



# Wuxi No.1 High School (WXYZ) International Department (A Level & IBDP) School Profile

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## SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mon. through Fri.  
Sept. 1st-Jan.18th  
Feb.17th-June 30th

10 periods/day  
40 minutes/ period

## ABOUT

Founded in 1911, Wuxi No.1 High School (WXYZ) is a public senior high school which offers a 3-year Chinese national curriculum (approx. 2,000 students enrolled). The International Department offers British A-Level (since 2008) and IBDP (2012-2021) curriculums with a global vision on WXYZ's urban campus. Since 2010, 1000+ international department graduates have enrolled into top universities in the US, the UK, Canada and other countries or regions. Our faculty represents 10 countries including the US, the UK, Canada, India, New Zealand, Ireland, Sri Lanka, etc. which brings a wide and diverse perspective to students and the campus. The 5:1 student-faculty ratio enables students to get full attention and individual guidance both in and out of the classroom.

**CIE Center No.: CN569      IBIS School Code: 049189      CEEB Code 694292**

## STUDENT RECRUITMENT

WXYZ is the top public school in Wuxi. Students are admitted to WXYZ and International Department strictly by score rankings in the High School Entrance Exam.

### ENROLLMENT

G12: 56 (AL 34 IB 21)

G11: 66(AL )

G10: 56 (IGCSE)

### SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Administrative	3
Foreign Teacher	19
Bilingual Teacher	7
Form Room Tutor	8

## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

In WXYZ International Department, we believe that encouraging our students to develop a balance between academics and extracurricular interests will prepare them for the demands of the 21st century.

Students in International Department can choose from dozens of sporting, cultural, service, and personal enrichment activities. Among them: Student Council, Model United Nations, Robot Design, Public Speech, Debate, Drama, Year Book, Co-Tech Science, Photography and Filming, Band, Basketball and Soccer Club, and other more than 20 school clubs. Students are also engaged in community service with thriving chapters of Habitat for Humanity and Fair Trade.

**GPA is reported by 100% scale since Fall 2019**, which is a combination of monthly tests, class performance, homework and behavior. Due to the differences of AL&IB curriculums, we calculate GPA respectively.

Class rank is not reported.

For college applications, **BridgeU** is used to ensure document integrity.

## A LEVEL COURSES 2020-2021

<b>G10</b> (IGCSE)	<b>G11</b> (Advanced Subsidiary)	<b>G12</b> (A-Level)
English as 2nd Language*	IGCSE Literature/ESL	IB English B (SL/HL)
Additional Mathematics*	Mathematics* <sup>1</sup>	Mathematics* <sup>1</sup>
First Language Chinese*	Physics*	Further Mathematics*
Chemistry*	Chemistry*	Physics*
Biology*	Economics*	Chemistry*
Physics*	Physical Education	Economics*
Economics	Biology*	Physical Education
Physical Education	Chinese	/
Electives <sup>2</sup>	Electives* <sup>2</sup>	/

Courses with \* are followed by Cambridge Assessment International Examinations IGCSE & A Level syllabus.

1: AL Mathematics in G11 & G12 is a two-year course (AS Math for G11 & AL Math for G12). Capable students are encouraged to complete this course in one year.

2: Electives are delivered in Chinese following Chinese curriculum

G10 students are required to take all five IGCSE courses; G11 students are required to take at least three AS/L; for G12 students, three courses is the minimum requirement (IB English B and 2 ALs are compulsory).

### AS/L LEVEL CIE RESULT DISTRIBUTION: CLASS OF 2021

	<b>A*</b>	<b>A/a</b>	<b>B/b</b>	<b>C/c</b>	<b>D/d</b>	<b>E/e or below</b>	<b># of Students</b>
	<b>90-100%</b>	<b>80-89%</b>	<b>70-79%</b>	<b>60-69%</b>	<b>50-59%</b>	<b>≤49%</b>	
AS Math	/	5	10	1	1	1	18
AL Math	4	4	5	1	2	0	16
AS Physics	/	10	7	4	6	2	29
AS Chemistry	/	7	7	2	3	1	20
AS Economics	/	7	6	10	8	3	34

### A LEVEL GPA DISTRIBUTION: CLASS OF 2021

<b>GPA</b>	<b># of students</b>	<b>GPA</b>	<b># of students</b>
>90	8	78-82	9
83-90	13	<78	5

### IBDP COURSES CLASS OF 2021

<b>G10</b> (IGCSE)	<b>G11</b> (IBDP year 1)	<b>G12</b> (IBDP year 2)
English as 2nd Language*	Chinese A Language & Literature	Chinese A Language & Literature
First Language Chinese*	English B	English B
Additional Mathematics*	Mathematics	Mathematics (Analysis & Approaches)
Physics*/Chemistry*/Biology*	Physics/ Chemistry/Biology	Physics/ Chemistry/Biology
Economics*	Economics/ History	Economics/ History
Physical Education	Music / Visual Arts	Music / Visual Arts
IB Skills	Physical Education	Physical Education
	IB Cores	IB Cores

Courses with \* are followed by Cambridge Assessment International Examinations IGCSE Syllabus.

G10 students are required to take all five IGCSE courses. Besides, students are offered IB skills and TOK classes as well.

### IB Fast Facts

	2020	2019	2018
<b>Diploma Pass Rate</b>	100%	97%	100%
<b>Average Pass Score</b>	32	33	33
<b>Highest Score</b>	42	42	41

### IB GPA DISTRIBUTION: CLASS OF 2021

GPA	# of students	GPA	# of students
>90	4	<85	10
86-90	7		

Standardized Tests *\*Due to the COVID-19 outbreak, students of this class year reported few SAT test results. Please refer to the previous standardized test result statistics for more information. The following statistics are as of October 01, 2019.*

#### SAT TEST

Class	2020	2019	2018
<b>Reading and Writing avg.</b>	575	580	610
<b>Math avg.</b>	770	745	750
<b>Mid 50%</b>	1320-1430	1300-1470	1350-1430
<b>Total avg.</b>	1365	1372	1378

#### ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEST *(The following statistics are as of October 01, 2020)*

##### IELTS

##### TOEFL

Class	2021	2020	2021	2020
<b># of Students</b>	12	12	44	62
<b>Average Score</b>	6.5	6.5	88	92

## Matriculations (Class of 2018-2020)

### USA

Arizona State University (5)	Bloomington (2)	Rutgers University-New Brunswick (10)	University of California, San Diego (1)
Bentley University (1)	Iowa State University (1)	Savannah College of Art and Design (1)	University of California, Santa Barbara (2)
Binghamton University (1)	Irvine Valley College (1)	School of Visual Arts (1)	University of California-Los Angeles (1)
Boston University (2)	Ithaca College (1)	Simmons University (1)	University of Cincinnati (1)
Brandeis University (1)	Lafayette College (1)	Stony Brook University (2)	University of Connecticut (1)
Bucknell University (1)	Lehigh University (2)	Syracuse University (4)	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (2)
California College of the Arts (San Francisco) (1)	Louisiana State University (1)	Texas A&M University (1)	University of Miami (4)
Carnegie Mellon University (1)	Loyola Marymount University (1)	The George Washington University (3)	University of Minnesota, Twin Cities (4)
Case Western Reserve University (1)	Macalester College (1)	The Ohio State University (13)	University of Richmond (2)
College of the Holy Cross (1)	MCPHS University (2)	The University of Arizona (1)	University of Rochester (3)
Concordia University - Irvine (1)	Miami University, Oxford (4)	The University of Iowa (3)	University of Utah (1)
Cornell University (1)	New York University (4)	The University of Texas, Austin (2)	University of Wisconsin, Madison (4)
Davidson College (1)	Parsons School of Design (1)	University at Buffalo (1)	Wake Forest University (1)
Emerson College (1)	Pennsylvania State University (1)	University of California, Berkeley (1)	Washington State University (1)
Emory University (2)	Pratt Institute (3)	University of California, Davis (4)	
Franklin and Marshall College (2)	Purdue University (4)		
Georgetown University (1)	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (6)		
Hamilton College - NY (1)	Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology (1)		
Indiana University at			

### UK

Durham University (1)  
 Goldsmiths, University of London (1)  
 Imperial College London (2)  
 King's College London (2)  
 Loughborough University (1)  
 Newcastle University (1)  
 The London School of Economics and Political Science (2)  
 The University of Edinburgh (2)  
 The University of Manchester (1)  
 The University of Warwick (1)  
 University College London (4)  
 University of London (1)  
 University of Essex (1)  
 University of Kent (1)

### Japan

Waseda University (1)

### Germany

Jacobs University (1)

### Canada

Carleton University (3)  
 Fraser International College (1)  
 McGill University (6)  
 McMaster University (3)  
 Queen's University (4)  
 The University of British Columbia - Okanagan (1)  
 The University of British Columbia - Vancouver (8)  
 University of Northern British Columbia (1)  
 University of Ottawa (2)  
 University of Toronto - Mississauga (1)  
 University of Toronto - St. George (13)  
 University of Waterloo (3)  
 Western University (3)  
 York University (1)

### Australia

Monash University (2)  
 The University of Melbourne (3)  
 University of Sydney (1)  
 UNSW Australia (1)

### Qatar

Northwestern University in Qatar (2)

### Hong Kong (China)

The University of HK (1)  
 Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (1)

### Switzerland

Ecole Hoteliere de Lausanne (2)  
 Cesar Ritz Hotel Management School (1)  
 Swiss Hotel Management School (2)

