



SCHOOL PROFILE 2021 | 2022

DULWICH INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL
| SUZHOU |
苏州工业园区德威联合书院

FOUNDED IN: **2012** STUDENTS: **759** NATIONALITIES: **7** AGE RANGE: **14-19**

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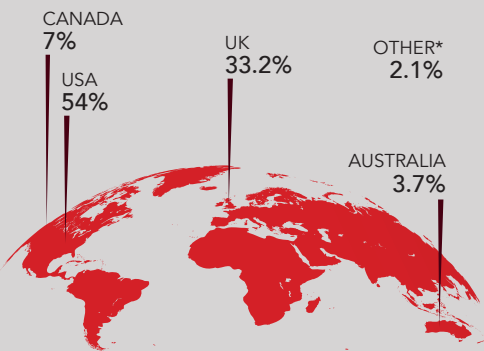
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CLASS OF 2021 UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS



*(Hong Kong, Japan, Gap year)

OUR SCHOOL

Dulwich International High School Suzhou (DHSZ) is an independent co-educational high school for students aged 14-19. Having opened our doors in 2012, we currently have 759 students on roll of which 192 are in the Class of 2022. Chinese students make up the great majority of the student body. In line with the educational philosophy of Dulwich College, our founding school in London, the high school offers a challenging academic and holistic educational approach to its students. This is centred on an enhanced English National Curriculum (ENC) leading to externally assessed International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE) examinations at the end of Year 11 (Grade 10). The students progress to the UK's Advanced Level (A-Level) qualification, awarded by Cambridge Assessment International Education (CAIE) & Edexcel. The school delivers an extensive co-curriculum incorporating sports, music and performing arts that allows students to develop their creativity along with teamwork and leadership skills. The language of instruction is English, and every student benefits from a structured cultural programme preparing them for life at universities abroad.

SCHOOL CALENDAR COVID-19 UPDATE

The class of 2022 experienced ongoing ramifications due to the ongoing COVID-19 situation. Some students sitting certain subjects had their formal examinations cancelled. All of these subjects are following the proscribed process for awarding grades given to us by the exam board. Students will receive a grade issued by the exam board in August 2021. Certificates will be issued as normal by the exam boards in Fall 2021.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

IGCSE – Years 10 and 11 (Grades 9 and 10)

Students participate in a compulsory common core consisting of mathematics, English and a choice of sciences: physics/chemistry/biology. They choose an additional two subjects at the IGCSE level. Students participating in the one-year accelerated IGCSE program take five compulsory subjects.

A-Level – Years 12 and 13 (Grades 11 and 12)

Most students study four AS courses in Year 12, taking three of these through to A-Level in Year 13. In addition, all students study an internally assessed English course, incorporating academic English, critical thinking and discussion skills. This is designed to ensure that students are well prepared to integrate and participate at university.

GRADING

We do not rank our students or calculate grade point averages. For the duration of course work, student progress is internally assessed using pre-established, standards-based performance levels. Courses conclude with externally assessed examinations.

DISCIPLINE POLICY

Dulwich International High School Suzhou reports academic and conduct issues of a serious nature, and repeat incidents of academic dishonesty.

OUR NETWORK

DULWICH COLLEGE

| INTERNATIONAL |



DHSZ is one of eight international schools in Asia that operate in partnership with the founding school in London and together make up Dulwich College International (DCI). Every year Dulwich College inspects DHSZ, along with all other Dulwich international schools.

ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

- Fully accredited by Accreditation International, National Council for Private School Accreditation, and MSA-CESS
- Approved by the Jiangsu Provincial Education Bureau
- An authorised centre for Cambridge International Education and Pearson EdExcel qualifications
- EARCOS member

OUR STUDENT BODY

The majority of our students are Chinese nationals who must pursue university studies outside of China. Our students opt out of the Chinese education system at the end of middle school. All students go on to study at high-ranking universities worldwide.

CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES



we offer over **37 creative CCAs**, from Art to Web Design



we offer over **22 sports** (recreational and competitive), from Basketball to Ultimate Frisbee



we offer over **14 STEM CCAs**, from Biology to Physics

2018-2021 A-LEVEL/AS-LEVEL RESULTS

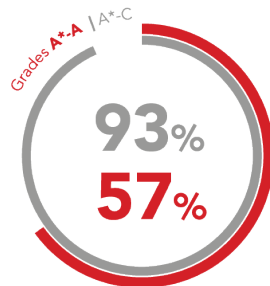
2018-2021 A Level results average

Subject	A*-A	A*-C
Overall	48%	84%
Fine Art	55%	100%
Graphic Communication	58%	100%
Biology	40%	79%
Chemistry	57%	89%
Chinese	67%	94%
Computer Science	59%	90%
Economics	41%	82%
Further Mathematics	63%	92%
Geography	22%	78%
Mathematics	53%	86%
Music	46%	85%
Physics	31%	73%
Psychology	44%	84%

2018-2021 AS Level results average

Subject	A*-A	A*-C
Overall	46%	80%
Fine Art	36%	72%
Graphic Communication	38%	75%
Biology	32%	76%
Chemistry	42%	84%
Computer Science	34%	57%
Economics	39%	76%
Further Mathematics	58%	85%
Geography	22%	76%
Mathematics	62%	87%
Music	48%	90%
Physics	43%	81%
Psychology	34%	81%

2018-2021 AVERAGE IGCSE RESULTS



UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS 2018-2021

Universities to which at least one student matriculated in 2021 are highlighted in **bold**.

UNITED KINGDOM	University of Massachusetts Amherst	5	Ringling College of Art and Design	1
University College London	Bard College	4	University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill	1
University of the Arts London	University of California Santa Barbara	4	University of North Texas	1
The University of Manchester	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign	4	Stevens Institute of Technology	1
Durham University	Pepperdine University	4	University of Pittsburgh	1
Kings' College London	Ohio State University	4	University of San Francisco	1
Imperial College London	Emory University	4	Trent University	1
University of Warwick	Virginia Polytechnic and State University	4	Tufts University	1
The University of Sheffield	Northeastern University	3	University of California-Riverside	1
The University of Edinburgh	Art Center College of Design	3	University of Massachusetts-Dartmouth	1
Goldsmiths, University of London	Carnegie Mellon University	3	Wake Forest University	1
University of Lancaster	Babson College	2	Worcester Polytechnic Institute	1
London School of Economics	Massachusetts College of Pharmacy & Health Sciences	2		
University of Bath	Purdue University	2	CANADA	
Cardiff University	Rhode Island School of Design	2	University of British Columbia	11
University of Essex	Georgia Institute of Technology	2	McGill University	11
University of Leeds	State University of New York at Buffalo	2	University of Toronto	10
City, University of London	Washington University in St. Louis	2	Queen's University	5
Queen Mary University of London	Bucknell University	2	University of Alberta	3
University of Birmingham	Vanderbilt University	2	University of Waterloo	3
University of Bristol	Pratt Institute	2	Western University	3
University of St Andrews	The State University of New York at Stony Brook	2	Concordia University	2
University of Glasgow	University of Connecticut	2	Fraser International College	2
University of Oxford	University of California, Los Angeles	2	Dalhousie University	1
University of York	Brandeis University	2	Langara College	1
Architectural Association School of Architecture	California College of the Arts	2	McMaster University	1
Loughborough University	Savannah College of Art and Design	2	Ontario College of Art and Design	1
Queen's University Belfast	University of Florida	2	Simon Fraser University	1
Royal Holloway, University of London	University of Minnesota - Twin Cities	2	University of Simon Fraser	1
Royal Veterinary College, University of London	Wesleyan University	2	University of Calgary	1
The University of Liverpool	Columbia College	1	University of Victoria	1
University of Art London London college of Fashion	Davidson College	1	University of Regina	1
University of Exeter	Florida International University	1	York University	1
Anglia Ruskin University	Foothill-De Anza Community College	1		
University of Leicester	Furman University	1	ASIA	
Oxford Brookes University	Hobart and William Smith Colleges	1	The University of Hong Kong	2
University of Plymouth	Illinois Institute of Technology	1	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	2
Swansea University	Indiana University at Bloomington	1	Suzhou University	1
Teeside University, Middlesborough	Miami University	1	Tsinghua University	1
University of Surrey	Miami University, Oxford	1	Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU, Suzhou)	1
University of the Arts Bournemouth	Parsons School of Design	1	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	1
University of Westminster	Rice University	1	Hong Kong Polytech University	1
University of Nottingham	Santa Monica College	1	The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology	1
University of Southampton	Sarah Lawrence College	1	University of Tokyo	1
	School of Art Institute of Chicago	1	Tokyo International University	1
	The George Washington University	1	The University of Nottingham Malaysia Campus	1
	University of Miami	1		
	Haverford College	1	EUROPE	
	Baylor University	1	KU Leuven, Belgium	1
	Fashion Institute of Technology - State	1	McDaniel College Budapest	1
	University of Michigan	1	Dublin Institute of Technology	1
	University of California, Santa Cruz	1	BHMS (Hotel school)	1
	University of San Diego	1	Business and Hotel Management School	1
	University of Wisconsin, Madison	1	École Hôtelière de Lausanne	1
	Berklee College of Music	1	University of Amsterdam, The Netherlands	2
	Deakin University	1	Delft University of Technology	1
	University of Iowa	1		
	Duke University	1	AUSTRALIA	
	Occidental College	1	University of Melbourne	10
	Peabody Institute of The Johns Hopkins University	1	The University of Sydney	3
	University of Minnesota	1	University of Monash	3
	University of Missouri-St.Louis	1	University of Queensland	3
	Reed College	1	University of Adelaide	2