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Okinawa Christian School International

Equipping Students to Walk with God and Impact the World for Him



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ACCREDITATION

Western Association of
Schools and Colleges
Since 1981

Association of Christian
Schools International
Since 1991

GOVERNMENT STATUS

Gakkou Houjin (School)

ENROLLMENT

Kindergarten (K3-K5)	53
Elementary (1-5)	164
Middle School (6-8)	71
High School (9-12)	112
Total	400

CITIZENSHIP

Japan	49%
USA	42%
Korea	2.75%
Philippines	1%
China	.75%
Sri Lanka	.75%
India	1%
Others	3%

34% of students have dual citizenship

School Profile

General Overview

Founded in 1957, Okinawa Christian School International provides comprehensive educational support base for the international community living in Okinawa, Japan. The school operates from its campus in the village of Yomitan overlooking the East China Sea. Situated in a suburban setting, the school is about fourteen miles (23 kilometers) north of Naha, Okinawa's capital city.

Educational Overview

OCSI is committed to excellence in providing an educational program firmly established in Biblical truth. The school uses an American-based, Biblically-integrated curriculum. In addition to classes in English, mathematics, social studies, and science, we also offer courses in art, computer, music, Japanese, and physical education.

There are three divisions: elementary school (Pre K - grade 5), middle school (grades 6-8), and high school (grades 9-12). OCSI admits students from all backgrounds and languages, however; second language students must meet basic English proficiency levels for admission.

The curriculum prepares students for post-secondary education or for employment, while reflecting an international perspective. The teaching style, curriculum, and school calendar are compatible with the American educational system. Instruction in a cross-cultural environment encourages bilingualism; and English is the language of instruction.

Personnel

The OCSI staff consists of 45 faculty, 25 staff, 4 administrators, and 1 college and career counselor.

School Facility

The physical plant includes 37 classrooms, two libraries, three computer labs, three science labs, wood shop, and gymnasium.

Mean ACT 2015-2016		Mean SAT	Class of 2016	Class of 2015
English	19.8	Reading	460	460
Math	22.7	Math	510	520
Reading	20.8	Writing	480	490
Science	21.5	Total (R + M)	970	980
Writing	21			
Composite (Not including writing)	21.2			

* The data above includes the scores of all students who chose to take the test, including students which English is the students 2nd language.

Curriculum and Grading

OCSI's curriculum is primarily College Preparatory and all classes are taught in English. The school year is based on the American system. The foreign language course offered at OCSI is Japanese.

Recommended Graduation Requirements For a College Prep Diploma	
Subject	Credits
English	4
Math Must include: Algebra 1 and Geometry	3
History Must include: US History, Government, and Economics	3
Science Must include: 1 Lab Science	3
Physical Education/Health	1
Foreign Language Must be of the same language	2
Fine Arts	1
Electives	3.5
Students must also complete 1 credit of Bible for each year attending OCSI.	

Numeric Average	Letter Grade	College Prep	Honors	AP/Dual Credit
		GPA	GPA	GPA
95-100	A+	4.0	4.5	5.0
93-94	A	4.0	4.5	5.0
90-92	A-	3.7	4.2	4.7
86-89	B+	3.3	3.8	4.3
83-85	B	3.0	3.5	4.0
80-82	B-	2.7	3.2	3.7
76-79	C+	2.3	2.8	3.3
73-75	C	2.0	2.5	3.0
70-72	C-	1.7	2.2	2.7
66-69	D+	1.3	1.8	2.3
63-65	D	1.0	1.5	2.0
60-62	D-	0.7	1.2	1.7
0-59	F	0	0	0

Honors/Advanced Placement Courses (beginning 2014-2015 school year)

AP English Language and Composition (beginning 2015-2016)
 AP Statistics
 AP Computer Science

Honors English 10
 Honors Geometry
 Honors Algebra II

Students also have the option to enroll in online AP or dual credit courses through a pre-approved accredited organization.

OCSI provides class rankings at the end of the semester and at the end of the school year.

College Acceptances

Universities in the United States

Abilene Christian University	Lakeland College	Southeastern University
Arizona State University	LeTourneau University	State University of NY at Stony Brook
Azusa Pacific University	Liberty University	Temple University
Baylor University	Lipscomb University	Texas Christian University
Belmont University	Mills University	Union College
Berklee School of Music	Multnomah Bible College	University of Arkansas
Bethel University	Northeastern University	University of California, Davis
Bellevue College	Oklahoma Christian University	University of California, Irvine
Biola University	Old Dominion University	University of Central Arkansas
Boston University	Paul Smith College	University of Guam
Brigham Young University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Hawaii
Calvin College	Point Loma Nazarene University	University of Maryland University College
Central Texas University	Portland State University	University of Massachusetts Amherst
Corban University	Pratt College of Art and Design	University of North Carolina
Eastern Washington University	San Diego City College	University of Notre Dame
Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University	San Francisco State University	University of Oregon
Evergreen State College	San Jose' State University	University of Pittsburgh
Excelsior College	Santa Monica College	University of South Florida
Grossmont College	Savannah College of Art & Design	University of Washington
Huntington University	Seattle University	Virginia Tech
Indiana University	Seattle Pacific University	Westmont College
Kansas State University	Simpson University	York College of Pennsylvania

Universities in Japan

Akita International University	Okinawa Christian Jr. College
Asian Pacific University	Ryukyu University
International Christian University	Sophia University
Naha Nursing School	Waseda University

Other Universities

Aleneo de Davao University (Philippines)	Fudan University (China)
Auckland University of Technology (New Zealand)	Middlesex University (United Arab Emirates)
Bremen University (Germany)	Monash University (Australia)
Design and Arts College of New Zealand	New Era University (Philippines)
Dubai University (United Arab Emirates)	University of Victoria (Canada)
	Yonsei University (Korea)