senior class	since G9	Programme

## **CO-CURRICULAR AND ATHLETIC PROGRAMS**

Students in Grades 9 – 12 have access to a rich variety of co-curricular opportunities, including visual and performing arts, organized clubs, and school publications. Students compete internationally in 12 different varsity sports and international travel is also part of activities such as Model United Nations, Math Olympiad, service learning, music and theater festivals.













# FIS GRADE 9-12 CURRICULUM

All FIS students earn a US high school diploma upon graduation, with roughly 90% of our graduates also pursuing the IB Diploma Programme each year. Students who do not pursue the IB Diploma Programme may opt to take individual IB courses. There are no honors classes; the only tracked subjects in Grades 9 and 10 are Math and Foreign Languages. In addition, students may pursue online learning opportunities. For example, FIS is a member of Global Online Academy, a consortium of independent schools whose mission is to offer intellectually rigorous programs in an online environment.

#### **GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

Students in Grades 9 and 10 enroll in eight credits each year (one credit equals a full year course); students in Grades 11 and 12 must enroll in at least six. A minimum of 24 credits are required to graduate. All students in Grades 11 and 12 complete Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS), even if they are not enrolled in the IB Diploma Programme.

# **CLASS RANKING AND GPA**

Given the inherent rigor of the IB Diploma Programme taken by the vast majority of students, FIS does not provide a ranking of its students. The school uses a 7-point scale with GPAs weighted to reflect the difficulty of their IB courses: an extra 1.0 is awarded for IB Higher Level courses and 0.5 is awarded for IB Standard Level courses.

# **Grading Scale:**

7 = A + 6 = A 5 = B 4 = C 3 = D 2/1 = F

#### GRADE 11-12 CUMULATIVE GPA FOR CLASSES OF 2023-2025

	2025 (G11 only)	2024 (G11-12)	2023 (G11-12)
Average Weighted GPA	6.62	6.43	6.66
Highest Earned	7.83	7.83	7.83

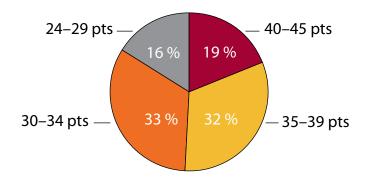
High Honor Recognition: 6.75+ Honor Recognition: 6.25–6.74

# **IB DIPLOMA RESULTS FOR THE CLASS OF 2024**

124 of 137 graduating students were IB Diploma Candidates. 36 % received Bilingual Diplomas. The results of the IB Diploma Candidates are below:

CLASS OF	2024	2023	2022
Number of IB Diploma Candidates	124	132	121
FIS IB Diploma Pass Rate	97 %	92 %	100 %
Worldwide Average IB Diploma Pass Rate	80 %	80 %	86 %
FIS Average IB Diploma Score	35	36	37
Worldwide Average IB Diploma Score	30	30	32
FIS Number of 40+ Scores	23	30	43

# **RANGE OF FIS IB DIPLOMA SCORES CLASS OF 2024**







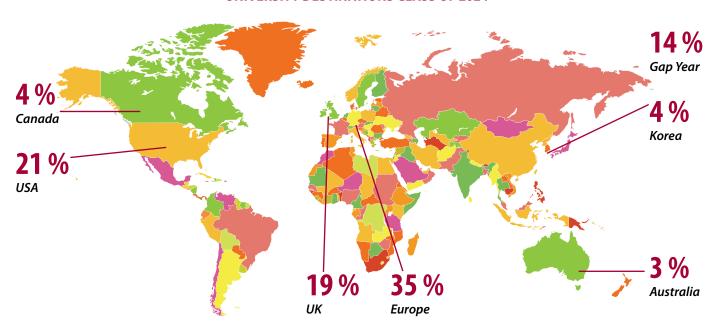








#### **UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS CLASS OF 2024**



# **ACCEPTANCES AND MATRICULATIONS CLASSES 2022–2024:**



**University College Cork** 

Bold indicates FIS students attending \* denotes more than one student attending



#### Sweden

Karolinska Institutet Linnaeus University Linköping University Malmö University

# Switzerland

Ecole Polytechnique de Lausanne Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (ETH) University of Lausanne University of Zurich

#### The Netherlands

Avans University of Applied Sciences
Eindhoven University of Technology\*
Erasmus University College\*
Erasmus University Rotterdam\*
Hague University of Applied Sciences
Han University of Applied Sciences\*
Hanze University of Applied Sciences\*
Hotel School The Hague
Leiden University\*
Maastricht University\*
Radboud University
Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences\*

Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences\*
Royal Academy of Art\*
Technical University Delft\*
Tilburg University\*

University College Groningen University College Maastricht University College Roosevelt

University College Twente

University College Utrecht\*
University of Amsterdam\*
University of Groningen\*
University of Twente\*
Utrecht University
Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam
Wageningen University

## United Kingdom

Cardiff University

Durham University
Falmouth University
Glasgow School of Art

Loughborough University\*

**Newcastle University** 

**Royal Conservatoire of Scotland** 

The University of London:

- City, University of London
- Goldsmith's
- Imperial College\*
- King's College London\*
- London School of Econ & Pol Sci\*
- Queen Mary University
- Royal Holloway
- SOAS
- University College London\*
   University of Aberdeen

University of the Arts, London

University of Bath\*

University of Bristol

University of Cambridge\*

University of East Anglia\*

University of Edinburgh\*

University of Exeter\*

**University of Glasgow** 

**University of Manchester\*** 

**University of Oxford\*** 

University of St Andrews\*

University of Stirling

**University of Sussex** 

University of Warwick\*

**University of Westminster** 

**University of York** 

#### **United States**

Arizona State University

Bard College

**Baylor University** 

Berklee College of Music

**Boston College\*** 

**Boston University** 

Brandeis University

# Brigham Young University\*

**Brown University** 

Bucknell University

California College of the Arts

Carleton College

## **Case Western University**

**Chapman University** 

**Colgate University** 

College of William & Mary

Colorado School of Mines

Columbia University\*

Connecticut College

Cornell University

Dartmouth College

Davidson College

**Elon University** 

**Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University** 

Fashion Institute of Technology

Florida International University

Florida State University

**Fordham University** 

**George Mason University** 

George Washington University

**Georgetown University** 

Georgia Institute of Technology

**Gordon College** 

**Hamilton College** 

**Haverford College** 

**Howard University** 

James Madison University

Johns Hopkins University

Marist College

Marquette University

Maryland Institute College of Art

Michigan State University

**New York University\*** 

# **Northeastern University**

Oberlin College

Occidental College

**Old Dominion University** 

**Pittsburgh Institute of Aeronautics** 

**Purdue University** 

Rhode Island School of Design

Savannah College of Art & Design

School of the Art Institute of Chicago

#### **School of Visual Arts**

Scripps College

Skidmore College

St. Olaf College

Smith College

Spelman College

Stanford University\*

Syracuse University

Texas A&M University

The New School

Tufts University\*

University of California, Berkeley

University of California, Davis

University of California, Irvine

University of California, Los Angeles

University of California, San Diego

**University of California, Santa Cruz** University of Colorado, Boulder

University of Delaware

University of Illinois at Urbana-

Champaign

University of Maryland\*

**University of Michigan** 

University of Minnesota, Twin Cities

**University of New Hampshire** 

University of North Carolina at Charlotte

University of Notre Dame

**University of Rochester** 

**University of Southern California** 

University of Virginia\*

**University of Washington** 

Vassar College Villanova University

Virginia Military Institute

Virginia Tech

Wake Forest University\*

Washington State University

Yale University