



School Profile 2021-2022

Head of School

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Hegezhuang Campus

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School and Community

Harrow Beijing is a vibrant community affiliated with the renowned Harrow School in London and Harrow International Schools in Bangkok, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Haikou and Shenzhen. It offers a British-based international education to students aged from 2 to 18.

The school is known for its commitment to academic excellence and for the way each student is supported through personal tutoring. Our mission statement of 'Educational excellence for life and leadership' is implemented through the skills students develop by studying our wide and varied I/GCSE A-level curriculum and further evidenced through our co-curricular enrichment programmes.

The school focuses on developing students with the necessary skills and attributes to allow them to be life-long learners and to take ownership of their progress from the Lower School through to the Upper School. The transition between the phases is supported by our strong pastoral and academic guidance. Students in the Upper School belong to one of six houses. Churchill, Currie, John Lyon, Ju Ching Chu, Kong Zi, Song Qing Ling. English language support services are available for students who are working in English as an Additional Language.

Currently, there are over 1,500 students from 24 different countries with students mainly coming from China, United Kingdom, United States, Canada and Australia. There are 84 students in Sixth Form with 33 students in Year 13 this academic year. The school has two campuses, the main school in Hegezhuang and our City Campus serving the needs of younger learners. Students from Harrow Beijing command places in the world's top universities, specifically in the United Kingdom and North America.

The Main Campus

The school has two purpose-built state-of-the-art campuses. The Main Campus is located in Hegezhuang Village, where in addition to the usual classroom facilities, there is a 2,000-sqm library, a large multi-purpose theatre, two 'black box' drama areas and a music centre with a recording studio. The sports facilities include a 25-m swimming pool, a 2,220-sqm gymnasium for sports such as badminton, volleyball and basketball as well as a top-rope climbing wall. Outdoors there are tennis courts, as well as playing fields for football.

Calendar

The School runs a calendar of three term reporting periods spanning 180 days with 40 teaching period timetable per week for Upper School.

Curriculum

The Upper School curriculum is structured towards the external awards of I/GCSE, AS and A-level, the standard used in England and Wales that has also been adopted in many other countries. There is also an opportunity for students to complete an optional 5000-word research Extended Project Qualification (EPQ) essay and LAMDA Drama qualifications. Students who enter the school and need support in English language, known at Harrow Beijing as Language & Learning, are given support throughout the curriculum in order to progress to the Sixth Form.

Leadership & Service Activities (LSA)

Students can participate in a wide selection of LSA's of their choice, as well as a large variety of sports including the ISAC, ACAMIS and FOBISIA tournaments. Intra-House competitions in debate, singing, charity fund-raising events as well as specific community service projects are also the focus of the School's six Houses in which each student is a member. Through this wide range of activities students have the opportunity to complete the International Award (Duke of Edinburgh) and the Harrow Beijing Leadership Award.

Sports

Football	Dance
Basketball	Yoga
Tennis	Fitness
Swimming	Climbing
Running Club	Ultimate Frisbee

External Providers:

Football, Golf, Fencing, Tennis, Basketball, Climbing

Programs and Clubs

International Award - Duke of Edinburgh	Modern Dance
LAMDA: Musical Theater, Poetry and Prose, Speaking in Public	Digital Animation
Musical Drama Production	Harrow TV
Stage Makeup	Chess Club
Speak Out!	Animal Rights Club
Music Technology	Mural Club
Orchestra	Junior Math Challenge
Concert Band	Art of Trading - Investment Club
Show Choir	Reading Club
Jazz Band	Battle of the Books
	Roots and Shoots
	Harrow Yearbook

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University Offers: Classes of 2020-2021

* Represents 38 matriculations for the class of 2021 (One * per matriculation)

(#) Denotes number of offers received

Universities in the United Kingdom

Russell Group Universities

Birmingham University (2)
Bristol University (6)
Cambridge University (1)
Cardiff University (3)
Durham University (7)
Edinburgh University (26) **
Exeter University (2)
Glasgow University (2)
Imperial College London (2) *
King's College London (20) *
Leeds University (5)
Liverpool University (2)
London School of Economics (5) **
Manchester University (25) **
Newcastle University (3)
Queen Mary University of London (11) *
Sheffield University (4)
Southampton University (3)
University College London (21) *
Warwick University (9) **
York University (1)

Glasgow School of Art (2)
Goldsmiths, University of London (2)
Keele University (1)
Kent University (2)
Kingston University (2)
Leeds Beckett University (1)
Liverpool John Moores University (1)
London Film Academy (2)
Loughborough University (3)
Loyola Marymount University (1)
Metropolitan Film School (1)
Middlesex University (2)
Queen Margaret University (1)
Reading University (1)
Richmond, The American International University in London (1)
Royal Agricultural University (1)
Royal Holloway, University of London (2)
SOAS University of London (2)
Sheffield Hallam University (1)
St Andrews University (4)
St Mary's University, Twickenham (1)
Staffordshire University (1)
Strathclyde University (1)
University of the Arts London (11) ****
University of Brighton (1)
University for the Creative Arts (1)
University of Essex (1)
University of Sheffield (1) *
University of Stirling (1)
University of Surrey (1)
Westminster University (8)

Other Universities

Arts University Bournemouth (1)
Bath University (2)
Birmingham City University (3)
Bournemouth University (1)
Brunel University London (4)
Cardiff Metropolitan University (1)
City, University of London (3)
Dundee University (2)
Edge Hill University (1) *

Colleges and Universities Offers in North America and Other Countries

United States

American University (1)
Babson College (1)
Boston University (2)
California College of the Arts (2)
Cornell University (1) *
Coventry University (1)
DePauw University (1) *
Elon University (1)
Gonzaga University (1) *
Michigan State University (1)
New York University (2) *
Northeastern University (3)
Ohio State University (1)
Pennsylvania State University (2) *
Purdue University (1)
Pratt Institute (2)
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (1)
Rochester Institute of Technology (1)
Savannah College of Art and Design (1)
School of the Art Institute of Chicago (2) *
School of Visual Arts (2)
Syracuse University (2) **
The New School - Parsons (2)
University of California - Davis (4) *
University of California - Irvine (1)
University of California - Los Angeles (1)
University of California - Riverside (1)
University of California - San Diego (2) *
University of California - Santa Barbara (2)
University of Connecticut (2)
University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign (1)
University of Iowa (1)
University of Massachusetts Amherst (1)
University of Miami (3) *

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill (1) *
University of Texas at Austin (1)
University of Virginia (1)
University of Washington - Seattle (1) *
University of Wisconsin - Madison (1)
Vanderbilt University (1) *

Australia

Australia National University (1)
University of Melbourne (1) *
University of New South Wales in Sydney (2)
University of Sydney (3)

Canada

University of British Columbia (1)
Ontario College of Art & Design (1)
University of Toronto (17)
University of Waterloo (3)

Ireland

Royal College of Surgeons of Ireland (1)

Grenada

St. George's University - Grenada (1)

Mainland China and Hong Kong

Beijing Academy of Creative Arts (2) *
Chinese University of Hong Kong (1)
University of Hong Kong (7) ***

Malta

Queen Mary University of London - Malta (1)

The Netherlands

University of Amsterdam (2) *

Harrow Beijing Exam Results 2021

A-level		I/GCSE	
A*	47%	A* (9-8)	50%
A* - A	68%	A* - A (9-7)	71%
A* - B	85%	A* - B (9-6)	85%
A* - C	96%	A* - C (9-4)	97%
AS Level			
A	69%		
A - B	86%		
A - C	91%		

A-level Grading Scales

A*, A, B, C, D, E and U
E = Pass and U = Fail

AS Level Grading Scales

A, B, C, D, E and U
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Current A-Level Subjects 2021-2022

A-Level subjects are offered in Biology, Chemistry, Design and Technology, Drama, Economics, English Literature, Fine Art, Further Mathematics, Mandarin, Geography, History, Mathematics, Media Studies, Music, Physics and Psychology.

SAT Summary for 25 students

Section	Middle 50%	Mean
Evidence Reading	490-700	590
Math	635-770	691

As a procedure, this year 2021 - 2022, we are allowing 12 university applications per student with a UCAS application counting as five and the University of California counting as one. This procedure provides the opportunity for students to focus their applications on targeted universities and also lets universities know that an application from a Harrow Beijing student is a carefully considered decision.

We do not simultaneously support an ED application to the United States and an application to the University of Oxford or University of Cambridge.

Harrow Beijing does not rank students or calculate GPA and only reports final marks earned on I/GCSE, AS Level examinations along with A-Level Predicted Grades on the transcript. Students typically take three A-Levels though some students do take four.

