



**DULWICH INTERNATIONAL
HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMME**
| SUZHOU |
苏州德威国际课程高中项目

SCHOOL PROFILE 2026 | 2027

FOUNDED IN:
2012

STUDENTS:
400

NATIONALITIES:
8

AGE RANGE:
14-19

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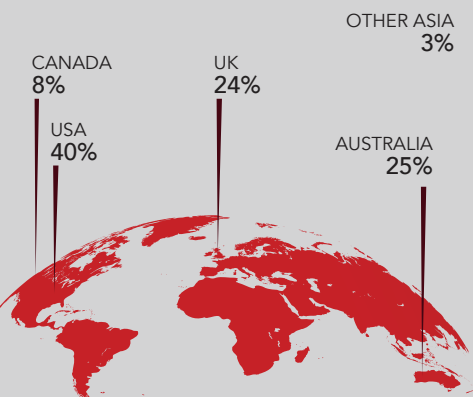
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CLASS OF 2026 UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS



OUR SCHOOL

Dulwich International High School Programme Suzhou (DHSZ) is an independent co-educational high school programme for students aged 14-19. Having opened our doors in 2012, we currently have 400 student on the roll of which 130 are in the Class of 2027. In line with the educational philosophy of Dulwich College, our founding school in London, the high school programme offers a challenging academic and holistic educational approach to its students. This is centred on an enhanced international curriculum 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 International Education (CIE) & 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.

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 a maximum of five compulsory subjects.

Updates for 2027 Cohort - DHSZ has varied the science courses to ensure all students study all the sciences at IGCSE. Students took individual sciences IGCSE, Combined Sciences (all sciences) with one IGCSE awarded, or Co-ordinated Sciences (all sciences) with "Double award" - i.e. 2 IGCSEs.

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.

Updates for 2027 Cohort A-levels - DHSZ students will be offered more options in Y12 and Y13 (grade 11 and 12) meaning three A-Levels will become the normal as students take advantage of our other internal and college credit courses.

Marquette University x DHSZ and Pittsburgh University

Our students are taking Liberal Arts, English and Art courses with US Course Credits externally awarded by Marquette University Explorer Program and Pittsburgh University. These courses aim to prepare our students for life at universities worldwide, focus on critical thinking skills, and build general transferable skills.

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.

ACCREDITATIONS AND MEMBERSHIPS

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

OUR NETWORK

EDUCATION IN MOTION (EiM)

EiM is a family of world-leading educational brands, including Dulwich College International, which offers both K-12 schools and a High School Programme; Dehong®, offering bilingual education; Green School International, promoting sustainability across Bali and the world; Sherfield School in the United Kingdom; and Hochalpinen Institut Ftan AG (HIF) in Switzerland. Today, EiM empowers over 11,500 students across 14 schools worldwide to thrive holistically on tailored pathways for each unique individual, resulting in outstanding academic results and top university matriculation.

All EiM schools maintain a **12 Application Limit policy**: during a single application cycle, students may apply to a total of 12 universities or university systems. This policy maintains the intentionality and quality of our applications and is balanced with extensive support during the research, application and decision-making stages to ensure best fit outcomes.

EiM University and Careers Counselling Mission Statement:

EiM University and Careers Counsellors help students define **what success means to them** and develop the tools necessary to achieve that success. We proactively seek out the most **up-to-date understanding** of higher education globally and trends in counselling practice. We collaborate with teachers and families.

DULWICH INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAMMES are Grade 9-12/Year 10-13 schools that offer the IGCSE curriculum followed by the A-level Programme.



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, which are listed on the official transcripts.

DISCIPLINE POLICY

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

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

2024-2026 A-LEVEL/AS-LEVEL RESULTS

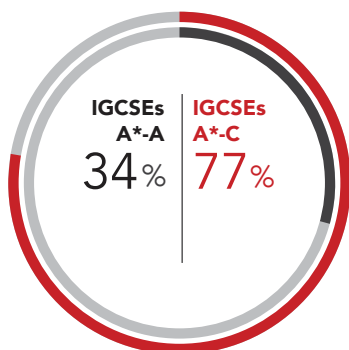
2024-2026 A - Level 3 yr average results

Subject	A*-A	A*-C
Overall	44%	79%
Fine Art	29%	86%
Graphic Communication	16%	70%
Biology	48%	80%
Chemistry	47%	86%
Computer Science	45%	86%
Chinese	81%	97%
Economics	38%	76%
Further Mathematics	42%	75%
Geography	21%	66%
Mathematics	35%	68%
Music	0%	40%
Physics	28%	77%
Psychology	40%	81%

2024-2026 AS Level 3 yr average results (no A* at AS)

Subject	A	A-C
Overall	35%	72%
Biology	24%	56%
Chemistry	35%	77%
Computer Science	19%	42%
Economics	31%	69%
Geography	25%	63%
Mathematics	41%	77%
Further Mathematics	48%	84%
Music	-	-
Physics	32%	73%
Psychology	41%	70%

2024-2026 AVERAGE IGCSE RESULTS



UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS 2024-2026

Universities to which at least one student matriculated in 2026 are highlighted in **bold**.

AUSTRALIA

Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology 1
The University of Sydney 19
University of Melbourne 19
University of Monash 11
University of New South Wales 5
University of Queensland 8

CANADA

McGill University 1
University of Alberta 1
University of British Columbia 4
University of Calgary 1
University of Guelph 1
University of Toronto 18
Vancouver film school 1
Western University 1

CHINA

Beijing University of Chinese Medicine 1
Jimei University 1
Xi'an Jiaotong-Liverpool University (XJTLU, Suzhou) 2

FRANCE

Paris fashion school - Institut Français de la Mode 1

HONG KONG, CHINA

City University of Hong Kong 2
Hong Kong Polytech University 3
Lingnan University 1
The Chinese University of Hong Kong 1
The Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts 1
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology 2
The University of Hong Kong 5

JAPAN

Kyushu University 1
Sophia University 1

MALAYSIA

Monash University Malaysia 3

NEW ZEALAND

The University of Auckland 1
University of Waikato 1

SINGAPORE

Lasalle College of the Arts 1
University of the Arts Singapore 1

THE NETHERLANDS

Design Academy Eindhoven 1

UNITED KINGDOM

Durham University 5
Goldsmiths, University of London 2
Imperial College London 6
King's College London, University of London 10
Kingston University London 1
London School of Economics and Political Science, University of London 2
Manchester Metropolitan University 1
Royal College of Music 1
Teesside University, Middlesbrough 1
The University of Edinburgh 7
The University of Manchester 29
The University of Sheffield 1
UCL (University College London) 34
University of Birmingham 1
University of Bristol 3
University of Cambridge 2
University of Glasgow 3
University of Lancaster 1
University of Leeds 7
University of Sheffield 2
University of St Andrews 1
University of Sussex 1
University of the Arts London 20
University of Warwick 5
University of Westminster 1

UNITED STATES

Art Center College of Design 8
Babson College 1
Bentley University 1
Berklee College of Music 1
Boston University 7
California State University 1
Case Western Reserve University 1
Emerson College 3
Grinnell College 1
Kent State University at Kent 2
Kenyon College 1
LeHigh University 1
LIM College 1
Los Angeles College of Music 1
Manhattan School of Music 1
Maryland Institute College of Art 3
Michigan State University 4
Musicians Institute 1
New York University 9
Northeastern University 8
Northern Arizona University 1
Ohio State University 3
Oklahoma State University 1
Otis College of Art and Design 1
Pace University 2
Parsons School of Design 1

Pennsylvania State University 5
Pratt Institute 3
Rhode Island School of Design 2
Ringling College of Art and Design 3
Rutgers University, The State University of New Jersey 10
Santa Clara University 2
Savannah College of Art and Design 2
School of Art Institute of Chicago 2
School of Visual Arts 2
St. Olaf College 1
Stony Brook University 3
Syracuse University 1
The New School 13
Trinity College 1
University at Buffalo 1
University of California Santa Barbara 1
University of California, Davis 9
University of California, Irvine 5
University of California, San Diego 2
University of California, Santa Cruz 1
University of California-Riverside 3
University of Connecticut 4
University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign 6
University of Massachusetts Amherst 1
University of New Haven 1
University of Pittsburgh 1
University of San Francisco 1
University of South Carolina-Columbia 1
University of Utah 1
University of Washington-Seattle 1
University of Wisconsin, Madison 3
Vanderbilt University 1
Wake Forest University 1
Washington University in St. Louis 3

Gap Year 12