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# Senior High School Profile: 2023-2024

### **Accreditation**

- New England Association of Schools and Colleges (NEASC)
- Council of International Schools (CIS)
- International Baccalaureate Organization (IBO)
- British School Overseas (BSO)

### **Affiliations**

- Council of British International Schools (COBIS)
- Recognized by the United Kingdom, Department of Education and Skills Dfes No 70/36271
- Recognized by the Czech Republic Ministry of Education Cj. 35229/1999-22
- Cambridge International Examinations Centre (CIE) Ref. CZ026.
- Edexcel Examinations Centre. Ref. 91481
- Oxford Exam Centre: Ref. 345549
- Riverside School is a designated school for the US Department of State Office of Overseas Schools in Prague.

### **School and Community**

- Founded in 1994. Independent, non-profit, co-educational day school for children between the ages of 3 and 18 years.
- Riverside is known for its high academic standards, excellent facilities, and dedication to the development of the whole child.
- Riverside School has an underlying Christian ethos which is attractive to families of all faiths and of none.

# **Students**

- The school currently enrolls 670 students representing over 55 nationalities. There are 240 students in the Senior High School (Years 10-13/Grades 9-12) with 54 students in the Class of 2024.
- Non-selective enrolment with class sizes ranging from 5-16 in the High School and a student-teacher ratio of 7:1.
- Approximately 90% of graduates attend a 4-year university.

# **Academic Program**

- Riverside School offers a broad international curriculum based on the National Curriculum of England and adapted to the needs of an international student body.
- Riverside offers an accredited American High School Diploma and the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program.
- Most Year 10 and 11 (Grade 9 and 10) courses are IGCSE courses with examinations held at the end of Year 11.
- All academic courses are university preparatory level.
- High School Graduation is on 24 May 2024.
- English is the principal language of instruction and exams, as a result of which students qualify for university-level Englishlanguage study.

# Skills for Life (Extra-curricular)

 Riverside students complement their classroom learning with a rich variety of Skills for Life opportunities, including music groups, Model United Nations (MUN), community service, student council, visual and performing arts (dance and theatre), sports, DofE Program, extensive Outdoor Adventure programs and a membership at a local fitness gym.

### Grading System (internal grades)

| A+<br>A<br>B+<br>B<br>C+<br>C | Percentage<br>95-100<br>90-94<br>85-89<br>80-84<br>75-79<br>70-74<br>65-69 | Descriptor Exceptional Understanding Exceptional Understanding Extended Understanding Extended Understanding Secure Understanding Secure Understanding Developing Understanding |
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| -                             |  |   |
| D<br>F                        | 60-64<br>< 60  | Developing Understanding Unsatisfactory   |
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# **Graduation Requirements**

23 Total Credits Required English - 4 Mathematics - 3 Science - 3 Social Studies - 3 Languages - 3 PE/Health - 1 Electives/Arts - 6

### **Class Ranking**

We do not provide class ranking for 12th graders. There is no appropriate ranking system that would adequately account for highly transitory international students, many of whom are transfers from schools in countries with different grading systems.

We do not weight GPA, although transcripts note if an IB subject is HL or SL.

# Year 12 and 13 (Grade 11 and 12) / IB Course Offerings

International Baccalaureate (IB) courses are open to all students, whether or not they are studying for the full IB Diploma.

IB English A Literature SL/HL

IB Czech A Literature SL/HL

IB English A Language and Literature SL/HL

IB English B SL/HL

IB French B SL/HL

IB Spanish B SL/HL & ab initio

IB German B SL/HL & ab initio

IB Geography SL/HL

IB History SL/HL

IB Business Management SL/HL

IB Economics SL/HL

IB Psychology SL/HL

IB World Religions SL

IB Computer Science SL/HL

IB Biology SL/HL

IB Physics SL/HL

IB Chemistry SL/HL

IB Environmental Sys. and Soc. SL

IB Health, Sport and Exercise Science SL/HL IB Mathematics:

- Analysis & Approaches SL/HL
- Applications & Interpretations SL/HL

IB Visual Arts SL/HL

IB Music Performance SL/HL

IB Theatre SL/HL

Theory of Knowledge



### Grade Distribution for Class of 2022 (11th & 12th Grade Courses)

|                | A     | В     | С     | D  | F    |
|----------------|-------|-------|-------|----|------|
| English        | 28%   | 39%   | 29%   | 4% | 0%   |
| Math           | 34%   | 32%   | 30%   | 4% | 0%   |
| Science        | 23%   | 40%   | 32%   | 3% | 2%   |
| Social Studies | 29%   | 44%   | 24%   | 2% | 1%   |
| MFL            | 34%   | 38%   | 21%   | 7% | 0%   |
| Overall        | 29.6% | 38.6% | 27.2% | 4% | 0.6% |

### 2023 International Baccalaureate Results

85% of the Class of 2023 chose the full IB Diploma Program

95% Pass Rate

Average Diploma Score of 33.4 Points
High Score of 42 Points

Diploma Students achieving more than or equal to 35 IB points = 38%

Diploma Students achieving more than or equal to 38 IB points = 20%

# **Universities and Colleges**

Riverside graduates have been accepted to some of the most prestigious universities around the world, including:

#### **United States of America**

Arizona State University
Bard College and Conservatory
Berklee College of Music
Boston University

Clemson University
Columbia University
Cornell University
Duke University

Georgetown University
Kent State University
New York University
Ohio State University
Princeton University
Purdue University

The Citadel

University of California
University of Colorado
University of Chicago
University of Illinois
University of Michigan
University of North Carolina
University of Pennsylvania
University of Tennessee
US Airforce Academy Prep
Utah State University
Wheaton College
Yale University

#### Canada

McGill University
Simon Fraser University
Trinity Western University
University of British Columbia
University of Calgary
University of Toronto
University of Victoria
University of Waterloo
Western University

### **United Kingdom**

Abbey Road Institute
City University London
Dundee University
Durham University
Edinburgh Napier University
Heriot-Watt University Edinburgh

Imperial College, London

Institute of Contemporary Music Performance

King's College, London Lancaster University

London School of Economics (LSE) London Technical Music School Manchester School of Art

Marangoni Institute

Queen Mary University of London

Queen's University Belfast Rose Bruford College of Theatre

Royal Holloway Trinity College Dublin University of Aberdeen University of the Arts London

University of Bath

University of Birmingham University of Bristol University of Cambridge University of Cardiff

University of Central Lancaster

University of Chichester

University College London (UCL)

University of Exeter
University of Edinburgh
University of Glasgow
University of Hull
University of Leeds
University of Liverpool
University of Manchester
University of Nottingham
University of Oxford
University of Reading
University of Sheffield
University of Southampton
University of St Andrews
University of Stirling

### Europe (non-UK)

University of York

**University of Sussex** 

University of Surrey

University of Warwick

Anglo-American University, CZ Charles University, CZ Czech Technical University, CZ Prague Music Conservatory, CZ Prague Technical University, CZ University of New York in Prague, CZ ESSEC Business School in Paris, FR Les Cours Florent, Paris, FR

Carl Benz Insitute of Engineering, GE Schule für Ergotherapie Stuttgart, GE

Munich University, GE Semmelweis University, HU Bocconi University, IT NABA, Milan, IT

University of Bologna, IT

Università degli Studi di Padova, IT

Polimoda University, IT

Universita Cattolica del Sacro Curore, IT

Vilnius University, Lithuania Int'l University of Monaco, Monaco Delft U. of Technology, NL De Haagse Hogeschool, NL

Erasmus University , NL Maastricht University, NL University of Amsterdam, NL University of Groeningen, NL University of Leiden, NL

Vrije Universiteit Amsterdam, NL Wageningen University & Research, NL Stockholm School of Economics, SW

University of Lund, SW

EHL, CH

Glion University, CH Lauder Business School, CH Les Roches School of Hotel Man., CH IHTTI School of Hotel Man, CH BHMS Lucern, CH

#### Asia

Nagoya Vocational College, Japan Obihiro University, Japan Sophia University, Japan University of Tokyo, Japan Waseda University, Japan Daegu Arts University, South Korea Ewha Womans University, South Korea University of Seoul, South Korea SungKyunKwan University, South Korea Yonsei University, South Korea National Taiwan, Taiwan University of Ankara, Turkey







