



GRACE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

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## School Profile 2020-2021

### Mission

Mission inspired.  
Called staff.  
Equipping students to  
influence the world for Christ.

### Vision

A vibrant workplace for staff.  
An inspiring learning  
environment for students.

### Global Objectives for All Learners

*Passionate Learners who . . .*

- Take responsibility for life-long growth in knowledge and skills
- Display teachable attitudes

*Critical Thinkers who . . .*

- Apply diverse problem solving processes to real-life situations
- Evaluate issues and worldviews in terms of biblical truths
- Communicate effectively and wisely through a variety of forms

*Global Citizens who . . .*

- Serve others compassionately and advocate for the oppressed
- Exhibit genuine respect and cultural sensitivity
- Exercise stewardship of personal and global resources
- Work as team members, whether as leaders or followers
- Impact their world by applying biblical truth

### Community

Grace International School, established in 1999 in northern Thailand, provides an English curriculum to a 552-pupil K-12 student body of which 90 percent of the parents are support-raised humanitarians and missionaries serving throughout Southeast Asia, China, India, and Africa. Grace enables these international workers to remain in the field by meeting the educational needs of their children, preparing them for the highest levels of post-secondary education upon returning to their passport countries or studying internationally.

### School

#### **Rigorous academics:**

1:1 Chromebooks; World languages and culture (Thai, Mandarin, Spanish); 16 Advanced Placement classes

#### **Leadership and character development:**

unique Sports Leadership program (teach sports to Grace and Thai elementary students with weekend outreach service trips); Advisory Groups

**Competitive sports:** mens and womens varsity and junior varsity soccer, basketball, and volleyball

**Clubs:** Speech and Debate Society, Art, TBD-service club, Model United Nations

### Accreditations



**Western Association of Schools and Colleges**

Member since 2005



**Association of Christian Schools International**

Member since 2005

Accreditation #20935

### COVID Statement

#### **March-May 2019-2020**

Implemented online continuous learning with live teaching and uninterrupted completion of coursework; maintained A-F grading. All students had school-issued Chromebooks, access to WiFi, and Google Classroom. SAT/ACT testing and sports competitions were suspended in Thailand.

#### **August-present 2020-2021**

85% of students in class on campus; 15% out of country due to travel restrictions (all present by 2nd semester), coursework maintained via self-study with teacher syllabi, NorthStar Academy, or alternate study options. SAT testing has resumed; sports competitions have not.

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## Student Demographics School-wide

K-12 student total: **552**

Elementary: 240

Secondary: **312**

- American 48%
- Korean 16%
- Thai 10%
- Australian 3%
- Chinese 3%
- Thai/American 3%
- New Zealander 2%
- Canadian 2%
- Dual/Other 13%

**10:1** Student/Teacher Ratio

## Graduation Requirements

4 years: **English**

3 years: **Social Studies**  
+ US Government for US Citizens

2 years: **Mathematics**

2 years: **Science**

1 year: **World Language**

1 year: **Visual/Performing Art**

1/.5 years: **PE/Health**

1 semester/year: **Religious Studies**

3.5-4 years: **Electives**

## Standardized Test Results

### SAT 2020

Cohort: 54 out of 60 Class of 2020 students

### Mean scores:

Reading/Writing (ERW): **609**

Math: **604**

**Total ERW+M: 1213**

### Interquartile Ranges:

Percentile	Total	ERW	Math
75th	1310	660	680
50th	1200	610	580
25th	1080	560	520

## Class of 2021

### 65 students

- GPA 4.3-4.0: 36%
- GPA 3.9-3.5: 43%
- GPA 3.4-3.0: 12%
- GPA 2.9-2.5: 9%

### 60 students enrolled in 139 AP classes

#### Demographics:

- 46% US
- 31% Korean
- 23% Dual/Other

## Class of 2020

### 60 students

- GPA 4.3-4.0: 28%
- GPA 3.9-3.5: 44%
- GPA 3.4-3.0: 23%
- GPA 2.9-2.5: 5%

91% undertaking post-high school education

7% GAP year before college

2% employment or military

## Grading Criteria

*Grade points:* computed by multiplying the numerical grade quality points times the credit

*Grade Point average (GPA):* represents the total grade points divided by the total GPA credits

*AP courses:* weighted by multiplying quality points by 1.25

*Honors courses:* weighted by multiplying quality points by 1.2.

GPA is based on all courses

**GPA is based on a 4.0 scale**

**GIS school policy does not rank students**

GIS does not report disciplinary infractions to colleges or universities

## Advanced Placement Results 2020

**115 students** sat one exam or more...**238 AP exams** taken...  
**89%** of students earned **3 or higher** on at least one exam

Exam:	#of Exams:	Mean score:
AP Biology	33	3.3
AP Calculus AB	13	4.1
AP Calculus BC	5	5.0
AP English Lit	23	3.7
AP Chemistry	7	3.4
AP Statistics	13	3.2
AP Studio Art	3	4.3
AP US History	13	3.5
AP World: Mod.	20	3.8
AP European	10	3.1
AP Physics 1	16	2.7
AP Physics 2	7	3.7
AP Psychology	46	4.2
AP Chinese	6	4.2
AP Seminar	17	3.9
AP Research in 2021		
AP Computer Sci. Prin. in 2021		

## GIS graduates are currently attending these international universities:

The Chinese Univ. of Hong Kong  
Trinity Western Univ., Canada  
Univ. of British Columbia, Canada  
Univ. of Canterbury, New Zealand  
Univ. of Queensland, Australia  
University of Nottingham, UK

## Grading Criteria continued

A+ 99-100	C+ 78-79
A 92-98	C 72-77
A- 90-91	C- 70-71
B+ 88-89	D+ 68-69
B 82-87	D 62-67
B- 80-81	D- 60-61



## GIS graduates are currently attending (or held for after gap year) these competitive universities:

### USA:

NYU, Abu Dhabi

Johns Hopkins

Univ. of SoCalifornia

Georgetown

### Emory

U of Rochester (REMS)

Rice

CalPoly SLO

Ohio State

### Univ. of Virginia

Univ. of North

Carolina

Univ. of CA, Irvine

Tufts

### Korea:

Seoul National

YONSEI

KAIST

KOREA University

### Thailand:

Chulalongkorn Univ.

King Monkut's Univ.

of Technology

Chiang Mai Univ.