

UNITED NATIONS INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF HANOI HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2023 2024

The United Nations International School of Hanoi (UNIS Hanoi) is an independent, non-profit co-educational English-language day school enrolling students from Early Years through Grade 12. The School was established in 1988 as a partnership between the Vietnamese government and the United Nations (UN) to offer an education to the children of UN personnel, the diplomatic community, expatriates and local Vietnamese families.

UNIS Hanoi Mission

"Guided by UN values, we inspire all learners to strive for academic and personal excellence and empower students to create positive, sustainable impact."

School Community

The 1160 students from Early Years (age 3) to Grade 12 come from more than 60 different countries including the host country Vietnam. Parents of UNIS Hanoi students work in UN/NGO organisations, embassies and government agencies, business and other professions.

COVID Update

UNIS Hanoi students completed Distance Learning (DL) for a total of 193 days throughout the Covid pandemic: February through early May 2020, February 2021, and April 2021 through February 2022. Students then returned to half days of school for two months with strict government protocol requiring home quarantine for 14 days if exposed to Covid. Our Co-Curricular programme was drastically affected with limited online programme engagement depending on available resources. August 2022 returned to face-to-face learning and a robust Co-Curricular programme.

School Calendar

The school year consists of no fewer than 175 teacher-student contact days from mid-August through mid-June. Each subject class meets for approximately 65 minutes every other day.

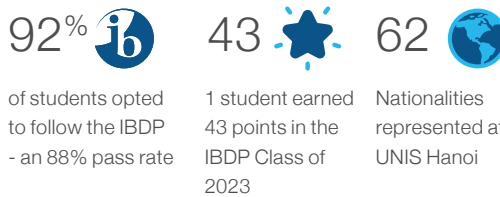
Academic and Service Programme

UNIS Hanoi is a full IB school and the first in Asia authorised to offer all three IB programmes. We combine the IB philosophy with the ideals, principles and goals of the UN. Students at UNIS Hanoi are closely intertwined with the United Nations goals and mission; Service Learning is an intricate element of our curriculum from Early Years through High School. The UNIS Hanoi community is committed to moving forward the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and this commitment is reflected in our daily work and embedded in our curriculum.

Graduation Requirements

22.5 credits are required for graduation and credit is issued by semester. Each full-year course passed earns one credit. Specific credit requirements are as follows:

English	4
Mathematics	3
Humanities	3
Science	3
Modern Languages	2



Key Enrolment Numbers	
Whole School	1160
High School	330
Grade 12	73

Grading

UNIS Hanoi does not rank or provide a GPA for students. UNIS Hanoi limits students to 12 university applications.

Grading Scale	IB Conversion	North American Conversion
7	Outstanding	A+
6	Excellent	A
5	Good	B
4	Average	C
3	Mediocre	D
2	Poor	F (fail-no credit)
1	Very Poor	F (fail-no credit)
P	Pass	
Inc		Incomplete

Personal Project	0.25
Extended Essay/Senior Project	0.25
Electives	5
Physical Education/Health	2
Total	22.5

ACCREDITATIONS

Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC)
Council of International Schools (CIS)

MEMBERSHIPS

International Baccalaureate Organization (IBO)
Association for Advancement of International Education (AAIE)
European Council of International Schools (ECIS)
East Asia Regional Council of Overseas Schools (EARCOS)
National Association for College Admission Counseling (NACAC)
International Association for College Admission Counseling

AFFILIATIONS

Mekong River International Schools Association (MRISA)
Asia Pacific Activities Conference (APAC)

CEEB: 695360
UCAS: 45500
IB code: 1041

Scholarship Programme

The UNIS Hanoi Scholarship Programme provides high achieving Vietnamese students from disadvantaged families admission to UNIS Hanoi with a full (100%) fee waiver until graduation. To date UNIS Hanoi Scholars have received 100% funding to attend:

- Williams College, USA
- Lafayette College, USA
- New York University, Abu Dhabi
- Vanderbilt University, USA
- Washington and Lee University, USA 2
- Fulbright University, Vietnam

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Co-Curricular Programme

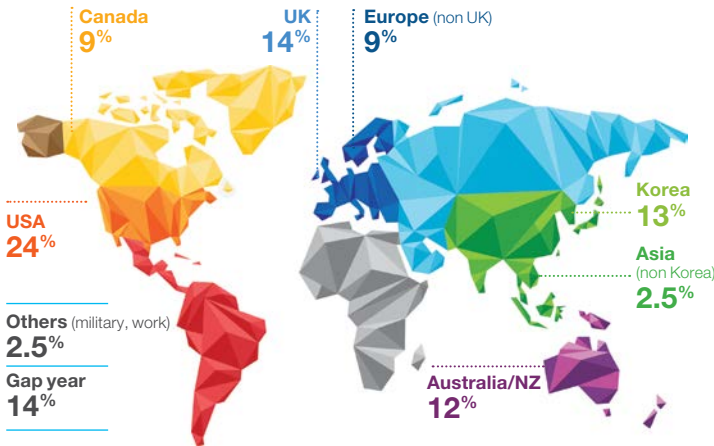
Examples of activities that require long term dedication and commitment by students include: Model United Nations, APAC Band, Orchestra, Theatre and Dance, Athletic Teams, Student Senate, Drama/Musical Productions, School Ambassadors and our Service Learning programme.

SAT Results

The scores below represent the mean score of the students who chose to take the SAT exam. The scores reflect both native and non-native speakers.

SAT Reasoning	2023	2022	2021
Reading	640	627	635
Math	703	715	728

Class of 2023 University Matriculation Map



University Admissions 2018-2023

AUSTRALIA

Griffith University
Monash University 3**
 University of Adelaide
University of Melbourne 4*
University of New South Wales 2*
University of Sydney*

BELGIUM

KU Leuven, Belgium
 Vrije Universiteit Brussel

CANADA

Capilano University
 Concordia University 2
 Emily Carr University of Art and Design
McGill University 4*
 Mount Allison University
Queen's University*
 Toronto Metropolitan University
University of British Columbia 11**
 University of Calgary
University of Ottawa*
University of Toronto 7*
 University of Waterloo
Vancouver Film School*
 Western University
 York University

DENMARK

VIA University College*

FINLAND

Aalto University

FRANCE

3iS Intl Inst for Image & Sound
 EICAR-Intl Film School of Paris
 Sciences Po

HONG KONG

Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 2
 University of Hong Kong

INDIA

Symbiosis International University

ITALY

Istituto Marangoni, Milano

JAPAN

International Christian University 3*

Sophia University 2
 Temple University Japan
 Tokyo International University
 Tokyo University of Technology
 Waseda University

KOREA

Chung-Ang University
 Ewha Womans University
 Handong Global University
Hanyang University 4**
KAIST - Korea Advanced Inst of Science & Technology 4
 Korea Aerospace University
Korea University 5
Seoul National University 8
Sogang University 2
Sungkyunkwan University 3
Yonsei University 17*

NETHERLANDS

Erasmus University Rotterdam 7**
Hotel School The Hague - Hospitality Business School 2*
 Maastricht University 2
 Radboud University
 Technical University (TU) Delft 2
Universiteit van Amsterdam 6*
 Utrecht University
Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam*
 Wageningen University & Research

MALAYSIA

University of Southampton Malaysia

NEW ZEALAND

University of Otago, Dunedin

POLAND

Medical University of Warsaw

SINGAPORE

Nanyang Technological University 2
 National University of Singapore 4
 Yale-NUS

UNITED KINGDOM

Arts University Bournemouth
 BIMM Institute - Brighton
Birkbeck, University of London*
 City University of London 2
The Courtauld Institute of Art*

IB Results

Year	<24	24-29	30-34	35-39	40-45	Highest diploma points awarded to a UNIS Hanoi candidate
2023	7%	24%	30%	32%	7%	43
2022	0%	15%	25%	30%	30%	45
2021	0%	7%	19%	29%	44%	45

UNIS Hanoi is non-selective with regard to admission to the IB diploma programme. Over 92% of students at UNIS Hanoi choose to pursue the full IB diploma programme.

Year	2023	2022	2021
Total number of UNIS Hanoi Graduates	77	82	73
UNIS Hanoi IB Diploma Candidates	71	73	68
UNIS Hanoi Pass Rate	88%	99%	100%
World Pass Rate	79%	86%	89%
UNIS Hanoi Average Score	33	36	38
World Average Score	30	32	33
Percent of 40+ Scores at UNIS Hanoi	7%	30%	44%
Percent of 40+ Scores Worldwide	8%	14%	11%
Percent of UNIS Hanoi Bilingual Diplomas	30%	51%	52%

Durham University 4*

Edge Hill University
Goldsmiths, University of London*
 Imperial College London
 King's College London 2
 London School of Economics and Political Science 2
 Loughborough University
 Manchester Metropolitan University
 Met Film School
 Middlesex University
 Nottingham Trent University
 Queen Mary University of London
 Royal Holloway, University of London
 School of Oriental & African Studies (SOAS), University of London
University College London 2*
University of Bath 2*
 University of Birmingham
 University of Bristol 2
 University of East Anglia
 University of Edinburgh 3
 University of Essex
 University of Exeter 3
University of Glasgow*
 University of Greenwich
 University of Kent, Canterbury
University of Liverpool*
 University of Manchester 2
 University of Nottingham
University of Reading*
 University of Southampton
 University of St Andrews 2
 University of Surrey
 University of Sussex 2
 University of the Arts London 2
University of Warwick 2*
 University of York
 Writtle University College

UNITED STATES

Bentley University
 Berklee College of Music 2
 Boston College
Boston University 4*
 Bowdoin College
Brandeis University 2*
 Brown University 2
 Case Western Reserve University
Claremont McKenna College*
Colby College*
Colgate University*
 College of William & Mary
Columbia University 2*
 Drexel University
 Emerson College
 Fairfield University
 Fashion Institute of Technology
Florida State University*
 Fordham University 2
 George Washington University

Harvard University 2

Macalester College
 Marist College
 Michigan State University
New York University 8**
Northeastern University 8*
 Northwestern University 3
 Oberlin College of Arts & Sciences
 Oxford College at Emory University
 Pomona College
 Pratt Institute
Purdue University Fort Wayne*
 Saint Mary's College of California
 San Diego State University
 Santa Clara University
 School of the Art Inst of Chicago
 School of Visual Arts
 Suffolk University
Syracuse University*
 Texas A&M University, Commerce
 Temple University
Trinity College Dublin - Columbia Dual BA Program*
Tulsa Community College*
 University of California, Berkeley 2
 University of California, Davis 2
 University of California, Irvine
University of California, Los Angeles 3*
 University of California, Merced
 University of California, Riverside
 University of California, San Diego
 University of California, Santa Barbara
 University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Colorado Boulder 2*
 University of Florida
 University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
 University of Kansas
 University of Massachusetts Amherst
University of Massachusetts Boston 3***
 University of Massachusetts Lowell
 University of Maryland 2
 University of Michigan Ann Arbor 2
 University of Pennsylvania
 University of Pittsburgh
 University of Rochester
 University of San Diego
 University of San Francisco
University of Southern California 3*
 University of Vermont
 University of Virginia
 Vanderbilt University 2
 Virginia Polytechnic Inst & State University
 Washington and Lee University 2
 Westmont College
 Whitworth University

VIETNAM

Fulbright University 2
 VinUniversity