



YANGON ACADEMY INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL

"Empowering Students Today Toward Making a Better World Tomorrow" | Since 2004

High School Profile 2024-2025

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Yangon Academy is a privately-owned international school founded in 2004. The School saw its first graduating class completing its diploma studies in June 2014. Approximately 85% of the students are from Myanmar, while the remaining 15% are from a variety of other countries around the world.

Our Vision: Yangon Academy empowers students to reach their full potential.

Our Mission: Yangon Academy is a dynamic international school that provides a challenging K-12 American-based education that prepares our students for excellence in university and life. Our community inspires students to love learning and to contribute positively within a diverse and ever-changing world.

Our Schoolwide Learning Outcomes (SLOs) & Global Competencies

SLOs

YA students strive to be...
Effective Communicators
Creative & Critical Thinkers
Healthy Individuals
Collaborative Team Players
Responsible Global Citizens
Lovers of Learning

Global Competencies

YA students develop skills to...
Investigate the World
Recognize Perspectives
Communicate Ideas
Take Action

Our Faculty: The nationalities of the teaching staff at Yangon Academy are predominately from The United States and Myanmar. A high percentage of the secondary faculty hold advanced degrees with current certification, and an equally significant percentage of the Myanmar teachers also hold master's degrees. Overall, our core secondary teachers average 15+ years of experience, with considerable prior teaching experience in various international schools.

Our Academic Program: Students follow an American-based curriculum, with associated standards. Students must earn 27 credits to graduate. Classes are scheduled for 65-minutes per class within a five-period day on a two-day rotation cycle. Specialist classes are offered in Art, Music, Computer Studies, and Physical Education. Myanmar Language and Culture classes are also required for all students through Grade 12. Most students in the upper secondary take two or three college-level AP courses.

Fully Accredited:



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

Subject	Requirement	Course Offerings (Including AP Courses)
English	5 credits	English 9-12, Academic Writing 9, AP Language and Composition 11/12
Myanmar Studies	4 credits	Myanmar Language and Culture 9-12
Social Studies	3 credits	S.East Asia 9, World History 10, Global Issues 11/12, AP Microeconomics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Psychology, AP World History
Sciences	3 credits	Physical Sci. 9, Biology 10, AP Biology, Physics 11/12, AP Physics 1, Environmental Science. 11, AP Environmental Science, Chemistry 11/12, AP Chemistry
Mathematics	3 credits	Geometry, Algebra 2, Pre-Calculus, AP Calculus AB, Statistics, AP Statistics, AP Pre-Calculus
P.E.	1 credit	P.E 9 - 12
Art Music	1 credit 1 credit	Art 9 - 12, Mixed Media 11/12, , Interior Design 11/12, AP Studio Art 2-D, AP Art 3-D, AP Drawing, Music 9 - 10, Chorus 9 - 12, Keyboard 11/12, Guitar 11/12
Computer Studies	1 credit	Computer Studies 9-10, Computer Programming (Python 3), AP Computer Science A
Electives Total	5 credits	
Total	27 credits	

Students in Grades 9 through 12 prepare for a Yangon Academy Diploma, which is recognized by colleges and universities throughout the world. Virtually all graduates attend post-secondary programs in the U.S. or abroad.

Extracurricular Profile

Yangon Academy has a broad and vibrant extracurricular program. A sampling of activities includes the following ...

Academic Enrichment: Citywide Spelling Bee, American Math Olympiad, Kangaroo Math Competition, Singapore Math Competition, Hong Kong International Science Olympiad.

Creative Arts: Video Making, Nature Drawing, Painting, Art Exhibitions, Music Ensembles, Yangon Honors Choir, Drama Performances, Student Newspaper, Yearbook.

Leadership: Opportunities for leadership include Student Council, Model U.N. and Community Service: Service to others is a core value of the School, as most students participate in community service events, often working on weekends with local children and orphans in monastic schools and nunneries.

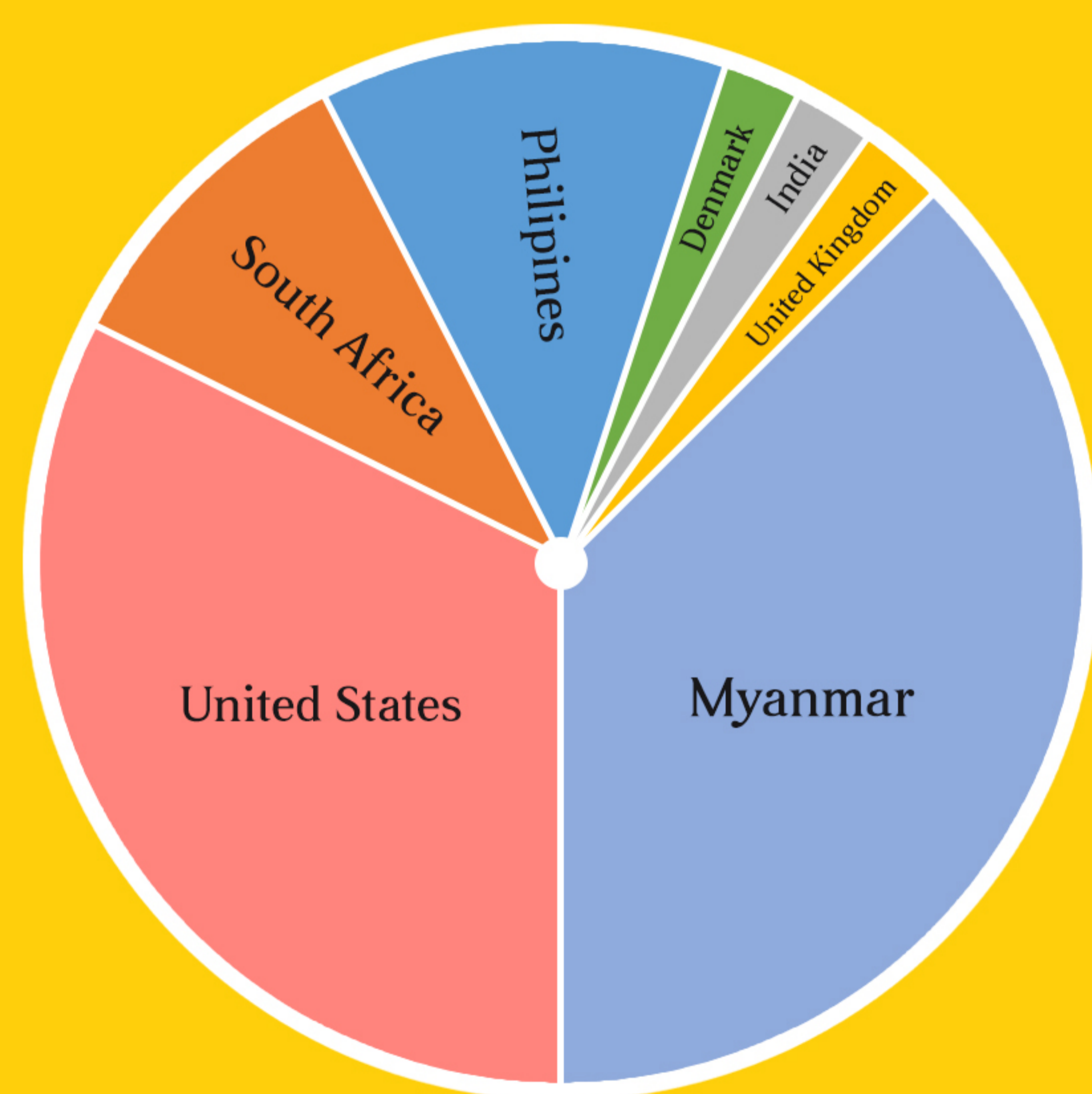
Exam Center: Yangon Academy is a College Board-approved testing site for both S.A.T and AP examinations.

SAT AVERAGE SCORES

Our 2023 – 2024 average scores

	Reading Writing	Math	Total
YA Scores:	634	678	1312
US National Scores	520	508	1028

AN INTERNATIONAL FACULTY



GRADING SCALE

Grade	Grade%	G.P.A
A+	98-100	4.00
A	94-97	4.00
A-	90-93	3.67
B+	88-89	3.33
B	84-87	3.00
B-	80-83	2.67
C+	78-79	2.33
C	74-77	2.00
C-	70-73	1.67
D+	68-69	1.33
D	64-67	1.00
D-	60-63	0.67
F	59-Below	0.00

University and College Admissions - 2020-2024



UNITED STATES

Albany College Of Pharmacy And Health Sciences
Arizona State University
Berea College
Binghamton University
Boston University
Brandeis University
Brown University
California Polytechnic State University, Pomona
California Polytechnic State University-San Luis Obispo
California State University-Chico
California State University-Los Angeles
Case Western Reserve University
Chapman University
Christopher Newport University
Clark University
College of San Mateo
Cornell University
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice
Depauw University
Drexel University
Emerson College
Georgia Institute of Technology
Grand Canyon University
Illinois Institute of Technology
Indiana University-Bloomington
Indiana University-Purdue University-Indianapolis
Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences
Miami University-Oxford
Michigan State University
Niagara University
Northeastern University
North park University
Ohio State University
Pace University
Pennsylvania State University
Purdue University
Ramapo College of New Jersey
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Rhodes College
Rice University
San Diego State University
San Jose State University
Santa Clara University
Smith College
St. John's University-New York
Stanford University
Stockton University
Stony Brook University
Suffolk University
Suny at Albany
Suny College at Geneseo
Suny College at Potsdam
The University of Texas at Arlington
The University of Texas at Dallas
Towson University
Trinity University
University of California-Davis
University of California-Los Angeles
University of California-San Diego
University of Florida
University of Illinois Chicago
University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
University of Maryland-College Park
University of Massachusetts-Amherst
University of Massachusetts-Boston
University of Miami

University of Michigan-Ann Arbor
University of Minnesota-Twin Cities
University of New Orleans
University of North Carolina
University of Oregon
University of Pittsburgh-Pittsburgh Campus
University of Rochester
University of San Francisco
University of Southern California
University of Washington-Seattle Campus
University of Wisconsin-Madison
Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University
Wentworth Institute of Technology



UNITED KINGDOM

Anglia Ruskin University
Aston University Birmingham
Brunel University London
Liverpool John Moores University
Louisiana State University and Agricultural & Mechanical College
Loyola Marymount University
Newcastle University
Queen's University Belfast
Royal Holloway, University of London



CANADA

Concordia University
Lakehead University
Western University
Wilfrid Laurier University
York University



AUSTRALIA

University of Melbourne
University of New South Wales
University of Sydney



HOLLAND

Maastricht University



CHINA

Wuhan University
Zhejiang University



JAPAN

Doshisha University
Kyoto University
Ritsumeikan Asia Pacific University
Temple University, Japan Campus
Waseda University



THAILAND

Mahidol University
Chulalongkorn University



SOUTH KOREA

Yonsei University
Korea University



SINGAPORE

James Cook University Singapore