



# HORIZON JAPAN INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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A Community of Lifelong Learners



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## Accreditations



## Affiliation



Established in 2003, HJIS is an Early Years - G12 international IB World School in Yokohama, Japan. In 2021, HJIS received authorization to run the IB PYP and MYP Programmes. With our verified status as a DP school since 2013, HJIS is a fully authorized International Baccalaureate Continuum school.

## VISION

A place where students learn to become forthright global citizens and leaders who will help build a peaceful world.

## MISSION

HJIS is committed to providing rigorous and challenging education within a safe and caring environment. We aim to nurture responsible lifelong learners who understand the importance of intercultural understanding to achieve global peace.

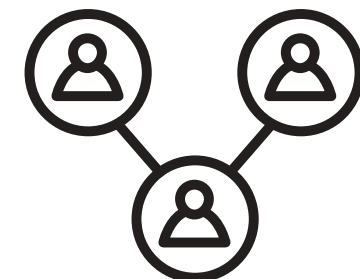
## CORE VALUES



Understanding



Respect



Community

**50+** Nationalities Represented

**450+** PreSchool-G12 Students

Other Nationalities  
15.7%

S. Korean  
3.8%

Indian  
4.7%

Turkish  
5.2%

Chinese  
5.8%

American  
8.7%

Japanese  
56.1%

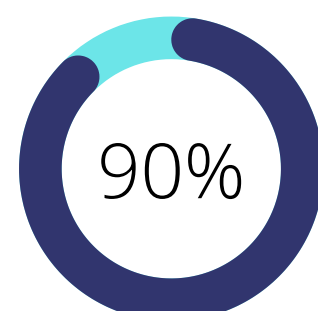
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Students to  
Teacher  
Ratio

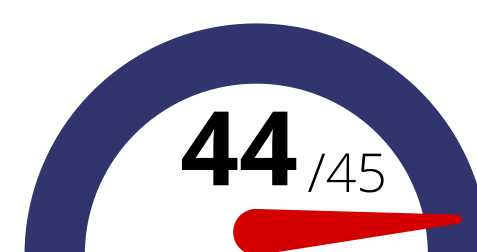
**3 out of 4** graduates  
are **IBDP** students



**DP Award Rate**



**Highest**  
DP Grades



**1 in 3** IBDP graduates receive  
the **Bilingual Diploma**



## COVID-19 Impact

- Fully online learning implemented during campus closure (March - June 2020)
- Hybrid learning with the integration of online and in-person learning (August 2020 - June 2022)
- While extracurricular activities are limited, some continue in an online format.
- Continued extra focus on strengthening well-being and social-emotional health.



# Credits

The HJIS transcript indicates one's grades on the 7-scale from Grade 9 to 12. A cumulative 7-scale grade is converted into a 4.00 GPA scale. Successful mastery (4-7 out of 7) of a subject is awarded 1.00 credit per year. If a grade of 3 is achieved, students receive 0.5 credits.

HJIS Grading Scale		
7 Scale	4.00 Scale	Credits
7	4.00	1.00
6	3.50	1.00
5	3.00	1.00
4	2.50	1.00
3	2.00	0.50
2	1.00	0.00
1	0.00	0.00
0	0.00	0.00

With successful completion, students can receive 0.5 credits each for Personal Project and Extended Essay (EE). If a grade of 4 or higher on the 7-scale is achieved in Theory of Knowledge (TOK) students will receive 0.5 credits per year. If a score of 3 is achieved, they will receive 0.25 credits.

# Upper Secondary School

All HJIS Upper Secondary (Grade 11-12) students are enrolled in DP subjects. Students can choose from two pathways: the IBDP Diploma or DP Course Candidacy. Students in the IBDP Diploma pathway take three HL subjects and three SL subjects in addition to three core components: Creativity Activity Service (CAS), EE and TOK. Students in the Course Candidacy pathway complete the six subjects and two core components: CAS and TOK.

	DP Subjects Offered	Level HL = Higher Level SL = Standard Level
Languages	English A: Language and Literature	HL & SL
	English B	HL & SL
	Japanese A: Language and Literature	HL & SL
	Japanese B	HL & SL
	Japanese ab initio	SL
	Spanish B (Online)	SL
	Spanish ab initio (Online)	SL
	French ab initio (Online)	SL
Individuals and Societies	Economics	HL & SL
	Business Management	HL & SL
	Global Politics	HL
	Psychology (Online)	SL
	Environmental Systems and Societies	SL
Science	Physics	HL & SL
	Chemistry	HL & SL
	Biology	HL & SL
	Design Technology	SL
	Sports, Exercise and Health Science	SL
Math	Mathematics: Analysis and Approaches	HL & SL
	Mathematics: Applications and Interpretations	SL
Arts	Visual Art	HL & SL
	Film	SL
Core	Theory of Knowledge	N/A
	Extended Essay	N/A
	Creativity, Activity, Service	N/A
Other	English: Language Arts	N/A
	Mathematics	N/A

# Global Citizenship and Service

As stated in our vision, HJIS is a community of global citizens who actively promote more peaceful, tolerant, inclusive, secure and sustainable societies by understanding and taking action on global and local issues.

Service Learning is at the heart of our school, as seen in our Core Values of understanding, respect and community. As a result, all students nurture the attributes of Global Citizenship by completing their MYP Service Learning requirements as well as DP CAS requirements in full.

**20+ Student-Led Organizations**

The Terry Fox Run, Debate Club, Robotics Club, Sustainable Development Goals, #Decarbonize HJIS, TEDxYouth@HJIS (x = independently organized TED event)

# Matriculation List (Since 2019)

## USA

- Arizona State University
- Auburn University
- Azusa Pacific university
- Biola University
- Boston Univesity
- California Lutheran University
- Chicago Columbia College
- Clarkson University
- Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University
- Franklin University
- Green River Community College
- Illinois Institution of Technology
- Menlo College
- Moody Bible Institute
- Oregon State University
- Pennsylvania State University
- Purdue University
- Ringling College of Art and Design
- SCAD
- SUNY Albany
- SUNY Binghamton
- SUNY New Platz
- SUNY Oneonta
- SUNY Plattsburgh
- Temple University
- University at Buffalo

- University of California Irvine
- University of California Merced
- University of California Riverside
- University of California Santa Cruz
- University of Houston
- University of Massachusetts Amherst
- Washington State University
- Western Michigan University
- Whatcom Community College

## Canada

- McMaster University
- Mount Allison University
- University of Alberta
- University of British Columbia
- University of Calgary
- University of Toronto
- University of Waterloo
- Western University

## Sweden

- Chalmers University of technology

## Germany

- Erasmus University Rotterdam

## Belgium

- KU Leuven University

## UK

- Bristol University
- Cardiff University
- Durham university
- King's College London
- Trinity College Dublin
- University of Buckingham
- University of Central Lancashire
- University of Law
- University of Leeds
- University of Leicester
- University of Manchester
- University of Portsmouth

## Hungary

- University of Szeged, Medicine

## Netherlands

- Delft University of Technology
- Eindhoven University of Technology
- Erasmus University Rotterdam
- NHL Stenden University of Technology

## Switzerland

- EU Business School, Geneva
- Franklin University
- Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts
- Webster University Geneva

## Japan

- Aoyama Gakuin University
- International Christian University
- Keio University
- Nagoya University
- Ritsumeikan, APU
- Sophia University
- Temple University, Japan Campus
- Tohoku University
- Tsukuba University
- Waseda Univesity

## Australia

- Taylors College

## New Zealand

- University of Waikato

## Hong Kong

- University of Hong kong
- Hong Kong University of Science and Technology