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SCIS PUDONG

SCHOOL COMMUNITY

Almost 150 students from over 40 nations are enrolled in grades 9 through 12. All of our students pursue IB Diploma Program coursework in a rigorous but supportive academic environment. All SCIS Pudong students participate in multiple extra-curricular activities including a lively fine arts program and a competitive inter-scholastic athletics program. Our teams have impressive championship records in many of the international school sports leagues and travel throughout Shanghai, China and internationally to compete. Other popular activities include Model United Nations, music, drama, language clubs, and a large variety of other activities. Many of the clubs and activities are student initiated and student led.

ACCREDITATION

The Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and the National Council of Curriculum and Textbooks (NCCT) accredit our school. SCIS is an IB World School.

THE SCIS COMMUNITY

Founded in 1996, SCIS offers a rigorous international program to more than 2300 expatriate students whose families are resident in Shanghai. SCIS is licensed in China as a not-for-profit school governed by a self-perpetuating board of directors. The school is part of a group of schools overseen by the International School Foundation.

Three of these are in China, one on each side of the Huangpu River in Shanghai and one in Hangzhou. Approximately 1,600 families are a part of the SCIS community. The SCIS mission is to provide all of our students with opportunities to pursue academic and personal excellence in nurturing, international community environments. With students from over fifty nations, speaking 45 languages, SCIS is a diverse international community.

TEACHERS

Our high school has over 20 faculty members, 60% of which hold post-graduate degrees. SCIS faculty diversity mirrors that of our international student body. The large majority are foreign nationals who hail from many different countries: Australia, Canada, China, France, Ireland, Korea, Serbia, Spain, United Kingdom and United States.

GRADING

Achievement is measured against performance expectations and leads to a numeric value based on a 0-100 scale. Grades at SCIS are not weighted.

Achievement 100-point scale system

Score Range	Descriptor	Demonstrated performance
90-100	Exemplary	consistently demonstrated thorough knowledge and understanding of course content presented to date with outstanding sophistication and or quality
80-89	Good	consistently demonstrated broad knowledge and understanding of course content presented to date as per all course expectations
70-79	Mediocre	demonstrated sufficient knowledge and understanding of course content presented to date as per most course expectations
60-69	Poor	demonstrated limited knowledge and understanding of course content presented to date
Below 60	Failing	demonstrated lack of minimal knowledge and understanding of course content presented to date

CLASS RANK

SCIS does not rank students.





ALL SCIS STUDENTS PURSUE AN IB DIPLOMA BEYOND THEIR REGULAR HIGH SCHOOL PROGRAM

CEEB code: 694244
IB School Code 006037

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

SCIS requires students to complete 25 credits for graduation:

Language Arts 4 credits	Mathematics 3 credits
Social Studies 3 credits	Lab Sciences 3 credits
Foreign Language 3 credits	Fine Arts 2 credits
Physical Education 2 credits	Electives 5 credits

Successful completion of Extended Essay, Theory of Knowledge and Creativity, Action, Service (CAS) programs

All students are required to take the IB Diploma Program curriculum.

STUDENT TO TEACHER RATIO

10:1

CALENDAR

The 180 school-day year begins in mid-August and ends in mid-June. The academic calendar is broken into quarters and semesters. IB retreats and service related trips are part of the school year.

IB RESULTS – 2013, 2014 & 2015

	2013	2014	2015
Average Point Total	31.0	31.4	32
Highest Point Total	40	37	40
Average IB Grade	4.87	5.06	4.96

AVERAGE SAT SCORES 2012, 2013, 2014 & 2015

	Critical Reading	Writing	Math
SCIS	549	537	604.4
World	497	487	513

INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

Group 1: Language A

English A Literature (HL/SL)
Mandarin A Literature (HL/SL)
Korean A Literature (HL/SL)
School-Supported Self-Taught (SL)

Group 2: Language Acquisition

English B (HL/SL)
Mandarin B (HL/SL)
French B (HL/SL)
Spanish B (HL/SL)
Language Ab Initio: Mandarin; Spanish; French

Group 3: Individuals and Societies

Psychology (HL/SL)
Economics (HL/SL)
History (HL/SL)

Group 4: Experimental Sciences

Biology (HL/SL)
Chemistry (HL/SL)
Physics (HL/SL)
Sports Exercise and Health Science (SL)

Group 5: Mathematics and Computer Science

Mathematics (HL)
Mathematics (SL)
Mathematical Studies (SL)

Group 6: Fine Arts

Film (HS/SL)
Visual Arts (HL/SL)
Music (HL/SL)

THE AMERICAS

Academy of Art University
 Acorn University
 American Flyers Flight School
 American University
 Allegheny College
 Arizona State University
 Auburn Business School
 Biola University
 Bishop's University (Canada)
 Boston College
 Boston University
 Brandeis University
 Bryant University
 California College of the Arts
 California Institute of the Arts
 California State University – Fullerton
 California State University – Los Angeles
 California University of Pennsylvania
 Campbell University
 Carleton University (Canada)
 Carnegie Mellon University
 Case Western Reserve
 Central Michigan University
 Chamainade University of Honolulu
 City University of New York
 College of Holy Cross
 Colorado College
 Concordia University (Canada)
 Dalhousie University (Canada)
 DigiPen Institute of Technology
 Drexel University
 Eastern Kentucky University
 Edgewood College
 Emerson College
 Emily Carr University of Art and Design (Canada)
 Emory University
 Emory Oxford University
 Fitchburg State College
 Florida Institute of Technology
 Florida State University
 Fordham University
 Franklin and Marshall College
 Fundacao Armando Alvares Penteado (Brazil)
 Furman University

George Washington University
 Georgetown University
 Georgia Institute of Technology
 Gettysburg College
 Goucher College
 Grand Valley State University
 Hendrix College
 High Point University
 Hofstra
 Hope College
 Indiana University-Purdue University Indianapolis
 James Madison University
 Kent State University
 Lawrence University
 Lewis & Clark College
 Louisiana State University
 Loyola University Chicago
 Miami University
 Manhattan College
 Marlboro College
 Maryland Institute College of Art
 Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
 McGill University (Canada)
 McMaster University (Canada)
 Michigan State University
 Montana State University
 Motion Picture Institute Michigan
 New York University
 Niagara College in Ontario (Canada)
 Northeastern University
 North Carolina State University
 Oakland University
 OCAD University (Canada)
 Ohio State University
 Oregon State University
 Pace University
 Parsons The New School for Design
 Pennsylvania State University
 Pepperdine University
 Pitzer College
 Pomona College
 Purdue University
 Queen's University (Canada)
 Reed College

Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
 Rhodes College
 Rice University
 Rochester Institute of Technology
 Roger Williams University
 Rutgers University
 Saint Mary's University
 San Diego State University
 Savannah College of Art and Design (SCAD)
 School of the Art Institute of Chicago
 School of Visual Arts, New York
 Seattle University
 Simon Fraser University (Canada)
 Smith College
 St. John's University
 St. Mary's University (Canada)
 St. Michael's University
 Stetson University
 Stonehill College
 SUNY Buffalo
 SUNY – Stony Brook
 Texas A & M University
 Trinity University
 Tulane University
 University of Alberta (Canada)
 University of Arkansas
 University of British Columbia (Canada)
 University of Colorado, Boulder
 University of California, Berkeley
 University of California, Davis
 University of California, Irvine
 University of California, Los Angeles
 University of California, San Diego
 University of California, Santa Barbara
 University of California, Santa Cruz
 University of Colorado
 University of Connecticut
 University of Florida
 University of Georgia
 University of Hawaii
 University of Illinois
 University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
 University of Kansas
 University of Kentucky
 University of Maine
 University of Massachusetts, Amherst

University of Massachusetts – Boston
 University of Michigan
 University of Miami
 University of Minnesota
 University of Montana
 University of Nebraska
 University of New Hampshire
 University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill
 University of North Carolina, Wilmington
 University of Notre Dame
 University of Oregon
 University of Ottawa (Canada)
 University of Portland
 University of Puget Sound
 University of Rochester
 University of Seattle
 University of South Dakota
 University of Southern California
 University of St. Thomas, St. Paul
 University of Tampa
 University of Tennessee
 University of Texas -Dallas
 University of the Arts
 University of Toledo
 University of Toronto (Canada)
 University of Vermont
 University of Victoria (Canada)
 University of Waterloo (Canada)
 University of Washington
 University of Western Ontario (Canada)
 University of Windsor (Canada)
 University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
 University of Wisconsin-Madison
 University of Wyoming
 Vancouver Film School (Canada)
 Vancouver University (Canada)
 Vanderbilt University
 Washington State University
 Western Kentucky University
 Whittier College
 Wilfrid Laurier University (Canada)
 Winona State University
 Wittenberg University in Ohio
 York University (Canada)

EUROPE

Aarhus University (Denmark)
 Aberystwyth University (UK)
 American College of Norway
 American University of Paris
 Bournemouth University (UK)
 Bocconi University (Italy)
 Bristol University (UK)
 Cardiff University (UK)
 City University of London (UK)
 Copenhagen Business School (Denmark)
 Delft University of Technology (Netherlands)
 Design Academy Eindhoven (Netherlands)
 Durham University (UK)
 Ecole Hoteliere de Lausanne
 Ecole Supérieure d'Arts Graphiques Penninghen (France)
 Euro Akademie – Dortmund (German)
 European Business School London (UK)
 Hult International School of Business (UK)

Imperial College London (UK)
 Instituto Marangoni (UK)
 John Cabot University (Italy)
 King's College London (UK)
 Kingston University (UK)
 Lancaster University (UK)
 Leiden University (Netherlands)
 Liverpool John Moores University (UK)
 London Metropolitan University (UK)
 Manchester Metropolitan University (UK)
 Martin Luther University of Halle-Wittenberg (Germany)
 Middlesex University (UK)
 Newcastle University (UK)
 Nottingham Trent University (UK)
 Polytechnic University of Milan (Italy)
 Roskilde Universitet (Denmark)
 Southampton Solent University (UK)
 SRH Hochschule Berlin (Germany)

Stenden University (Netherlands)
 Technische Universitat Braunschweig (Germany)
 The Holt: Loughborough University (UK)
 The School of Oriental and African Studies (UK)
 University College Falmouth (UK)
 University College London (UK)
 University of Bath (UK)
 University of Birmingham (UK)
 University of Bristol (UK)
 University of Durham (UK)
 University of East London (UK)
 University of Edinburgh (UK)
 University of Exeter (UK)
 University of Gothenburg (Sweden)
 University of Kent (UK)
 University of Kiel (Germany)
 University of Leeds (UK)

University of London,
 Goldsmith's College (UK)
 University of London, Royal Holloway (UK)
 University of Manchester (UK)
 University of Northampton (UK)
 University of Nottingham (UK)
 University of Osnabrück (Germany)
 University of Oxford (UK)
 University of Portsmouth (UK)
 University of Sheffield
 University of Southampton (UK)
 University of St. Andrew's (UK)
 University of Surrey (UK)
 University of the Arts, London (UK)
 University of Tübingen (Germany)
 University of Warwick (UK)
 Webster University (Switzerland)

ASIA

Ateneo de Manila University (Philippines)
 Chulalongkorn University (Thailand)
 City University of Hong Kong
 Curtin University (Singapore)
 Enderun Colleges (Philippines)
 Hankuk University of Foreign Studies (South Korea)
 Hong Kong Polytechnic University
 Hong Kong University
 Hong Kong University of Science and Technology

International Christian University (Japan)
 KAIST (South Korea)
 Keio University (Japan)
 Korea University (South Korea)
 Liverpool University in Suzhou (China)
 Nottingham Ningbo (China)
 Seoul National University (South Korea)
 Shanghai Jiaotong University
 Sino-British College (China)
 Soochow University, Taiwan
 Sophia University (Japan)

Southeast University Nanjing (China)
 Sungkyunkwan University (South Korea)
 Temple University, Japan Campus
 The Chinese University of Hong Kong
 Tsukuba University (Japan)
 University of Hong Kong
 University of Manipal (India)
 Waseda University (Japan)
 Yonsei University (Korea)
 Zhejiang University (China)

AUSTRALIA

Curtin University
 Monash University
 University of Southern Australia
 University of Sydney

AFRICA

Stellenbosch University (South Africa)

MIDDLE EAST

Emirates Academy of Hospitality Management

