



## The English Schools Foundation

The English Schools Foundation (ESF) is the largest English-medium international school organisation in Hong Kong. Our 22 schools and comprehensive programme of extra-curricular activities bring out the best in every student through a personalised approach to learning and by inspiring curious minds. There are over 18,000 students from 75 different nationalities in ESF kindergartens, primary, secondary and all-through schools.

ESF is proud of the high academic and wider achievements of our students. In May 2022, 43 ESF students achieved the perfect score of 45 points in the International Baccalaureate Diploma.

## King George V School

King George V School predates the establishment of the ESF and is one of the oldest schools in Hong Kong. It is an international non-selective secondary school of over 1,800 students between the ages of 11 and 18. Founded in 1894, KGV School joined the ESF in 1979 and remains to-date as the largest secondary school in the Foundation, offering affordable education through the medium of English. It is open to children of all backgrounds who are residents in Hong Kong. There are no entry requirements. The school employs over 120 teaching staff, trained mainly in the U.K., Australia, Canada, U.S.A. and Hong Kong.

Our **Purpose** is to be 'Be your own remarkable...' and our **Vision** is to create a 'school for one'. A place where each student feels that the school was created just for them. We personalize learning so everyone is supported and encouraged to achieve at a high level, and to develop holistically to be the best person they can be. Our school thrives on a culture where a diversity of ideas, beliefs, and values are equally cherished, respected, and heard. We seek to continuously collaborate, innovate, and improve to make a difference in the communities we serve and lead.

Our KGV Lion Values are **Honesty** – be truthful, fair and authentic; **Courage** – be vulnerable, brave and resilient; **Empathy** – be kind, understand, and respectful.

## Co-curriculum

Students are offered many different opportunities to enhance their learning and take their experiences outside the classroom. All KGV students commit to an activity during Challenge Week when students take part in a week-long activities on creativity, action & service. Our strong House System provides for positive competition and a closer rapport between students and teachers. It is an integral and vibrant part of our culture. King George V School does not provide GPA or rank students.

## Year 7-9 Curriculum

Year 7-9 students study the International Baccalaureate Middle Years Programme (MYP) for three years. The MYP builds upon the knowledge, skills and attitudes developed in the IB Primary Years Programme (PYP) and prepares students to meet future academic challenges, including IGCSE, BTEC and the IB Diploma Programme (IBDP). Teaching and learning in the MYP is framed by inquiry, action and reflection. Students are taught by subject specialist across eight learning areas to enable them to engage in purposeful inquiry in a robust academic setting.

## Year 10 and 11 Curriculum

Year 10 and 11 students follow a two-year cycle of study in which they prepare for the General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE) or International GCSE (IGCSE) examinations. The results of these examinations are graded from A\* to G / 9 to 1. With a core of Mathematics, English Language and Literature, Double Science Award, and a Foreign Language (French, Spanish, German, Chinese), students then opt for subjects from Humanities, Performing Arts, Design & Technology and P.E.

	June 2022	June 2021	June 2020	June 2019	June 2018	June 2017	June 2016	June 2015
<b>Entries</b>	<b>2123</b>	<b>2226</b>	<b>2122</b>	<b>2080</b>	<b>2232</b>	<b>2235</b>	<b>2466</b>	<b>2356</b>
% A* / 9-8	47.3	46.4	41.4	35.7	33.6	31.4	27.9	25.7
% A* - A / 9-7	68.9	68.1	63.3	57.3	60.5	56.9	51.1	50.6
% A* - C / 9-4	97.0	95.8	97.5	92.9	94.6	93.7	88.7	89.4
% A* - G / 9-1	100.0	100.0	100.0	99.6	99.7	99.8	96.3	97.2



## Year 12 and 13 Curriculum

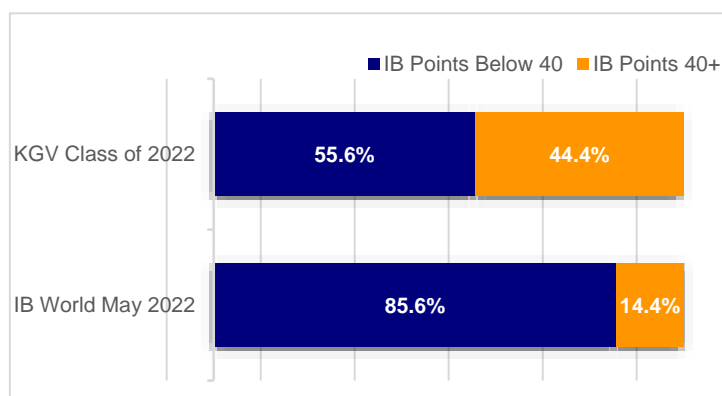
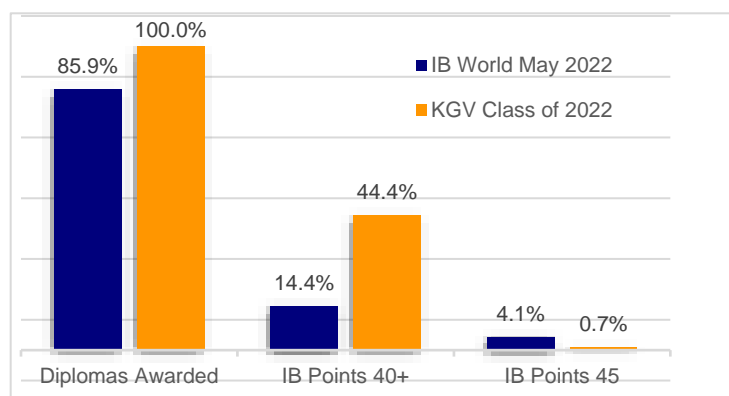
Students work toward either the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma or the British Business and Technology Education Council (BTEC) Diploma (Level 3). Students have a number of courses to choose from and will select according to their future career/education aspirations. They sit examinations at the end of Year 13 and are not awarded mid-year grades. At the end of Year 13, approximately 90% of students go on to study in many parts of the world. The balance typically takes a gap year, employment or military service.

## International Baccalaureate



Students taking the IB Diploma choose six subjects to study, normally three at Higher Level and three at Standard Level. The maximum score awarded for the IB Diploma is 45 points. Each subject is awarded a maximum of 7 points, and there are a maximum of 3 further points available for Theory of Knowledge (ToK) and Extended Essay (EE). Students also have to complete a CAS (Creativity, Action and Service) programme. A number of students also choose to take the Bilingual IB Diploma.

KGV	2022	2021	2020	2019	2018	2017	2016	2015	May 2022 World
No. of IBD Candidates	169	183	193	174	197	179	179	185	88,330
% IB Diplomas awarded	100.0	99.5	100	96.9	98.5	99.4	98.9	91.9	85.9
% Bilingual Diplomas awarded	3.6	7.7	9.8	7.2	5.6	6.1	2.8	5.9	27.6
% 45 points	4.14	6.01	1.6	2.1	1.02	2.23	2.3	1.1	0.74
% 40+ points	44.4	47.5	36.3	25	24.9	24.7	23.7	22.1	14.4
Mean total point score (IBD only)	38.0	38.6	37.0	35.6	36.3	36.3	36.1	36.0	33.8
Mean subject score	6.0	6.08	5.84	5.56	5.65	5.74	5.71	5.64	5.12



## BTEC Pathway

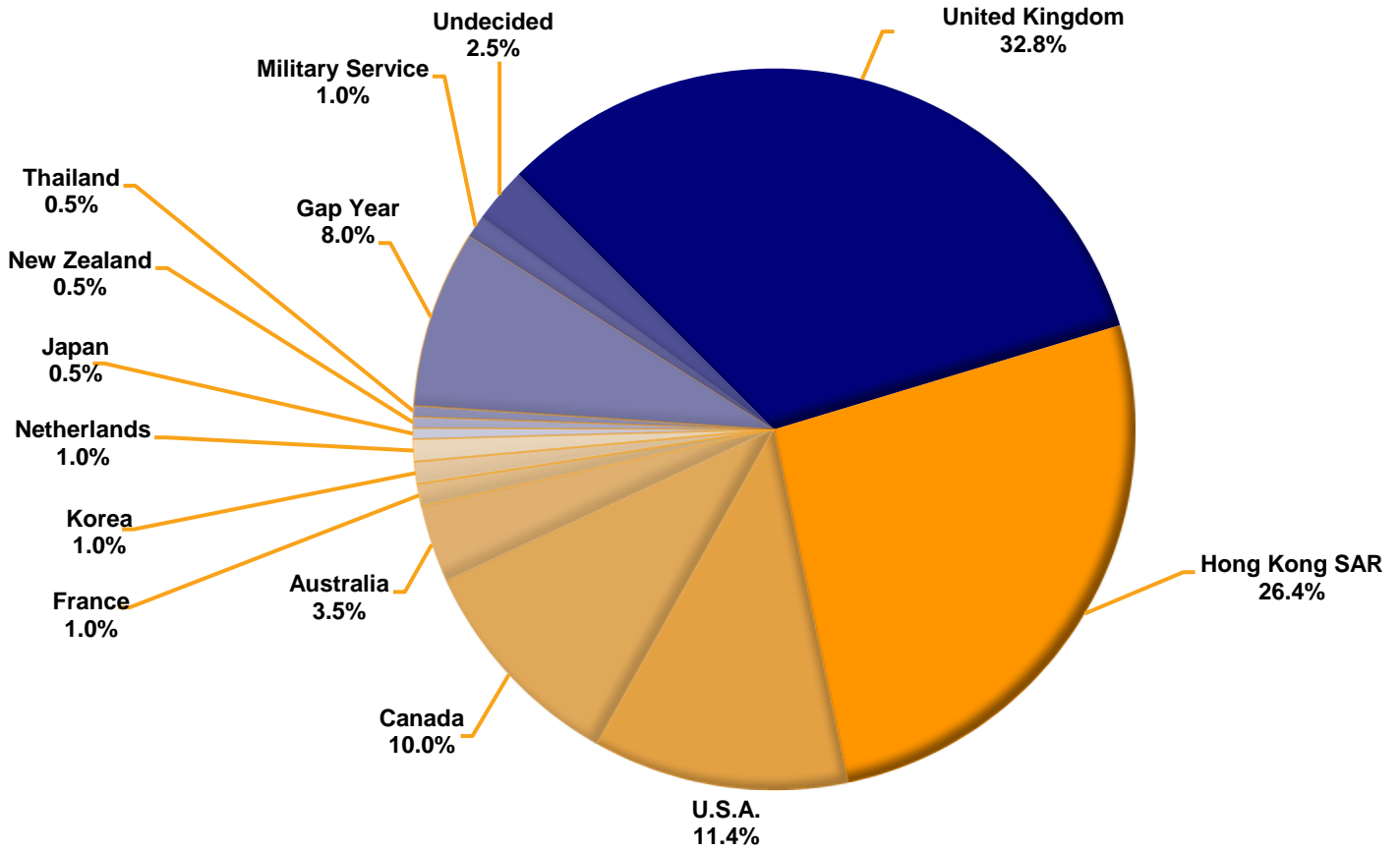


Students taking the BTEC pathway follow a career-oriented applied learning pathway and work towards a full Extended Diploma (18 units) or Diploma (12 units) and a Subsidiary Diploma (6 units) at Level 3. They can complement their studies with IB certificate by studying up to two subjects at Standard Level & Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS). The grading for BTEC qualifications is Distinction (D), Merit (M), Pass (P), with D\* awarded for exceptional performance. Students have access to a wide range of university options worldwide. We offer BTEC courses at Level 3 in Art & Design, Business, Media, and Sports. We also offer a range of Level 2 courses in ICT and Cooking.

## BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma / Diploma / Subsidiary Diploma @ KGV

Entries	%	D*D* D*D*	D*D* D*	D*D* D	D*D* M	D*D D*	D*D D	D*D* P	D*D M	DDD	DM M	MM M	MP M	MM P	MPP	PPP	DM	MP	P	
2022	27	100	3.7%	37.0%	11.1%	7.4%	-	7.4%	-	11.1%	3.7%	3.7%	-	3.7%	-	3.7%	3.7%	-	3.7%	-
2021	37	100	-	43.2%	8.1%	5.4%	2.7%	13.5%	2.7%	-	8.1%	2.7%	2.7%	-	2.7%	-	2.7%	2.7%	-	2.7%
UCAS Tariff Points			224	168	160	144	160	152	128	136	144	112	96	80	80	64	48	80	48	16

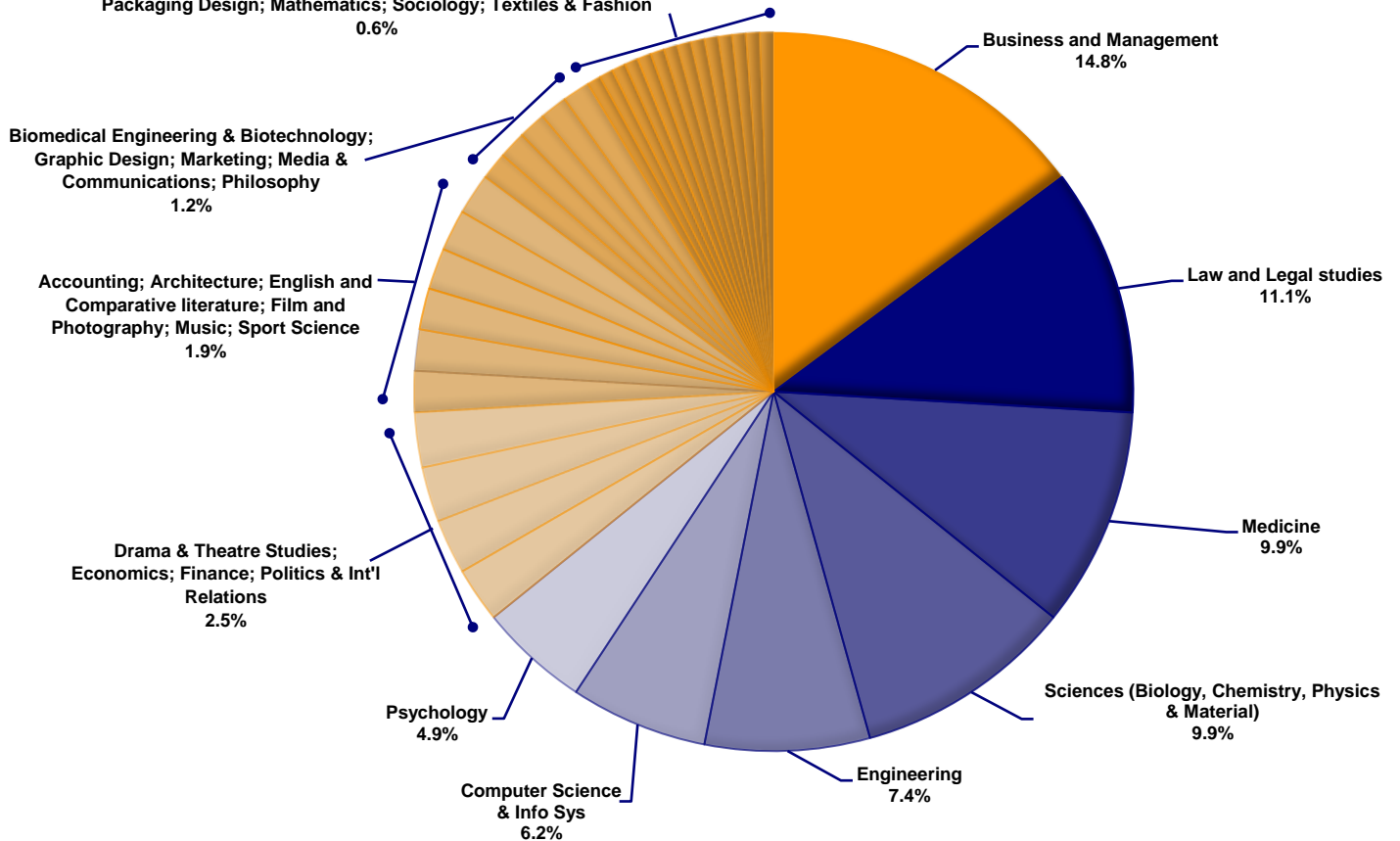
## Class of 2022 – Post-KGV Destinations



Base: 201 students

## Class of 2022 – Majors\*

Aerospace Engineering & Aviation; Building Surveying & Construction; Computer Games Design; Criminology; Data Science; Education; Hospitality, Leisure, & Tourism; Interior & Landscape Design; Liberal Arts & Sciences; Linguistics & Translation; Industrial, Product & Packaging Design; Mathematics; Sociology; Textiles & Fashion



\* Base: 162 students who have confirmed majors.

## Matriculations – Classes of 2018-2022

UNITED KINGDOM		HONG KONG		CANADA	
	No.		No.		No.
Arts University Bournemouth	2	Adventist College	1	Blanche Macdonald Centre	1
Aston University	1	The Chinese University of Hong Kong	34	University of British Columbia	37
University of Bath	8	City University of Hong Kong	10	Concordia University	2
Bath Academy of Media	1	Education University of Hong Kong	3	Emily Carr University of Art & Design	1
Bath Spa University	1	Hong Kong Baptist University	3	University of Manitoba	1
BIMM Institute	1	Hong Kong Culinary Academy	1	McGill University	3
University of Birmingham	4	Hong Kong Hang Seng University	1	McMaster University	1
Bournemouth University	1	HKU Space	1	Queen's University	1
University of Bradford	1	The Hong Kong University of Science & Technology	71	Ryerson/Toronto Metropolitan University	4
University of Brighton	1	Lingnan University	1	Trinity Western University	1
University of Bristol	10	Nesbitt Centre	2	University of Toronto	53
Brunel University	2	Open University of Hong Kong	1	University of Victoria	2
University of Buckingham	2	The Hong Kong Polytechnic University	5	University of Waterloo	3
University of Cambridge	8	SCAD Hong Kong	2	Western University	2
Cardiff University	4	The University of Hong Kong	90	<b>AUSTRALIA</b>	<b>No.</b>
Cass Business School	1	University of Sunderland Hong Kong	1	Blue Mountains Hotel Management School	1
University of Central Lancashire	1	VTC / Youth College / Shine	4	Monash University	2
University of Chichester	1	<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</b>	<b>No.</b>	University of New South Wales	7
City, University of London	2	Adelphi University	1	University of Adelaide	1
De Montfort University	1	AMDA College & Conservatory of the Performing Arts	1	University of Melbourne	3
University of Dundee	4	University of Arizona	1	University of Queensland	1
Durham University	5	Babson College	2	University of South Australia	1
The University of Edinburgh	9	Berklee College of Music	1	University of Sydney	5
University of Exeter	30	Boston College - Carroll School of Management	1	<b>AUSTRIA</b>	<b>No.</b>
Falmouth University	1	Boston University	4	MODUL University Vienna	1
University of Essex	4	Brown University	1	<b>CHINA</b>	<b>No.</b>
University of Glasgow	4	University of California - Berkeley	8	University of Nottingham, Ningbo	2
Guildhall School of Music & Drama	1	University of California - Davis	5	<b>FRANCE</b>	<b>No.</b>
Hartpury University	1	University of California - Los Angeles	4	Emlyon Business School	1
University of Hertfordshire	1	University of California - San Diego	8	IESEG School of Management	1
Imperial College London	11	University of California - Santa Barbara	2	<b>GERMANY</b>	<b>No.</b>
Istituto Marangoni London	2	University of California - Santa Cruz	1	Macromedia U of Applied Sciences	1
Keele University	1	California Institute of the Arts	2	<b>ITALY</b>	
University of Kent	8	California Polytechnic State University	1	Ca' Foscari University of Venice	1
King's College London	24	Carnegie Mellon University	2	University of Pavia, Milan	1
Lancaster University	4	The University of Chicago	1	Politecnico di Milano	1
University of Leeds	13	William & Mary	1	Sapienza Università di Roma	2
Leeds Arts University	6	University of Colorado Boulder	1	<b>JAPAN</b>	
Leeds Beckett University	8	Cornell University	2	International Christian University	2
Leeds Conservatoire	1	Dean College	1	International College of Liberal Arts	1
University of Leicester	3	Duke University	1	Nagoya University	1
Liverpool Institute for Performing Arts	1	Emory University	1	Waseda University	1
London School of Economics & Political Science	14	Fisher College	1	<b>KOREA</b>	<b>No.</b>
London South Bank University	1	University of Florida	1	Hanyang University	1
Loughborough University	12	Georgia Institute of Technology	1	Seoul National University	1
The University of Manchester	11	Ithaca College	1	Yonsei University	2
Manchester Metropolitan University	3	University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign	3	<b>MACAU</b>	<b>No.</b>
Middlesex University	2	University of Illinois Chicago	1	Institute for Tourism Studies	1
Newcastle University	1	Johns Hopkins University	1	<b>MALAYSIA</b>	<b>No.</b>
Norwich University of the Arts	2	Lewis & Clark College	1	Monash University	2
University of Nottingham	19	Loyola Marymount University	1	Sunway University	1
Nottingham Trent University	1	Miami University	1	<b>NETHERLANDS</b>	<b>No.</b>
Oxford Brookes University	3	University of Michigan	1	University of Amsterdam	2
University of Oxford	4	Minerva Schools at KGI	1	Amsterdam Fashion Institute, AUAS	1
Queen Mary University of London	5	University of Massachusetts Amherst	1	Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences	1
University of Reading	7	Massachusetts Institute of Technology	2	Erasmus University Rotterdam	1
Rose Bruford College	1	The New School / Parsons	5	University of Groningen	3
Royal Birmingham Conservatoire	1	New York Film Academy	1	Hotel School of the Hague	1
The Royal Central School of Speech & Drama	1	New York University	5	HU University of Applied Sciences	1
Royal Northern College of Music	1	Northeastern University	7	HZ University of Applied Sciences	1
Ravensbourne University London	1	Northwestern University	2	Leiden University College	1
Regent's University	1	University of Pennsylvania	4	Radboud University	1
Royal Holloway, University of London	2	St. Lawrence University	1	Rotterdam University of Applied Sciences	1
Royal Veterinary College	1	University of San Francisco	3	<b>NEW ZEALAND</b>	<b>No.</b>
The University of Sheffield	3	School of the Art Institute of Chicago	1	Canterbury University	1
Solent University	2	University of Southern California	3	University of Otago	1
University of Southampton	2	Stanford University	2	<b>SINGAPORE</b>	<b>No.</b>
University of St Andrews	8	Stony Brooke University	3	National University of Singapore	1
St. George's, University of London	1	Syracuse University	1	<b>SPAIN</b>	<b>No.</b>
University of Surrey	3	University of Washington	2	Saint Louis University of Madrid	1
Swansea University	1	Washington University in St Louis	1	<b>SWITZERLAND</b>	<b>No.</b>
Teesside University	1	Wellesley College	2	Les Roches	3
University of the Arts London	22	Wesleyan University	1	<b>THAILAND</b>	<b>No.</b>
University College London	19	University of Wisconsin-Madison	2	Mahidol University International College	1
University of Warwick	20	Yale University	1		
UWE, Bristol	1				
University of Westminster	5				

