



COLLÈGE
CHAMPITTET
FONDÉ EN 1903

The Swiss School
Open to the World



School Profile 2023-2024

Founded in 1903, Collège Champittet is a place of learning, joy and discovery. We are committed to helping students achieve academic excellence while promoting well-being and nurturing a passion for learning. We offer an engaging curriculum for preschool, primary and secondary school students in a bilingual French-English environment with dedicated language support.

Our approach to teaching enables students not only to learn, but to understand how they learn. It helps them become inquisitive and highly skilled lifelong learners. Along the way, they develop the teamwork and leadership skills they will need to succeed in all their future endeavors.

Admissions

Collège Champittet seeks to enroll students who are enthusiastic and eager to learn. Admission is inclusive, however applicants are reviewed based on their academic record (grades, test scores, and teacher recommendations), character, extracurricular interests and talents.

Extra-curricular activities

Collège Champittet offers a diverse palette of co-curricular and extra-curricular activities, including courses in Global Citizenship, music, sports, first aid and IT Clubs include a Model United Nations club, a debate club, an Equality, Diversity and Inclusion committee and a Sustainability club. A variety of educational trips are offered, as well as cultural events and a ski camp. Students are actively encouraged to take part in service-learning projects.

50+

Nationalities

800+

Students

9:1

Student
to teacher
ratio

Average
class size

16

Over 30
extracurricular
activities

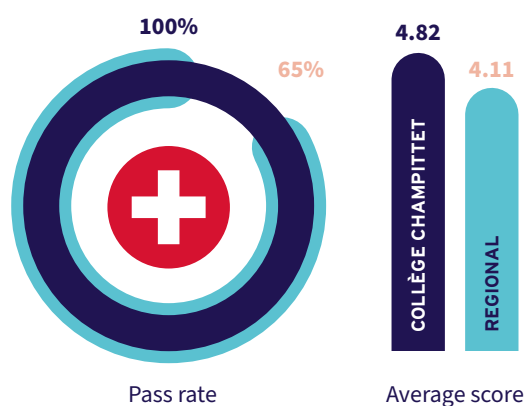
Academic Programmes and 2023 Results

We provide a rigorous curriculum rooted in our Swiss standards of excellence. Our three internationally recognized diploma programmes enable students to follow the pathway that best fits their interests and future goals. As a part of Nord Anglia Education, our students benefit from enhanced learning opportunities through the Juilliard Performing Arts programme, our collaboration with UNICEF and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and mathematics) programme.

Grading Systems and Class Rank

Starting in the 2023-2024 academic school year, Collège Champittet moved semestrial grade reporting. Quarterly grades are also transmitted to give indications of a student's progress. In years prior, grades were reported once per trimester. Given the diversity of our students' experiences and the variety of programmes offered in our secondary school, our students are not ranked.

Grade	Programme	Grading scale	Passing grade
9-14	Pre IB & IB DP	1-7	4
9-14	Swiss Maturity	1-6	4
11-14	French Baccaalaureate	0-20	10

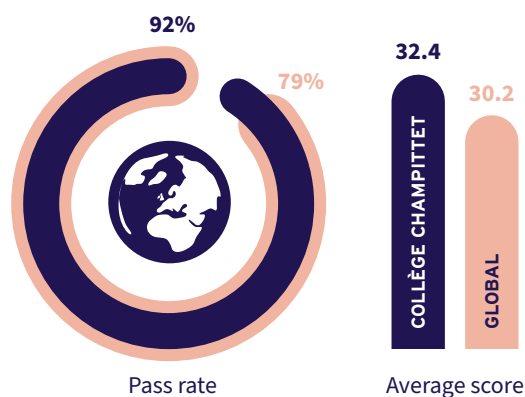


Swiss Maturity

The Swiss Maturity Diploma is the official Swiss secondary school leaving certificate, which allows unrestricted admission to all faculties of Swiss universities and the two federal institutes of technology. It is awarded at the end of a rigorous four-year programme which prepares students for undergraduate studies at university. All students are required to take federally administered written and oral exams and to write an Extended Essay of 4000 words. This multi-disciplinary programme provides students with independence, a deep knowledge and understanding of a variety of fields and an ability to analyze critically. To obtain the Maturity Diploma, students must achieve an overall grade of 4/6 (84/126 points).

The highest score of the private schools in French-speaking Switzerland was obtained by a Champittet student.

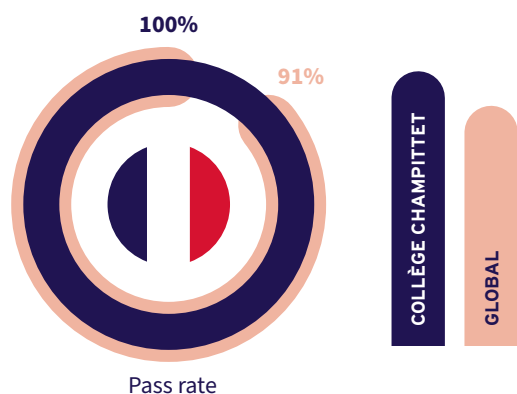
56% of our students obtained more than 100 / 126 points.



International Baccalaureate

The International Baccalaureate® (IB) Diploma Programme (DP) is recognized internationally and respected for its balanced curriculum, which promotes both depth and breadth of learning. In their final two years, IB students follow a rigorous programme composed of 6 courses, with subjects in Mathematics, Sciences, Language & Literature, Language Acquisition, Social Sciences, and an option for Art. All subjects require external exams. Students simultaneously complete core requirements, namely Theory of Knowledge (ToK), Creativity, Activity and Service (CAS), and an Extended Essay (EE). To pass the IB DP, Students must achieve a minimum of 24/42 points, including the completion of the core requirements for which they may earn up to 3 additional points.

The highest score achieved by a Champittet student in 2023 was 43 points.



French Baccaalaureate

The French Baccaalaureate is internationally recognized, rigorous and adaptable. Students select between three different higher-level options according to their interests, abilities and ambitions. It is an academically demanding degree awarded by the French Ministry of National Education. French Baccaalaureate students are evaluated using a combination of ongoing assessment (40%) and final examinations (60%), which are externally evaluated. To pass the Baccaalaureate, students must achieve a minimum score of 10 out of 20.

100% for the 8th year in a row.

The highest score achieved by a Champittet student in 2023 was 17.4 points.

Destination Distribution 2021 - 2023
(approximations)



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The following is a selection of universities where recent Champittet graduates have been accepted between 2021 - 2023. Universities listed in dark blue are those in which our graduates matriculated.

SWITZERLAND

CREA
Ecole de Cinema de Geneve
EPFL
ETH Zürich
Franklin University
Glion Institute of Higher Education
Les Roches
Lucerne University of Applied Sciences and Arts
EHL Hospitality Business School
University of Bern
University of Fribourg
University of Geneva
University of Lausanne
University of St Gallen
University of Zürich
Webster University

E.U.

Erasmus University Rotterdam
IE University
Leiden University
Sciences Po
Sorbonne University
The Hague University of Applied Sciences
University of Budapest
University of Maastricht
University of Tilburg
Utrecht University

THE U.S.

Columbia College
Connecticut College
Drew University
Fairfield University
Fordham University
Georgia Institute of Technology
Michigan State University
Northeastern University
Rutgers University
Southern Methodist University
Stanford University
Tulane University
University of California, Santa Cruz
University of Colorado, Boulder
University of Connecticut
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
University of Miami
University of New Hampshire
University of San Diego
University of Virginia
University of Wisconsin, Madison

UNITED KINGDOM

Aston University, Birmingham
BIMM
Birkbeck, University of London
Brunel University London
Courtauld Institute of Art, University of London
City, University of London
Hartpury University

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Hult International Business School
Imperial College London
King's College London
Kingston University
London Metropolitan University
Loughborough University
Middlesex University London
Northeastern University, London
Nottingham Trent University
Oxford Brookes University
Queen Mary University of London
Richmond, American University London
Royal Holloway, University of London
SOAS University of London
University of the Arts London
University of Aberdeen
University of Bath
University of Bedfordshire
University of Birmingham
University of Chichester
University of East London
University of Edinburgh
University of Exeter
University of Glasgow
University of Greenwich
University of Kent
University of Leeds
University of Manchester
University of Nottingham
University of Oxford
University of Reading
University of Salford
University of St Andrews
University of Strathclyde
INTO University of Stirling
University of Surrey
University of Warwick
University of Westminster
University of York

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