# School Profile 2021-2022

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## OUR VISION

Maximising the potential of future world citizens

LICS was founded in 1993 as a non-profit “Private Company” with an ongoing concern. It was established for the purpose of operating an independent international school in Lusaka offering high-quality academic education leading towards accepted external courses for all students, irrespective of colour, sex, nationality, or religion.

## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

LICS shall provide an internationally recognised education to a culturally diverse, globally-minded student body in a caring and supportive learning environment.

Approximately 500 students are enrolled at LICS from Pre-Primary (age 1) through Year 13 (age 18) with over 35 different nationalities. In the Secondary school, there are 170 students and 27 professional educational staff.

## ACCREDITATION

LICS is a CIS (Council of International Schools) accredited International School, offering Pre-Primary, Primary, and Secondary curricula through to A Levels.

## SECONDARY SCHOOL CURRICULUM

All students in Year 10 and 11 follow the Cambridge IGCSE Curriculum. Then they pursue the International A Level for Year 12 and 13. At LICS, students are encouraged to complete the Cambridge International A Level programme.

## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

LICS students are required to pass the Cambridge IGCSE (or equivalent qualifications) and complete the A-Level Curriculum in order to meet the graduation requirements

## A LEVEL SUBJECT OFFERED FOR 2021-2022

English, Mathematics, History, Economics, Business, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, French, Physical Education, Art & Design

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Term 1: Aug-Oct Term 2: Oct-Dec Term 3: Jan-Apr Term 4: Apr-Jun School is in session from Monday through Friday from 7:25 a.m. to 2:40 p.m.

## CO-CURRICULAR PROGRAM

Education Outreach Programme (EOP)
The EOP programme aims to further students' life skills and extend their learnings from other subject areas. Meanwhile, it also enhances the students' social, communicative, analytical, and other life skills. Students in KS 4 and 5 are enabled to engage in Enrichment Programmes through theme-based projects and interaction with institutions and experts, as well as vulnerable community members. Each year, LICS students attended the Global Issues Service Summit to share their experiences and strategies in addressing global challenges.

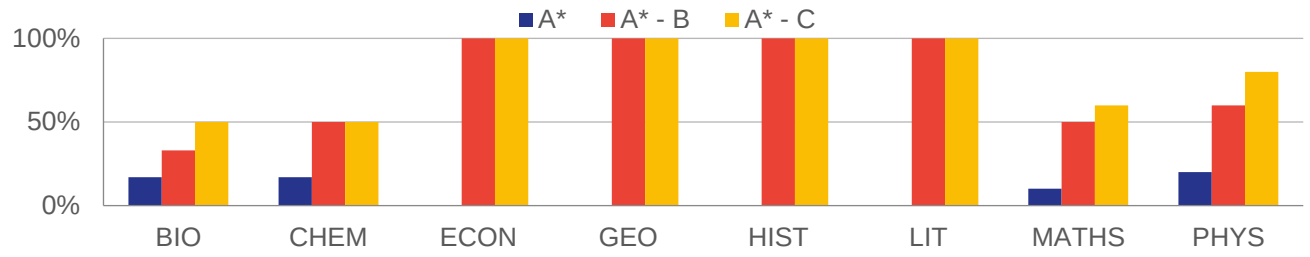
Arts Academy
LICS Arts Academy offers students a range of after-school activities in the creative and performing arts. We offer individual instruments such as piano, vocals, flute, violin, cello, guitar, ukulele, and drum kit. In terms of group activities, there are Ballet, Modern Dance, ZOCA, Yoga, Choir, Marimbas, Art Club, and LICS String Orchestra on offer. LICS Arts Academy also prepares and organises international accredited examinations from the London College of Music (LCME) Examinations for practical grades as well as Music Theory.

LICS Warriors
LICS students participate competitively in Hockey, Football, Netball, and Basketball while exposing themselves to Rugby and Cricket on a non-competitive level. Students are provided with the opportunity to participate in two local inter-school leagues namely, the Independent Schools Association of Zambia (ISAZ) and Lusaka International Schools League (LISL). LICS sports teams tour South Africa annually to compete against top South African Schools. Senior teams in the Secondary School are taken on overseas tours every two years

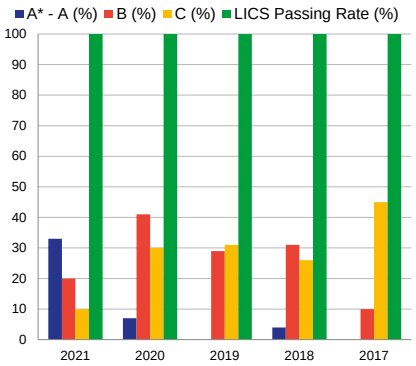
## LICS GRADING SCHEME

All grades in the Cambridge International A Level are reported on a grade scale from A* (highest) to E (minimum required performance). Each subject is graded separately and no Grade Point Average is calculated. LICS does not rank students.

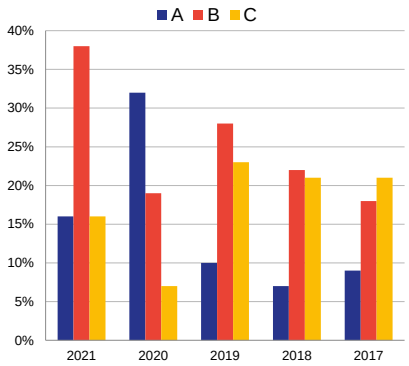
## GRADE DISTRIBUTION (CLASS OF 2021) CANDIDATES 11 TOTAL ENTRIES 33



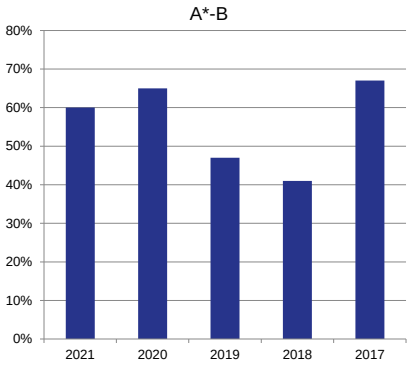

### Percentage Distribution of A Level




### Percentage Distribution of AS




### Percentage Distribution of IGCSE



## HIGHLIGHTS OF THE CLASS OF 2021

At LICS, we recognise our learners with their different learning abilities. We support and guide our students throughout their learning journeys to meet individual academic and personal goals. We value their achievements and encourage continuing progress.



11 Students



100% Grad. Rate



52 College Applications




44 Offers




USD 21,400 Avg. per Offer

## Recent Acceptances and Matriculations

Although this data only shows three years of university acceptances and matriculations, most LICS graduates have continued studying at higher education institutions in the UK, Canada, South Africa, The USA, Australia, Zambia, and European countries in the past seven years. A few students have taken a gap year for internship opportunities before attending universities/colleges.

The Class of 2021 studying at colleges/universities has been placed in bold.

*Australia*



Curtin University
Edith Cowan University

*Botswana*



**University of Botswana**

*Canada*



Brock University
York University
**University of British Columbia**

*The United Kingdom*



Birkbeck, University of London
Birmingham City University
Bristol, University of West England
Buckinghamshire New University
Cardiff, University
De MonCort University
Loughborough University
Manchester Metropolitan University
Medway School of Pharmacy
Middlesex University
University of Bradford
University of Brighton
University of Bristol
University of Central Lancashire
University of East Anglia
University of East London
University of Leeds
University of Leicester
**University of Nottingham**
University of Portsmouth
University of Reading
University of Surrey
**University of Sheffield**
University of West London
University of Wolverhampton
Royal Holloway University

*The United States*



**Beloit College *2**
Creighton University
Elon College
Kean University
Knox University
**Liberty College**
Howard University
Savannah College of Art and Design
State University of New York, Buffalo
University of Massachusetts, Boston
University of New Hampshire
University of Vermont
York College

*Zambia*



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