



**BRITISH VIETNAMESE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL  
HANOI**

A NORD ANGLIA EDUCATION SCHOOL



# SENIOR SCHOOL PROFILE 2023 - 2024



## ABOUT BVIS HANOI

Established in 2013, British Vietnamese International School Hanoi (BVIS Hanoi) is a Nord Anglia Education school, part of a worldwide family of 85 international schools located in 33 countries. Together, we educate around 80,000 students. Such numbers give unparalleled access to educational opportunities with key institutions within the educational world. Currently, Nord Anglia Schools collaborate with Juilliard, MIT and UNICEF in ongoing partnerships, providing a unique learning experience for students.

BVIS Hanoi provides a world-class education within Vietnam, for students aged 2-18. At BVIS, students follow an internationally recognised British education adapted from the English National Curriculum to embrace Vietnamese culture.



In Primary, the English Early Years Foundation Stage and the English National Curriculum are combined with International Primary Curriculum (IPC) in our unique bilingual model.



During Key Stage 3 (Year 7 to 9), students continue to study a combination of subjects from the English National Curriculum, Vietnamese Humanities, Language and Literature and PSHE.



In Key Stage 4 (Year 10 to 11), students begin CAIE International General Certificate of Secondary Education (IGCSE).

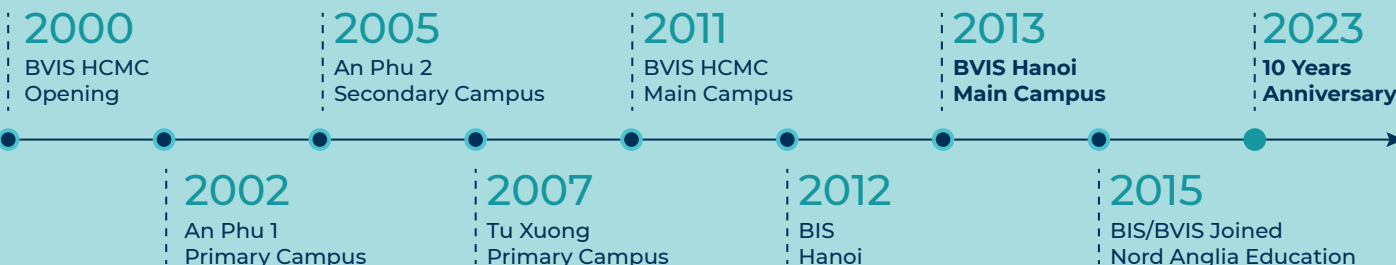


In Key Stage 5 (Year 12 to 13), students study for International A Levels leading to entry into the world's finest universities of their choice.

## MISSION AND VISION

BVIS Hanoi holds central our mission to be the premium international school in Hanoi that supports fully the language and cultural heritage of its mainly Vietnamese students to secure true bilingual proficiency upon graduating. The school's reputation is for academic rigour and innovation, internationalism, leadership and service, responsibility for self and others. The school places a strong emphasis on sports, performing and creative arts. A positive learning environment built on a strong pastoral system develops healthy relationships and promotes an atmosphere in which students are valued as individuals within a close school community.

## HISTORY OF BIS/BVIS GROUP OF SCHOOLS



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## BVIS HANOI IN NUMBERS

2023:	Students:
10 Years Anniversary	~1000
Teachers:	TAs:
93	33
Staffs:	Nationalities:
94	15
Class size:	ECAs:
20-25	>50
IGCSE class of 2023:	
~80	

## ACCREDITATION



CIS WE ARE AN ACCREDITED SCHOOL

Cambridge Assessment International Education

THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH'S INTERNATIONAL AWARD

FABISIA MEMBER SCHOOL

OWASC ACCREDITING COMMISSION FOR SCHOOLS

## GRADING SYSTEM

In Secondary, English is the language of instruction. The school's grading of student performance contains these components:

- **Target Attainment Grade**
- **Attitude to Learning Grade**

## SCHOOL YEAR

The academic year is divided into three terms typically beginning in the middle of August, January and April with a total of 180 days for students, 188 for teaching staff



## IGCSE YEAR 10 & 11 (GRADES 9 & 10 US/ VN)

Students in Year 10 and 11 follow internationally recognised CAIE IGCSE courses in a range of subjects, preparation for International A Levels in Year 12 and 13.

**IGCSE examination result (in bracket, number of student taking the subject)**

Subject	% of grades			% of students achieving A*-C		
	A* - A	B	C	2023 (113)	2022 (87)	2021 (87)
ADDITIONAL MATHEMATICS	54	56	0	100 (13)	100 (87)	100 (10)
ART AND DESIGN	6	25	56	87 (16)	77 (67)	86 (21)
BIOLOGY	-	-	-	-	-	100 (13)
BUSINESS STUDIES	37	20	22	79 (65)	74 (64)	80 (70)
CHEMISTRY	-	-	-	-	-	100 (13)
CO-ORD SCIENCES (DOUBLE AWARD)	40	20	19	79 (176)	77 (67)	77 (61)
COMBINED SCIENCE	43	5	33	81 (21)	60 (52)	100 (13)
COMPUTER SCIENCE	31	24	34	89 (29)	92 (73)	81 (27)
DRAMA	0	17	58	75 (12)	100 (87)	71 (7)
ECONOMICS	33	44	6	83 (18)	92 (80)	92 (73)
ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE	15	40	31	86 (7)	73 (64)	-
FIRST LANGUAGE ENGLISH	57	30	11	98 (37)	100 (87)	100 (14)
GEOGRAPHY	30	18	22	70 (49)	79 (68)	81 (36)
GLOBAL PERSPECTIVES	57	22	9	88 (23)	87 (75)	92 (13)
HISTORY	47	14	33	94 (36)	83 (73)	81 (16)
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH	58	26	12	96 (54)	94 (82)	100 (35)
MATHEMATICS (W/OUT COURSEWORK)	52	24	17	93 (110)	84 (73)	98 (86)
MUSIC	0	75	25	100 (4)	83 (73)	73 (11)
PHYSICAL EDUCATION	26	20	8	54 (15)	7 (6)	68 (19)
PHYSICS	-	-	-	-	-	100 (13)

## CO-CURRICULAR PROVISION

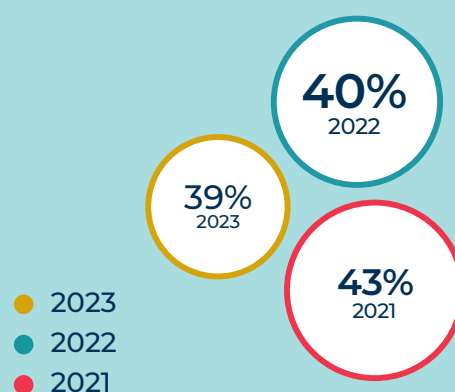
The BVIS approach to student development is to place as much focus on what happens outside of the classroom as within it.

The school has an extensive programme of co-curricular activities, offering ample opportunity for sport, service and leadership, cultural, artistic and performance activities that students find personally enriching.



**IGCSE results 2023**

**A\* - A GRADES**



**A\* - B GRADES**

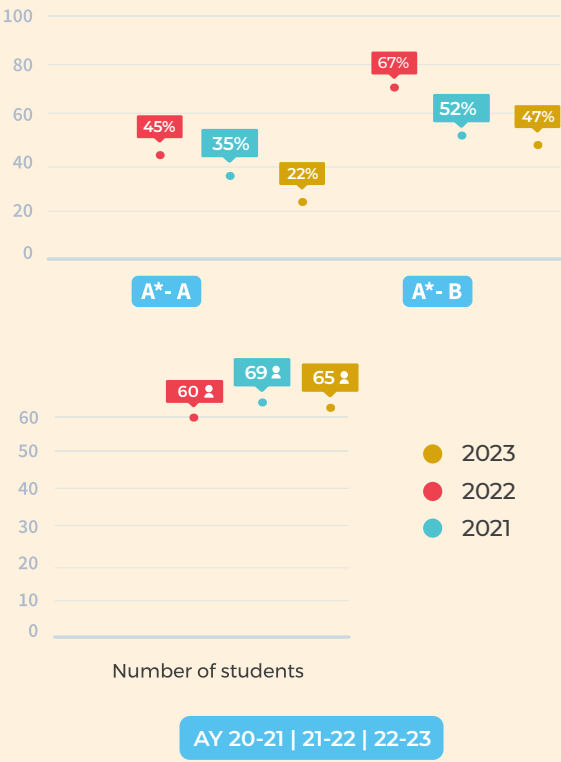


# INTERNATIONAL A LEVELS - YEAR 12 & 13 (GRADES 11 & 12 US/ VN)

Students in Year 12 and 13 follow the internationally recognised CAIE International A Level programme in three or four subjects

## A2 Examination Result (in bracket, number of student taking the subject)

Subject	% of grades			% of students achieving A*-C					
	A* - A	B	C	2023 (65)		2022 (69)		2021 (60)	
				BVIS	CAIE*	BVIS	CAIE*	BVIS	CAIE
ART AND DESIGN	0	0	0	0	50.9	91(63)	66.9	100(6)	64.9
BIOLOGY	0	33	33	67 (3)	68.7	25(17)	70.6	71(7)	81.8
BUSINESS STUDIES	24	24	38	86 (21)	52.5	65(45)	56.7	94(18)	60.1
CHEMISTRY	0	0	33	33 (3)	70.3	71(49)	72.7	75(4)	77.4
COMPUTER SCIENCE	0	8	42	50 (12)	58.3	54(37)	63.1	64(11)	69.8
ECONOMICS	9	36	27	73 (11)	66.2	75(52)	70.2	78(18)	74
GEOGRAPHY	0	33	33	67 (6)	76	88(60)	75.8	80(10)	84.3
HISTORY	0	25	50	75 (4)	49	83(58)	52.4	100(5)	56.7
LITERATURE IN ENGLISH	20	20	40	80 (5)	54.7	75(52)	54.2	100(4)	56
CHINESE	0	100	0	100 (1)	99.2	83(58)	75.4	78(41)	78.7
MATHEMATICS	43	29	19	90 (42)	73.7	67(46)	65.8	78(9)	72.2
MEDIA STUDIES	0	0	60	60 (5)	64.2	100(69)	82.5	- (1)	88.4
DRAMA	0	33	67	100 (3)	78.4	73(50)	71	71(7)	76.4
PHYSICS	31	31	13	75 (16)	70	79(54)	62.7	92(12)	72
PSYCHOLOGY	10	20	40	70 (10)	57				



## APPROACH TO UNIVERSITY GUIDANCE

The University Guidance Programme helps students on their journey in deciding which route to take and institutions to apply to. It gives students the chance to meet university representatives in person and makes links to world-class institutions. Our students are supported by the University Guidance Counsellor and knowledgeable staff throughout the application process. This allows students to apply and

gain entry to universities anywhere in the world, based on their personal preferences of location and course. The school uses the Cialfo software for university and career readiness. This software provides students with tools to plan for university by connecting their academic and personal achievements to their goals after leaving school.



# UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS 2018 - 2023

University Acceptance 2018 – 2023 (list of universities that made offers to accept our students to their schools)

## Australia

Swinburne University of Technology  
University of Wollongong  
University of Melbourne  
University of Queensland  
Monash University of New South Wales  
University of Adelaide  
Macquarie University  
University of Tasmania, Hobart  
Deakin University  
Royal Melbourne Institute of Technology  
University of Technology College, Sydney  
University of Sydney  
Australian National University  
Trinity College, Melbourne University  
RMIT University

La Trobe University  
Queensland University of Technology  
Griffith University

## Canada

Toronto Metropolitan University  
The University of British Columbia, Vancouver  
University of Alberta  
Queen's University  
University of Toronto  
York University  
University of Waterloo  
Simon Fraser University

## Hongkong

City University of Hong Kong  
The University of Hong Kong

## Japan

Waseda University  
Sophia University

## Netherlands

University of Amsterdam  
Eindhoven University of Technology  
Erasmus University Rotterdam  
Vrije Universiteit, Amsterdam

## South Korea

Korea University  
Yonsei University  
Sogang University  
Hanyang University  
Konkuk University  
Ewha Women's University  
Inha University  
Chonnam National University  
Gachon University  
Kyung Hee University  
Chung-ang University  
Sangmyung University

## Switzerland

Les Roches-Cruyère University of Applied Sciences  
Glon Institute of Higher Education

## United Kingdom

University of Southampton  
Cardiff University

Birbeck, University of London  
Manchester Metropolitan University  
Oxford Brookes University  
University of Greenwich  
Brunel University  
Kingston University  
Imperial College London  
University College London  
Met Film School (London)  
University of the Arts London  
University of Bath  
Durham University  
University of Exeter  
University of Bristol  
London South Bank University  
St Mary's University, Twickenham  
Middlesex University  
City University of London  
Queen Mary University of London  
University of Warwick  
University of Leeds  
London School of Economics & Political Science  
King's College London  
University of Reading  
Goldsmiths, University of London  
University of Westminster  
Royal Holloway, University of London  
Lancaster University

University of Kent, Canterbury  
University of Sussex  
Aston University  
University of Portsmouth  
University of Manchester  
Loughborough University  
University of Leicester  
University of Liverpool  
University of Aberdeen  
University of Sheffield  
University for the Creative Arts  
University of Nottingham  
University of Worcester  
University of Birmingham  
University of East London  
Nottingham Trent University  
University of Gloucestershire  
Falmouth University  
Cambridge School of Visual & Performing Arts  
Glyndwr University  
University of Oxford  
London Metropolitan University  
University of York  
University of Edinburgh

## United States

Cornell University  
Curtin University  
University of Florida  
Carnegie Mellon University  
Georgia Institute of Technology  
University of California-Berkeley

Arizona State University  
Ohio State University  
Indiana University-Bloomington  
Augustana College (Illinois)  
Ohio University  
University of Houston  
Elmhurst University  
University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
Northeastern University  
Drexel University  
Pennsylvania State University - University Park  
Villanova University  
Fordham University  
The New School  
School of Visual Arts  
Otis College of Art and Design  
School of the Art Institute of Chicago  
Michigan State University  
Temple University  
Bucknell University  
Savannah College of Art and Design  
DePauw University  
Kenyon College  
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities  
Loyola University Chicago  
Miami University  
University of Rochester  
Pratt Institute  
University of Wisconsin, Madison  
Florida State University  
University of California-Los Angeles  
Curry College  
Fairfield University  
University of California-Santa Barbara  
Case Western Reserve University  
Syracuse University  
New York University  
University of San Francisco  
Chapman University  
Santa Clara University  
Purdue University  
Wentworth Institute of Technology  
Hofstra University  
University of Massachusetts, Boston  
Suffolk University  
Adelphi University  
Longy School of Music of Bard College  
Manhattan School of Music  
Iowa State University  
Northern Virginia Community College

## France

ESCP Business School, Paris  
ESSEC Business School - (Cergy-Pontoise)

## Vietnam







RMIT South Saigon | RMIT University Hanoi  
Vin University Hanoi  
Fulbright University  
British University Vietnam  
London College for Design & Fashion Hanoi

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