



# CANADIAN ACADEMY

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## Secondary School (Gr. 9-12) Profile 2014-2015

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### Mission Statement

Canadian Academy inspires students to inquire, reflect, and choose to compassionately impact the world throughout their lives.

### History

Canadian Academy celebrated its centennial in 2013. Founded by Canadian missionaries, the school has evolved to serve the area's international community. After decades on the Kobe hillside, the campus moved to Rokko Island in 1990 to better serve the expanding student population.

### Accreditation

Canadian Academy is a private international school approved by the Japanese Ministry of Education, accredited by the U. S. based Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) as well as the Council of International Schools (CIS), and certified to award both the U. S. high school and International Baccalaureate (IB) diplomas.

### Programs

Canadian Academy's high school maintains an advanced college/university-preparatory educational program in the English language. The U. S. curriculum has been coordinated with the IB Diploma Programme (DP) syllabus. At the conclusion of DP courses students sit externally assessed exams. Students from Gr. 6-10 complete the IB Middle Years Programme (MYP). English is only offered at A (first language) level.

### Students

The 585 students in grades Pre-K-12 represent nearly forty different nations with approximately 57% from East/South East Asia, 20% from North America, 13% from Europe, 6% from South Asia, 3% from Oceania and 1% from Latin America, West Asia/Middle East and Africa. Sixteen high school students live on campus in the dormitory. The high school enrollment is 205.

### Graduation Requirements

Graduation requirements include a minimum of 24.5 academic credits, with required courses and credits in the following areas: English-4, Math-3, Science-3, Social Studies-3, Foreign Language-2, PE-2, Fine Arts-1, Health-0.5. A Technology Literacy requirement is fulfilled by the 1:1 laptop program. The typical student graduates having earned at least 27 credits.

### Grading System

All grades earned at Canadian Academy are included when calculating a grade point average; all grades are equally weighted. The 4.0 grading scale is as follows:

(4.0)	7	=	Excellent (A)
(3.8)	6	=	Very Good (A-)
(3.0)	5	=	Good (B)
(2.0)	4	=	Satisfactory (C)
(1.0)	3	=	Poor (D)
(0)	2/1	=	Failing (F)

It is the policy of Canadian Academy not to rank students. The sixth semester cumulative grade-point-average distribution is as follows:

GPA Range	< 2.50	2.50-2.99	3.00-3.49	3.50-4.00
Class of 2015 (52)	8%	17%	29%	46%
Class of 2014 (50)	4%	10%	45%	41%
Class of 2013 (47)	1%	11%	45%	43%

\* ( ) = class size

### Academic Courses

Each high school course meets three times a week for a total of 200 minutes. Students can enroll in a maximum of eight courses. Canadian Academy does not offer courses designated as "honors"; all courses are academically demanding.

### IB Programs

All Canadian Academy students are encouraged to complete a rigorous academic program, which may include IB examinations appropriate to their individual needs. Approximately 83% of this year's senior class are IB Diploma candidates, and all seniors this year are enrolled in IB courses.

As an IB DP and MYP school, we strive to achieve the standards as outlined in the IB Learner Profile.

- Inquirers
- Knowledgeable
- Thinkers
- Communicators
- Principled
- Open-minded
- Caring
- Risk-takers
- Balanced
- Reflective



## Examination Results

### SAT 2010-2014

		2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
SAT-I Reading*	≥ 500	68%	90%	84%	83%	72%
	Ave. score	560	591	577	587	563
SAT-I Math	≥ 500	92%	95%	91%	98%	95%
	Ave. score	618	663	632	652	639
SAT-I Writing	≥ 500	84%	88%	93%	94%	74%
	Ave. score	580	619	593	602	565
SAT II Math Level II	Ave. score	657	706	691	651	663

\* Three-fourths of Canadian Academy's graduates were raised in a home environment where they use a language other than English. SAT Reading and all English test scores reflect their varied linguistic backgrounds.

### International Baccalaureate 2010-2014

	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
Total: Gr. 12 students	53	57	44	47	50
Total: IBDP students	34	41	34	45	43
Successful candidates	32	41	28	43	42
Average IBDP points: CA	33	34	32	33	34
Average IBDP points: World	29.6	29.6	29.8	29.6	29.9
Highest IBDP points	44	42	43	44	44
Candidates: IBDP points 40+	6	3	3	4	3
Average IBDP grade: CA	5.24	5.44	5.29	5.21	5.35
Average IBDP grade: World	4.67	4.67	4.67	4.67	4.67

### International Baccalaureate 2010-2014

Subject	Higher or Standard	Total Tested	≥ 4	CA Ave.	World IB Ave.
Eng A: Lit	HL	110	99.9%	5.12	4.78
Eng A: Lit	SL	69	99.9%	4.88	4.97
Eng A: L & L*	HL	34	100%	5.24	5.24
Eng A: L & L*	SL	27	100%	5.03	4.8
Jpns A: L & L*	HL	10	100%	6.09	5.69
Jpns A: L & L*	SL	25	100%	6.14	5.74
Japanese B	HL	22	100%	6.15	6.11
Japanese B	SL	47	100%	5.95	5.00
Japanese Ab	SL	8	100%	6.32	4.96
French B	HL	7	100%	4.92	4.95
French B	SL	15	100%	5.43	4.92
Spanish B	HL	7	100%	6.55	5.42
Spanish B	SL	18	100%	5.81	5.05
Economics	HL	140	99.4%	5.15	5.18
Economics	SL	40	99.5%	5.64	4.79
History	HL	61	100%	5.31	5.03
History	SL	12	99.2%	5.03	4.48
Biology	HL	79	98.6%	5.13	4.32
Biology	SL	54	99.1%	5.08	4.27
Chemistry	HL	50	98.4%	5.03	4.53
Chemistry	SL	51	97.6%	4.42	4.01
Physics	HL	30	97.3%	4.73	4.65
Physics	SL	29	99.0%	5.08	4.16
Math Studies	SL	43	98.6%	4.71	4.51
Mathematics	HL	54	98.5%	4.51	4.41
Mathematics	SL	138	98.6%	5.02	4.48
Visual Arts	HL	48	98.8%	4.79	4.88
Visual Arts	SL	7	95.7%	3.87	4.53
Music	HL	5	98.0%	4.75	4.53
Music	SL	15	98.7%	5.27	4.75
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1255</b>	<b>99.2%</b>	<b>5.24</b>	<b>4.84</b>

\*started from 2013

## University Matriculation

Traditionally 100% of the Canadian Academy graduates continue their education. The following are the colleges and universities attended by graduates from the Classes of 2010 through 2014.

#### North America

Amherst College  
 University of Arizona  
 Babson College  
 Belmont University  
 Beloit College  
 Bentley University  
 Berklee College of Music (2)  
 Boston University (8)  
 Brandeis University  
 Brigham Young Univ.-Hawaii  
 U of British Columbia, Canada (12)  
 Brown University  
 Univ. of California-Berkeley (11)  
 Univ. of California-Irvine  
 Univ. of California-Los Angeles (3)  
 Univ. of California-Riverside (2)  
 Univ. of California-San Diego (4)  
 Univ. of California-Santa Barbara  
 California Baptist University  
 California State U.-Sacramento  
 Camosun College, Canada  
 Cape Fear Community College  
 Carleton College  
 Carleton University, Canada  
 Chapman University  
 University of Chicago (4)  
 Columbia College Chicago  
 Cornell University (2)  
 Dartmouth College  
 Emerson College (2)  
 Emory University  
 Fordham University  
 George Washington University  
 Georgia Institute of Technology  
 University of Hawaii-Manoa (3)

Hofstra University  
 Holy Names University  
 University of Kansas  
 University of Kentucky  
 Lewis & Clark College  
 Loyola University Chicago  
 Mannes College of Music  
 Univ. of Maryland-Baltimore County  
 University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
 McGill University, Canada (3)  
 University of Michigan (2)  
 University of Missouri-Columbia  
 New York University (8)  
 New York Institute of Technology  
 Univ. of North Carolina-Greensboro  
 Northeastern University (7)  
 University of Notre Dame  
 Oberlin College  
 Ohio State University  
 Oregon State University  
 Otis College of Art and Design  
 Parsons the New School of Design (4)  
 Pennsylvania State University (2)  
 Pratt Institute  
 Queen's University, Canada  
 Queens University of Charlotte  
 Rhode Island School of Design (6)  
 Richard Stockton College of NJ  
 Samford University  
 University of San Diego  
 University of San Francisco  
 School of Visual Arts  
 Smith College  
 State University of New York, Albany  
 University of South Carolina  
 University of Southern California (3)

Texas A & M University  
 Tidewater Community College  
 University of Toronto, Canada (6)  
 Tulane University  
 Vassar College  
 University of Virginia  
 Virginia Polytechnic Inst & State Uni.  
 University of Washington (2)  
 Wesleyan University  
 University of West Georgia  
 Yale University

#### Oceania

Australian Catholic University, Australia  
 Blue Mountains Hotel School, Australia  
 Int'l College of Management, Australia  
 University of Melbourne, Australia (3)  
 University of Queensland, Australia  
 University of Sydney, Australia  
 Univ of Western Australia, Australia

#### Europe

University of Bristol, UK  
 Buckinghamshire New University, UK  
 University of Cambridge, UK  
 Lycee Champollion, France  
 Copenhagen Business School, Denmark  
 Durham University, UK (2)  
 University of Edinburgh, UK  
 Universiteit Gent, Belgium  
 Ecole hôtelière de Lausanne, Switzerland  
 Imperial College London, UK  
 University of Kent, UK  
 University of Leeds, UK  
 Université Libre de Bruxelles, Belgium  
 Newcastle University, UK

University of Oxford, UK  
 Oxford Brookes University, UK  
 Queen Mary, Univ of London, UK  
 Les Roches Int'l School of Hotel Management, Switzerland  
 University of St Andrews, UK  
 University of Sheffield, UK  
 University of the Arts London, UK  
 University College London, UK (2)  
 University of Warwick, UK

#### Asia

Ateneo de Manila University, Philippines  
 Doshisha University, Japan (5)  
 University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong  
 International Christian University, Japan  
 Jichi Medical University, Japan  
 Kansai University, Japan  
 Korea Advanced Inst. of Sci & Tech, Korea  
 De La Salle University Manila, Philippines  
 LASALLE College of the Arts, Singapore (2)  
 Mahidol University Int'l College, Thailand  
 Nagoya University, Japan (4)  
 Osaka University, Japan (2)  
 Rakuno Gakuen University, Japan  
 University of Sacred Heart, Japan  
 University of Santo Tomas, Philippines  
 Sophia University, Japan (3)  
 Teikyo University, Japan  
 Temple University, Japan  
 University of Tokyo, Japan  
 Waseda University, Japan (14)  
 Yonsei University, Korea (2)

#### Middle East

American University of Beirut, Lebanon