

Kang Chiao International School

East China campus



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Introduction

Kang Chiao International School was formally introduced to Mainland China by the invitation of local Government of Kunshan in 2012. Kang Chiao International School is a private co-education boarding school. It opened in September of 2014, while its Taipei campus was founded in 2002. It currently offers an overseas college preparatory program for Grades 6 -12.

Philosophy and Mission

KCISEC is rigorous and continuously evolving curriculum strives to motivate all students to be positive, proactive members of their local and global community.

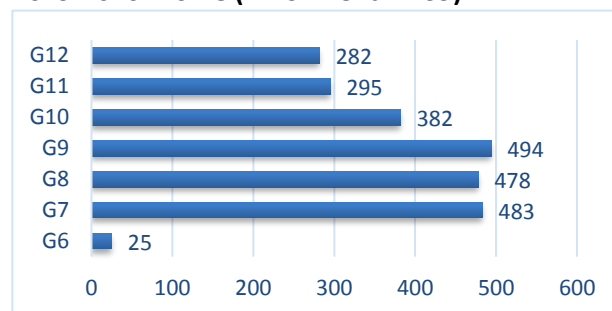
The school seeks to provide students with:

- ✚ the tools to communicate through effective listening with an empathetic ear
- ✚ an understanding and appreciation of cultural diversity
- ✚ a desire for active involvement; socially, academically, and physically
- ✚ the ability to consider questions and create solutions
- ✚ the skills, moral strength, and motivation to bring about genuine personal growth and positive social change

Faculty and Students

- ✚ KCISEC employs 143 foreign teachers. 37.8% of the teachers are from the U.S.A., UK and Canada.
- ✚ The KCISEC student body consists of 87.9% Chinese, 9.6% Taiwanese and 2.5% from 14 countries including the U.S., Canada, England, Denmark, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, Korea, Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesia, Romania, South Africa and Demonic.

2019-2020 Profile (Enrollment: 2439)



Course Offerings

KCISEC offers standards-based curriculum for all courses. To eligible for high school graduation, a student must meet the required credits.

Graduation Credit Requirements

English	4	English Electives	2	Global Languages	2
Science	3	Social Studies	3	Fine Arts/Performing Arts	1
Math	3	Electives	4	PE/Swimming	2
Total: minimum of 24 credits					

**Swimming and Performing Arts courses are compulsory for G9 and G10 students.*

KCISEC offers students the opportunity to take a full range of Honor courses and AP courses or a combination of them, enabling students to tailor the rigor and depth of their education.

Students are also given opportunities to undertake IB Middle Years Program at Grades 6-10 and Diploma Program at Grades 11 and 12.

2019-2020 AP Course Offering (17 AP courses)		
Subject	Course	Grades
English	AP Language & Composition	11,12
Math	AP Calculus AB	11,12
	AP Calculus BC	12
	AP Statistics	11,12
Science	AP Biology	11,12
	AP Chemistry	11,12
	AP Environmental	11,12
	AP Physics I	11,12
	AP Physics C	11,12
Social Studies	AP Human Geography	9,10,11,12
	AP Microeconomics	11,12
	AP Macroeconomics	12
	AP Psychology	11,12
Computer Science	AP Computer Principles	11,12
Art	AP Studio Drawing	10,11,12
	AP 2D Studio Art	11,12
	AP 3D Studio Art	11,12
<i>*The maximum AP courses a student may take at one time is four.</i>		

2019-2020 IBDP Course offerings			
Study Group	Subject	SL	HL
Group 1 Studies in Language & Literature	Chinese A: Language and Literature	√	√
	English A: Language and Literature	√	√
Group 2 Language Acquisition	English B		√
	Chinese ab initio	√	
	Spanish ab initio (Online)	√	
	French ab initio (Online)	√	
Group 3 Individuals & Societies	Business and Management	√	√
	Economics	√	√
	Psychology	√	√
	History	√	√
	Environmental System and Societies (Interdisciplinary Subject)	√	
Group 4 Sciences	Physics	√	√
	Biology	√	√

	Chemistry	√	√
	Design Technology	√	√
	Environmental System and Societies (Interdisciplinary Subject)	√	
Group 5 Mathematics	Applications and Interpretation	√	√
	Analysis and Approaches	√	√
Group 6 The Arts	Music	√	√
	Visual Arts	√	√
TOK (Chinese)		√	
TOK (English)		√	
Extended Essay		√	
Creativity, Activity, Service		√	
Swimming Thursday			

Grading Scale

Grading System			
Grade	Percentage	GPA	Honors/AP
A+	97-100	4.0	4.5
A	93-96	4.0	4.5
A-	90-92	3.7	4.2
B+	87-89	3.3	3.8
B	83-86	3.0	3.5
B-	80-82	2.7	3.2
C+	77-79	2.3	2.8
C	73-76	2.0	2.5
C-	70-72	1.7	2.2
D+	67-69	1.3	1.8
D	63-66	1.0	1.5
D-	60-62	1.0	1.0
F	0-59	0.0	0.0

IB Grade	Description
7	Excellent
6	Very Good
5	Good
4	Satisfactory
3	Mediocre
2	Poor
1	Very Poor

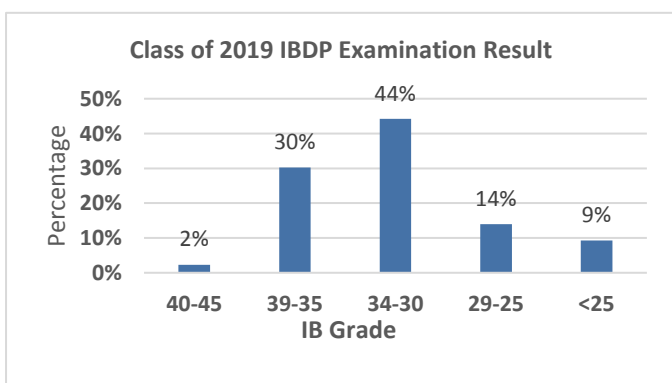
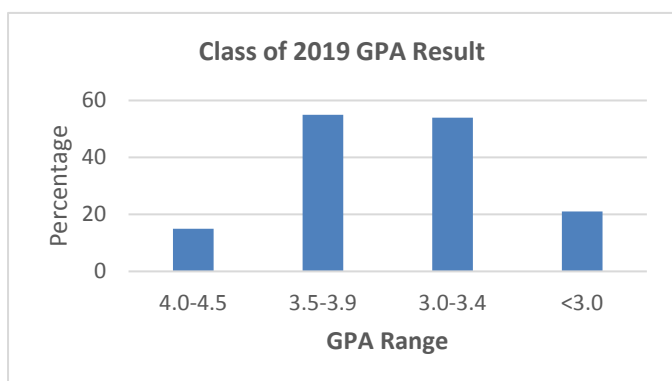
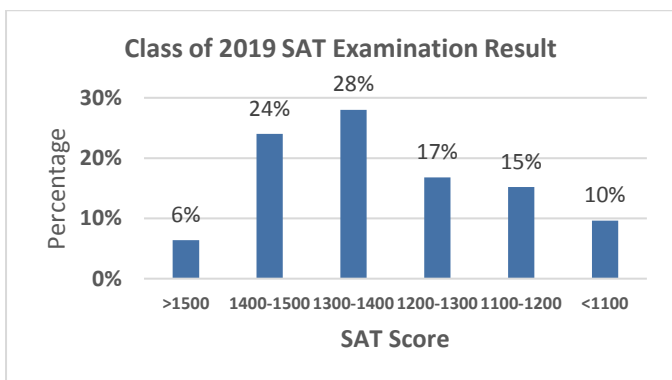
**The KCISEC transcript reports a cumulative weighted GPA and the percentage of grades value. KCISEC DOES NOT rank.*

Extracurricular Programs

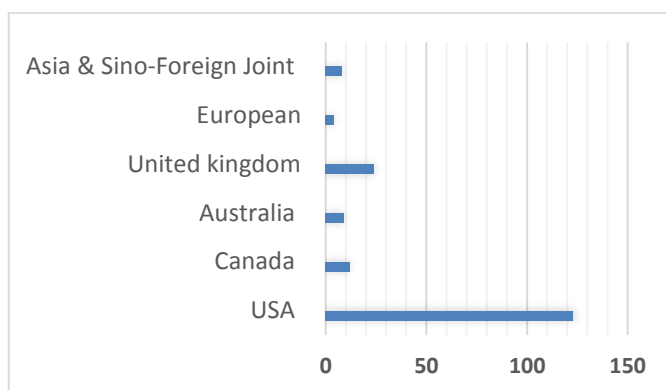
KCISEC students are encouraged to perform several hours of community services. KCISEC offers a variety of extracurricular activities, except those with an agreed exemption, students are required to participate in our “Exploring Taiwan/Asia Program”, which includes:

- 🚩 “3 kingdoms” Challenging Camp (G8)
- 🚩 Field Research 9: One Belt one Road Program (G9)
- 🚩 Field Research 10: Cycling Around Taiwan (G10)

2018-2019 Academic Performance



University Matriculation for the Class of 2019



● USA

American University	2
Arizona State University	1
Baylor University	5
Boston University	3
Brandeis University	1
Emerson College	1
George Washington University	3
Georgia Institute of Technology	1
Johns Hopkins University	3
Miami University--Oxford	1
Miami University-Regionals	2
Michigan State University	3
New York University	5
Northeastern University	5
Oregon State University	1
Pennsylvania State University-Abington	2
Pennsylvania State University-University Park	2
Purdue University	4
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	3
Rutgers University--New Brunswick	6
San Francisco State University	1
Southern Methodist University	1
Syracuse University	2
Texas A&M University	1

The Ohio State University	2	● UK	
University of Arizona	3	Cardiff University	1
University of California--Berkeley	2	Durham University	1
University of California--Davis	1	King's College London	5
University of California--Irvine	2	University College London	1
University of California--San Diego	3	University of Birmingham	3
University of California--Santa Barbara	5	University of Bristol	3
University of California--Santa Cruz	5	University of Manchester	3
University of Connecticut	1	University of Reading	1
University of Delaware	5	University of Sheffield	1
University of Florida	2	University of St. Andrews	1
University of Illinois at Urbana--Champaign	1	University of the Arts London	4
University of Miami	3	● Canada	
University of Oklahoma	1	University of Toronto	7
University of Rochester	1	McMaster University	1
University of San Francisco	2	University of Ottawa	1
University of Southern California	1	Queen's University	1
University of Utah	2	Simon Fraser University (FIC)	1
University of Washington-Seattle	1	Laurier University	1
University of Wisconsin--Madison	2	● Australia	
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University	1	University of Melbourne	1
Smith College	1	University of New South Wales	2
Whitman College	1	University of Queensland	3
Gettysburg College	1	University of Sydney	3
Skidmore College	1	● Europe	
Wheaton College	1	University of Amsterdam	1
Academy of Art University	1	KU Leuven	1
Art Center College of Design	2	Corvinus University of Budapest	1
Berklee College of Music	1	● Asia	
California College of the Arts	1	Hong Kong Shue Yan University	1
Fashion Institute of Technology	1	Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University	2
Maryland Institute College of Art	1	Yonsei University	1
Parsons School of Design at The New School	1	● Sino-foreign Joint	
Pratt Institute	2	Kunshan Duke University	1
Rhode Island School of Design	1	Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University	3
School of the Art Institute of Chicago	2		