## OKINAWA CHRISTIAN SCHOOL INTERNATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL PROFILE 2023-2024

## 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 48 faculty, 23 staff, 6 administrators, and 2 college and career counselors.

## SCHOOL FACILITY

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

| MEAN SAT SCORES |  |  |  | \% AP Score |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Year | ERW | MATH | COMBINED |  |
| Class of 2023 | 592 | 584 | 1176 | $79 \%$ |
| Class of 2022 | 630 | 645 | 1275 | $95 \%$ |
| Class of 2021 | 559 | 618 | 1177 | $67 \%$ |

## ACCREDITATION

Wes Western Association of Schools and Colleges

Since 1981

## ACCREDITED


Since 1991

## GOVERNMENT STATUS

Gakkou Houjin (School)

## ADMINISTRATION

Head of School:
Mrs. Megan Roe
Secondary Principal:
Mr Daniel Pallmann
Elementary Principal:
Ms. Sarah Turner

College Counselors: Mrs. Jessica Sartore guidance@ocsi.org

Mr. Daniel Claxton (Japanese Universities) danielclaxtoneocsi.org

## ENROLLMENT

Kindergarten (K3-K5) 50
Elementary (1-5) 220
Middle School (6-8) 144
High School (9-12) $\quad 163$
Total 577

## CITIZENSHIP

Japan 45\%
USA 40\%
Other Countries 15\%
Dual Citizenship 24\%

## 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.

Graduation Requirements:

## English: 4

## Math: 4

(Must include: Algebra 1, Geometry, and Algebra 2)

## Social Studies: 3

(Must include: US History, Government, and Economics)

Science: 3
(Must include: 1 Lab Science)
Physical Education/Health: 1
Foreign Language: 2
(Must be of the same language)

## Fine Arts: 1

Electives: 2
Students must also complete 1 credit of Bible each year in attendance at OCSI.

| Numeric <br> Average | Letter <br> Grade | College Prep <br> GPA | Honors <br> GPA | AP <br> 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 |


| AP Course Offerings |  | English Literature |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Art History | Comparative <br> Government | Japanese Language <br> and Culture |
| Biology | Computer Science <br> Principles | Statistics |
| Calculus | English Language | US History |

USA
Arizona State University Barnard College
Baylor University
Broward College
Boise State University
Brown University
California Baptist U.
Calvary Chapel Bible College
Colorado College
Colorado State University
Dartmouth College
Denison University
East Carolina University
Elmhurst University
Florida Institute of Technology Florida International U. Florida Southern College
Florida State University

## In Japan

Doshisha University
International Christian U.
Keio University
Kyushu University
Nagoya University
Ritsumeikan University

## College Acceptances (21-23)

Fordham University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Gettysburg College
Gonzaga University
Hardin Simmons University
Haverford University Howard University Inspiration Academy James Madison University Kapiolani Community College Liberty University
Loyola Marymount U.
Ohio State U.
Palm Beach Atlantic U.
Penn State
Pensacola Christian College
Pepperdine University

Sophia University Temple University The University of Tokyo Tokyo International U. University of Tsukuba
Waseda University Yamanashi Gakuin U. (iCLA)

Radford University Rhodes College
Seton Hall University
SUNY Binghamton SUNY Stony Brook
Swarthmore College
Texas A \& M University
Texas Tech University
University of Alaska
University of Arizona
UC Berkeley
UC Davis
UC Irvine
UC Riverside
UC San Diego
UC Santa Cruz
University of Central Florida

## Other Countries

China Medical University (TW) King's College London (UK) National University at Kaohsiung (KOR)
University of Calgary (CAN) University College London (UK) University of Edinburgh (UK) University of Glasgow (UK)

University of Delaware University of Hawaii University of Illinois University of Maryland University of Mobile University of Oklahoma University of San Francisco University of South Florida University of So. Mississippi University of Tampa University of Tennessee University of Washington Virginia Commonwealth U. Washington State U. Welch College Wesleyan University Western Washington U. Whitman University

University of Manchester (UK) University of Northern BC (CAN)
University of Oxford (UK) University of St Andrews (UK) University of Stirling (UK) University of Toronto (CAN) University of Westminster (UK) University of York (UK) Yonsei University (KOR)

