

# Taipei First Girls High School School Profile



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#### **Head of School**

Mr. Chih-Yuan Chen

## Enrollment (2021-2022)

Grade 10: 798 Grade 11: 826 Grade 12: 797

## Graduation Requirements

150 credits of required courses and elective courses

#### **School Overview**

Founded in 1904, Taipei First Girls High School (TFG) has a history of more than a hundred years. TFG, with its superb tradition, has long stood as one of the most prestigious senior high schools in Taiwan (R.O.C.). Aiming at holistic education, the school puts emphasis on the balanced development of students' intellectual abilities. Currently, there are 69 classes, including 6 scientifically gifted classes, 3 gifted classes for humanities program, 3 classes of science and 1 resource class. The school has a large number of extracurricular activities and holds a great variety of interclass competitions for each grade. Most of these competitions require every student's participation, which encourages students to develop leadership, build commitment, explore interests, and strengthen comradeship within classes. The student body is full of talented individuals and characterized by a proud record of success. Till now there are about sixty thousand graduates. TFG is proud to have distinguished alumni all over the world. In all professions and fields, they have been playing essential roles and making remarkable contribution.

#### Student body

With a large student body of 69 classes and 2,421 students in total, admission to the school is still highly competitive. In the past, the lowest admission score for regular students in the junior high school leaving exams (The Comprehensive Assessment Program for Junior High School Students) was in the 98th percentile nationally.

#### Curriculum

The mandatory courses are respectively Chinese, English, Civics, History, Geography, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Earth Science, Music, Art and Life, Design and Technology, Physical Education, Introduction to Information Technology, All-out Defense Education, Nursing and Home Care, Life Education, and Career and Life Planning. At the end of grade 10, students select one out of four groups to study in the next two years; **Group I** places a heavy emphasis on literature and social studies, while the science curriculum of **Group II**, **Group III**, and **Group IV** consists of more rigorous science and biology courses.

#### The Transcript

#### **RANKING**

According to the policy of the Department of Education, Taipei City Government, the class ranking has been eliminated from student transcripts since 2005.

#### **GRADING**

Α	80-100	4.0
В	70-79	3.0
С	60-69	2.0
D	50-59	1.0
F	Less than 50	0.0

GPA is computed corresponding to the chart above, and all subjects are included in the computation. The minimum passing score is C, and all grades are weighted corresponding to the number of credits for each subject.

#### **STATISTICS**

Score	Accumulative Percentile
Above 95	0.1%
Above 90	5.7%
Above 85	39.4%
Above 80	73.2%
Above 75	90.2%
Above 70	96.5%
Above 65	98.6%
Above 60	99.6%
0-60	100%

The school does not curve its grades; thus the percentile varies every semester. This is only based on partial data and should only be used as a reference in reading the transcript.

#### **Standardized Test Results**

In the National Academic Examinations of 2021, organized by the College Entrance Examinations Center (CEEC), 7% of the graduating Class scored in the top 1% and 64% scored in the top 10% nationally.

### Post High School Placement

100% of the 2021 class went on to higher education.

2.3% went on to universities overseas.