#### Taipei Municipal Zhong Shan Girls High School Profile



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#### Introdution

Taipei Municipal Zhong Shan Girls High School has a long and established history of providing outstanding education for young women for over 120 years. Established in 1897, the school has undergone eight name changes and four relocations. We have nurtured numerous elites, who have made great contributions to the society. To continue



cultivating world-class leaders, we strive to adhere to our school motto—Sincerity, Integrity, Curiosity, and Wisdom—and the five core values—Respect, Honesty, Responsibility, Gratitude, and Discipline.



### **Envision**

The school envisions to nurture an atmosphere for life-long learning. To foster students' abilities to take the initiative, collaborate with others, and work for the common good, we provide learner-

centered environment and holistic education, aiming to cultivate the core competencies. Additionally, we highly value teachers' professional learning communities(PLC), collaboration, and technology integration in education.

Covered with rows of maple trees, the campus of Zhong Shan Girls High School is a historic site that creates an elegant and comfortable learning environment. Currently, with about 2,300 students, there are 66 classes in the school.



including the Humanities and Social Sciences Gifted Classes, and the Math and Science Gifted Classes. Our graduates get admitted to prestigious universities in Taiwan and abroad, contributing themselves to the society. Some outstanding alumni include: Tsai Ing-wen(蔡英文), President of the Republic of China (Taiwan), and Lily Lee Chen(李琬若), first ever Chinese-American female mayor of Monterey Park, California.



In the future, we will continue our efforts to seek advancement, sustain excellence, and reinforce the spirit of innovation and sustainability. It is our hope to empower students to become a remarkable lady, a lifelong learner, and a future leader with international mindedness.

## Curriculum

Courses Offered

Chinese	Chinese, Selection of Novels, Arts and Humanities
English	English
Mathematics	Mathematics, Mathematical Texts Reading
Science	Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Earth Science
Social Studies	Geography, History, Civics and Society
Foreign Languages	Spanish, French, German, Japanese, Korean
	Fine Arts, Music, Home Economics, Introduction to Computer
Others	Science, Science and Technology, Physical Education, Health and
	Nursing, Career Planning, Life Education
School-developed	Problem-Based Learning, Learning Strategies
required courses	
School-developed elective courses	
Alternative learning sessions per week	

<sup>\*</sup> Students face a rigorous schedule(five-day week), attending 7-8 periods of 50-minute classes daily.

# **Extracurricular Opportunities**

Varsity Sports	Volleyball, Track and Field, Basketball, Table Tennis, Badminton,
	Swimming, Folk Sports
Service Clubs	Student Ambassador, School Assembly (Master of Ceremony,
	National Anthem Conductor, etc.), Scout
Art Clubs	The Color Guard, Marching Band, String Orchestra, Chinese
	Orchestra, Dancing, Guitar, Harmonica, Choir, Drama, Kpop Club
Academic Clubs	Chinese Debate, English Debate, Computer Programming, Reasoning,
	Psychology Research
<b>Recreational Clubs</b>	Movies, Photography, Magic, Crafts
Sports	Yoga, Folk Sports, Skateboard, Volleyball, Basketball

<sup>\*</sup> Some clubs are not listed above. There are up to 51 clubs that students could join at Zhong Shan. Each student can only join one club, with the exception of additional varsity sports and service clubs.