# SCHOOL PROFILE

2021-2022

# CAYMAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

# Connect | Inspire | Serve

We are a positive community with passionate learners.

CIS is a co-educational, college preparatory day school governed by International School Services (ISS), a nonprofit corporation dedicated to excellence for children attending overseas schools worldwide. CIS was founded as Faulkner Academy in 1994. Today it is housed in a new, purpose built 60,000 square foot facility on 22 acres that opened in the fall of 2006. In addition to the United States High School Diploma, students can earn the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

CIS is accredited by the Middle States Association and is an IB World School offering the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme. The school is a member of the Association of the American Schools in South America (ASSA), the Common Ground Collaborative, Round Square, Green Alliance Schools, Cambridge International Examinations, and SAT.

Athletes participate in the Private Schools Association (PSA) and compete in football, volleyball and basketball.

Students participate in musical, choral and theatrical productions including an annual performance in Steel Pan Band, Jazz Band, and Rock Band.

Students participate in Model United Nations, National Honors Society, High School Leadership.

Students participate in Robotics and 3-D molding and printing in our STEAM Lab.

Students are involved in local movements, such as Plastic Free Cayman and Protect Our Future, that address environmental issues and concerns.

Students provide leadership in community service initiatives and/or internships outside school boundaries. These activities may include visits to children recovering from heart surgery, the collection and distribution of school and personal supplies to needy local children, service trips to Peru, Honduras, Haiti, and Nicaragua, peer tutoring in local schools, and leadership in sports programs across the island.

There are 182 days in the school year which are divided into four terms. The 1st term starts in August and the 4th term ends in June.

## 2021-22

## STUDENT & FACULTY PROFILE

**40 +** THERE ARE MORE THAN FORTY NATIONALITIES REPRESENTED IN OUR STUDENT BODY

23% ARE CAYMANIAN

**17** THE AVERAGE CLASS SIZE IS LESS THAN SEVENTEEN STUDENTS

**6:1** THE FACULTY TO STUDENT RATIO IS SIX TO ONE

## STUDENT POPULATION

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|---|---|
| GRADE 12 | 35 |
| HIGH SCHOOL | 202 |
| WHOLE SCHOOL | 941 |

## FACULTY DEMOGRAPHICS

**22** THERE ARE TWENTY TWO NATIONALITIES REPRESENTED IN OUR FACULTY & STAFF

**41%** OF TEACHERS & ADMINISTRATION HAVE A MASTERS DEGREE OR HIGHER

**48%** OF TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATION HAVE BEEN IN EDUCATION FOR MORE THAN TEN YEARS

# IB & High School Courses

**International Baccalaureate Diploma Courses:**
Biology, Chemistry, Physics, English A: Literature, English A: Language and Literature, Environmental Systems and Societies (SL only), Economics, Psychology, Philosophy (SL only), Business Management, ITGS, Film (SL only), Geography, History, Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations (SL only), Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches, Visual Arts, Music, Spanish B, Spanish A Literature (SL only), Spanish Ab Initio (SL), French Ab Initio (SL), Extended Essay (EE), Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS), and Theory of Knowledge (TOK). These include courses taken online through Pamoja.

**High School Elective Courses:**
Advanced Band, Music Tech, Drama, Choir, Studio Art, Personalized Learning, Graphic Design, Robotics, Yearbook, Health, Personal Fitness, Team Sports, Geometry (online), Psychology (online), Economics (online), Digital Photography, Engineering, Design Technology, Environmental Science, Health, and American Sign Language (online).

**IB DP Grading Scale of 1- 7**
7: Exemplary
6: Well above the standard expected
5: Above standard expected
4: At standard expected
3: Approaching the standard expected
2/1: Below the standard expected

**Grading Scale**

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|---|---|
| **A+** | **C** |
| **A** | **C-** |
| **A-** | **D+** |
| **B+** | **D** |
| **B** | **D-** |
| **B-** | **F** |
| **C+** | **P** |

CIS does not weight GPA and does not rank students.

## CLASS OF 2021 UNIVERSITIES

Acadia University
Baylor University
Bath Spa University
Brock University
Bryant University
Carleton University
Clemson University
DePaul University
Elon University
Florida Gulf Coast University
George Washington University
Johnson & Wales University
Louisiana State University
Mount Allison University
Orange County College
Parsons School of Design
Queen's University
Royal Holloway University of London
Ryerson University
San Diego State University
Savannah College of Art and Design
Sheridan College
Tulane University
University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Gloucestershire
University of Guelph
University of Michigan
University of Miami
University of Northampton
University of Notre Dame
University of Pennsylvania
University of Tampa
University of Waterloo
University of Western Ontario

**100%**
of students who attempted IB Diploma at CIS were successful in 2018, 2019, 2020 & 2021

**34**
Mean average IB Diploma score in 2021

**42**
Highest IB Diploma score in 2021

## HIGH SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION


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# CUMULATIVE UNIVERSITY ACCEPTANCES

Universities in bold represent the class of 2021

## CANADA

**Acadia University**
Alberta College of Art & Design
Bishop's University
**Brock University**
**Carleton University**
Dalhousie University
Huron University, Western
Laurentian University
Max the Mutt College of Animation
McMaster University
McGill University
**Mount Allison University**
Old's College
**Queen's University**
Red Deer College
**Ryerson University**
Saskatchewan University
**Sheridan College**
Simon Fraser University
St. Francis Xavier University
Trent University
University of British Columbia
University of Calgary
**University of Guelph**
University of Toronto
University of Victoria
**University of Waterloo**
**University of Western Ontario**
University of Windsor
Vancouver Island University
Western University
Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo
York University

## UNITED KINGDOM

Anglia Ruskin University
**Bath Spa University**
Canterbury Christ Church University
City University of London
Craven College
European Business School, London
Keele University
King's College, London
Kingston University
Lancaster University
Leeds Metropolitan University
London Metropolitan University
London School of Economics
Loughborough University
Middlesex University
Northumbria University
Oxford Brookes University
Plymouth University
**Royal Holloway University of London**
Swansea University
St. Andrews University
University of St. Mark and St. John
University College London
University of Aberdeen
University of Bath
University of Birmingham
University of Bradford
University of Brighton
University of Edinburgh
University of Exeter
University of Greenwich
**University of Gloucestershire**
University of Hertfordshire
University of Kent
University of Kingston
University of Leeds
University of Leicester
University of Liverpool
University of Manchester
**University of Northampton**
University of Portsmouth
University of Salford
University of Staffordshire
University of Sunderland
University of Sussex
University of Westminster
University of Winchester

## UNITED STATES

American University
Arizona State University
Asheville University of North Carolina
**Baylor University**
Belmont University
Boston University
**Bryant University**
Butler University
Cazenovia College
Chicago State University
Clark University
**Clemson University**
Colorado State University
Columbia College
Chicago DePaul University
**DePaul University**
Drexel University
Eckerd College
**Elon University**
Emerson College
Fairleigh Dickinson University
University of Florida Atlantic University
**Florida Gulf Coast University**
Florida International University
Florida Institute of Technology
Florida State University
Fordham University
**George Washington University**
Georgia Institute of Technology
Hiram College
Illinois Institute of Technology
Indiana University
James Madison University
Jacksonville University
**Johnson & Wales University**
Lasell University
Lewis and Clark College
Liberty University
Los Angeles Film School
**Louisiana State University**
Loyala University Maryland
Lynn University
Miami University Ohio
Michigan State University
Mount St. Mary's University
New York Film Academy
New York University
North Carolina State University
Northeastern University
Northern Arizona University
Nova Southeastern University
Occidental College
Ohio Northern University
Ohio State University
**Orange County College**
Pace University
**Parsons School of Design**
Penn State University
Providence College
Purdue University
Quinnipiac University
Roanoke College
Rochester Institute of Technology
Rollins College
Rose Hulman Institute of Technology
Samford University
**San Diego State University**
**Savannah College and Art & Design**
Saint Francis University
Skidmore College
Southern Methodist University
Springfield College
Syracuse University
Stetson University
St. John's University
St. Thomas University
Suffolk University
Texas Christian University
Trinity College
**Tulane University**
Union College
Universal Technical Institute
University of Alabama
University of Arizona
University of California, Berkeley
University of California, Los Angeles
University of California, San Diego
University of California Santa Barbara
**University of California, Santa Cruz**
University of Central Florida
University of Cincinnati
**University of Colorado, Boulder**
University of Dayton
University of Georgia
University of Hawaii
University of Illinois, Chicago
University of Kansas
University of Kentucky
University of Maryland
**University of Michigan**
**University of Miami**
University of Missouri
University of New Hampshire
University of North Carolina
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
University of North Carolina, Greensboro
**University of Notre Dame**
**University of Pennsylvania**
University of San Francisco
University of South Florida
University of Southern California
University of South Carolina
University of St. John's, NYC
**University of Tampa**
University of Tennessee, Knoxville
University of Texas
University of West Georgia
University of Wisconsin
Tennessee Tech
Vanderbilt University
Virginia Polytechnic Institute & State University
Virginia Tech University
Wake Forest University
Wentworth Institute of Technology
West Virginia University
Windsor College
Whittier College

## EUROPE & OTHER

American University of Paris
Cayman Islands Law College
Hogeschool van Amsterdam
IE Business School
Sunshine Coast University
University College of the Cayman Islands
Universidad Del Futbol Y Ciencias Del Deporte
University of Amsterdam
University of Applied Sciences Utrecht
University of Navarra

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Authorised Exam Centre