



### SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS

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### SINO-AMERICAN PROGRAM (SAP) FACULTY

**SAP Director:** Haili Cui  
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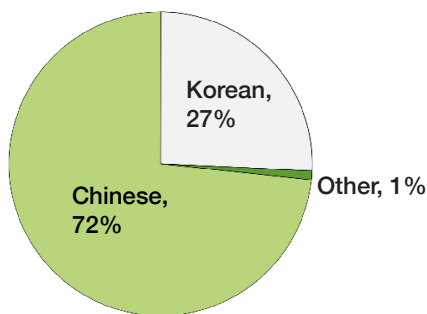
### SCHOOL OVERVIEW

Located in the northernmost province of China, Harbin Wanbang School is a private Chinese K-12 school that seeks to provide high quality academic education and positive moral and character development. Wanbang School draws students primarily from the Harbin city area but has students from many different regions of China. There is also a significant population of international students, most of whom are from South Korea. The school's vision to develop multicultural global servant leaders challenge students to positively impact the community and world around them.

Harbin Wanbang School is accredited by the Heilongjiang Province Department of Education. Through the years, Wanbang has been recognized and received many honors for being one of the top schools in Harbin. Of the over 400 high schools in Heilongjiang, Wanbang School is one of only 17 schools to offer Board-approved international programs and in the spring of 2016, Wanbang School was recognized as the top international program in the province.

Viewed by the Provincial Board of Education as a leader in international education, the Harbin Wanbang School Sino-American Program (SAP) seeks to blend the traditional Chinese curriculum with American-style curriculum and teaching methodology.

### HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT PROFILE



Total Enrollment, grades 10 - 12: 511 students  
 Class of 2019: 166 students

### FACULTY

The Harbin Wanbang School faculty includes Chinese nationals as well as teachers and counselors from Korea and the U.S. Relative to other schools in China, the Wanbang faculty has a high percentage of international teachers. These foreign-expert teachers have been credentialed to teach in China and also hold advanced degrees and credentials such as U.S. National Board Certification.

### CURRICULUM

The Sino-American Program (SAP) finds a balance between Chinese and American curriculum and pedagogical methods to develop students of global influence. Classes taught in Korean, Chinese and English not only adds to the rigor of the curriculum, but students are able to gain multiple cultural perspectives and ultimately expand their intellectual horizon.

The Harbin Wanbang School curriculum provides students with a comprehensive liberal arts education with an emphasis on linguistic development. Through the rigorous curriculum in which all students are required to take classes in every field of study - including music, Wanbang School trains well-rounded students who become lifelong learners with the skill set to approach any new topic with confidence and a broad perspective.

With the emphasis on continual linguistic development, students are required to take classes for improved fluency and mastery of their native language. The depth of understanding and critical thinking ability gained through native language classes have been observed to improve performance and acquisition of class material for other classes taught in English.

### WB SCHOOL-BASED ACTIVITIES

All WB School-based activities have been thoroughly planned and annually adjusted by the faculty to instill values like community, honesty, and service for the student body. Most activities are faculty guided, yet organized and ran by selected students from leadership positions. Close to 20+ purposeful events take place throughout the school year and have been strategically distributed to enrich the students and provide opportunities for holistic growth. WB School-based activities are independent from co-curricular activities like club or sports.

## GRADING SCALE & GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

A minimum of 18 credits is required for graduation with at least 9 credits being in classes taught in English. Classes earn either 0.5 or 0.25 credits per semester depending on the hours per week. All Grade Point Averages are also unweighted for AP or Honors classes.

Subject	CR Required	Letter Grade	Percent	Point Value
Language Arts min. 3.0 CR in Eng.	4.0 CR or AP English	A	90 and above	4.00
Mathematics	2.0 CR or AP Calculus	B+	87 - 89	3.50
Science	2.5 CR	B	80 - 86	3.00
Social Studies min. 1.0 CR in Eng.	2.5 CR	C+	76 - 79	2.50
Electives min. 5.0 CR in Eng.	7.0 credits	C	70 - 75	2.00
		D+	66 - 69	1.50
		D	60 - 65	1.00
		F	Below 60	0.00

## AP COURSES & DUAL CREDIT COURSES

**Advanced Placement** courses offered:

Art History*	English Literature*
Biology*	Micro/Macro Economics*
Calculus AB/BC	Physics
Chemistry*	Statistics
Chinese	World History*
Computer Science A*	Human Geography*
English Language	US Government & Politics*

\* Courses offered in conjunction with Sevenstar Academy and Northstar Academy (accredited by NCA CASI division of AdvancED).

\*\* In 2018, 38 AP Exams were taken by 16 AP Students in HWS; out of 39 AP Exams taken in 2017, 74.4% scored a 3+ and 64.1% scored a 4 or 5.

**Dual Credit** courses offered:

Intro. to Criminal Justice	Intro. to Philosophy
Educational Psychology	Contemporary Moral Issues
American Literature	British Literature
Art Appreciation	Ethnic and Minority Issues
Music Appreciation	

\*\* All dual credit classes offered in conjunction with Taylor University

## CLASS RANK

Due to the nature of the school, Harbin Wanbang School does not rank its students.

## SAT SCORES

All tests taken between October 2016 and December 2017.

	Mathematics	Critical Reading	Total
<b>HWS</b>	<b>724</b>	<b>635</b>	<b>1359</b>
ELL Students	513	537	1049
National Avg	527	533	1060

### SAT Subject Tests:

	Science Subjects	Math Subjects	Other Subjects
<b>HWS</b>	<b>692</b>	<b>719</b>	<b>733</b>
National Avg	648	650	n/a

\* National Avg from CollegeBoard SAT Subject Tests Percentile Ranks and 2017 SAT Suite of Assessments Annual Report

\*\*Other Subjects include non-native Foreign Language Testing

## COLLEGE ACCEPTANCE DATA (Class of 2018)

100% of the Class of 2018 are attending a four-year college or university. Average financial aid offer from accepted US colleges was \$29,000.

### Accepted College List:

Bennington College	Max the Mutt
Calvin College	North Park University
Clarkson University	Northeastern University
Colby College	Ringling College of Art and Design
Drexel University	Rose-Hulman Inst. of Technology
Duke Kunshan University	Santa Clara University
Florida Institute of Technology	Stanford University
Georgia State University	Stevens Institute of Technology
Gordon College	Trinity University
Goshen College	Trinity Western University
Hope College	University of British Columbia
Jacobs University	University of Colorado - Boulder
Lake Forest College	University of Hong Kong

Since 2013, Wanbang graduates have been accepted to a variety of higher education institutions around the world. The following is a list of some of the schools that have offered admission to our graduates.

Agnes Scott College (Decatur, GA)	Fudan University (China)	Taylor University (Upland, IN)
Art Center College of Design (Pasadena, CA)	George Washington University (Washington, D.C.)	Tongji University (China)
Beijing Normal University (China)	Hankuk University of Foreign Studies (S. Korea)	Tsinghua University (China)
Beloit College (Beloit, WI)	Harbin Institute of Technology (China)	University of British Columbia (Canada)
Bennington College (Bennington, VT)	Indiana University (Bloomington, IN)	University of California, Davis (Davis, CA)
Biola University (La Mirada, CA)	Jacobs University (Germany)	University of California, Irvine (Irvine, CA)
Brandeis University (Waltham, MA)	Korea University (S. Korea)	University of California, Los Angeles (Los Angeles, CA)
California College of the Arts (Oakland, CA)	Kyunghee University (S. Korea)	University of California, San Diego (San Diego, CA)
Calvin College (Grand Rapids, MI)	Northeastern University (Boston, MA)	University of Florida (Gainesville, FL)
Carnegie Mellon University (Pittsburgh, PA)	Peking University (China)	University of Hong Kong (Hong Kong)
Case Western Reserve University (Cleveland, OH)	Pepperdine University (Malibu, CA)	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (Champaign, IL)
Colby College (Waterville, ME)	Providence College (Providence, RI)	University of Melbourne (Australia)
College of Wooster (Wooster, OH)	Rhodes College (Memphis, TN)	University of Michigan (Ann Arbor, MI)
DePauw College (Greencastle, IN)	Ringling College of Art and Design (Sarasota, FL)	University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill (Chapel Hill, NC)
Dickinson College (Carlisle, PA)	School of Visual Arts (New York, NY)	University of Rochester (Rochester, NY)
Drexel University (Philadelphia, PA)	Shanghai Jiaotong University (China)	University of Southern California (Los Angeles, CA)
Duke Kunshan University (China)	Stanford University (Stanford, CA)	University of Washington (Seattle, WA)
Emory University (Druid Hills, GA)	State University of New York (SUNY), Korea (S. Korea)	University of Wisconsin, Madison (Madison, WI)
Fordham University (New York, NY)	Sungkyunkwan University (S. Korea)	Yonsei University (S. Korea)