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ACCREDITATIONS



ABOUT CCB



Colegio Colombo Británico is a private, co-educational, bilingual school founded in 1956 in Cali, Colombia. The school serves **1,260 students** from Early Years through Grade 12 and offers the full International Baccalaureate continuum: Primary Years Programme (PYP), Middle Years Programme (MYP), Diploma Programme (DP), and Career-related Programme (CP).



Instruction is delivered primarily in English and Spanish, with additional language opportunities in French and other international programmes.



60% of graduates pursue higher education abroad, while the rest attend highly selective universities in Colombia.

FACULTY



Total Number
of teachers

235



Teacher-Student
Ratio

1:5

HOUSE SYSTEM

Deeply rooted in British tradition, Colegio Colombo Británico’s dynamic House system fosters a strong sense of community, leadership, and healthy competition across all grade levels. Throughout the academic year, students and faculty participate in a wide array of sporting, academic, and cultural events. As a cornerstone of student life, this system inspires teamwork, vibrant school spirit, and lifelong character development.



SECONDARY SCHOOL

The Secondary School includes **561 students**, in Grades 6–12. **Academic & Student Support Services** include programmes in:

- wellbeing
- learning support
- safeguarding
- university counselling
- international exchange opportunities

ACADEMIC CALENDAR



CCB operates on a three-trimester academic calendar from August to June. Secondary students follow a rotating six-day schedule with six instructional periods per day.

CURRICULUM & ACADEMIC PROGRAMME

CCB integrates the Colombian national curriculum with the International Baccalaureate framework across all grade levels.



Middle Years Programme

Students in Grades 6–10 complete the IB MYP, including interdisciplinary learning, community engagement, and the Personal Project.

In Grades 11–12, students pursue either:



Programa del Diploma

The IBDP, completing six IB subjects alongside Theory of Knowledge (TOK), the Extended Essay (EE), and Creativity, Activity, Service (CAS).



Career-related Programme

The IBCP, combining IB coursework with specialised Career-related Studies in partnership with local universities.

Advanced coursework opportunities include IB Higher Level subjects, AP examinations, and Virtual High School (VHS) online courses.



IBDP



IBCP

The Class of 2026 represents the inaugural graduating cohort of the IBCP programme.

LEADERSHIP & SCHOOL GOVERNMENT



Student leadership opportunities include: Student Council, House Captains, Prefects, Head Boy & Head Girl, NHS, Personero, and Round Square Student Committee.

GRADING SYSTEM



CCB uses the International Baccalaureate 1–7 grading scale, with 7.0 representing the highest level of achievement and 4.0 as the minimum passing grade. CCB does not rank students and does not calculate GPA using a credit system; instead, annual unweighted averages are reported.

COLEGIO COLOMBO BRITÁNICO				USA
ACADEMIC AVERAGE	IB GRADE	COLOMBIA		GRADE
7.0	7	SUPERIOR	4.6-5.0	A+
6.0-6.9	6			A / A-
5.0-5.9	5	HIGH	3.8-4.5	B+/B/B-
4.0-4.9	4	BASIC	3.0-3.7	C / C+
3.0-3.9	3	LOW	1.0-2.9	D
2.0-2.9	2			F
1.0-1.9	1			

CCB COMPARED WITH OTHER EDUCATIONAL SYSTEMS

AGE	CCB			US HIGH SCHOOL	UK	
14-15	MYP	SECONDARY SCHOOL	Grade 9	9th Grade	4	Year 10
15-16			Grade 10	10th Grade		Year 11
16-17	IBDP/ IBCP		Grade 11	11th Grade	5	Year 12
17-18			Grade 12	12th Grade		Year 13

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS



To graduate, students must successfully complete all required coursework, fulfill Colombian national graduation requirements, and complete all IBDP or IBCP core components as applicable. Students must also demonstrate English proficiency through standardised tests like MAP (minimum score 219 in writing and 220 in reading) or TOEFL iBT (minimum score 80 or new test 4.5).

COURSE OFFERING

IB DIPLOMA & CAREER-RELATED PROGRAMMES

GROUPS & SUBJECT AREAS	SUBJECTS	MYP	IBDP HL	IBDP SL	IBCP
Group 1 Language & Literature	Spanish				
	English	X			
	English A Language & Literature		X	X	X
	Spanish A Language & Literature		X	X	X
Group 2 Language Acquisition	French	X			
	English B		X		X
	Spanish B		X	X	X
	French B			X	X
	Choose a different third language at University				X
Group 3 Individuals & Societies	Integrated Humanities	X			
	Business Management		X	X	
	Economics		X	X	
	Global Politics		X	X	
	History		X	X	
	Philosophy		X	X	
	Psychology		X	X	
	Environmental Systems & Societies		X	X	
	Career-related Studies in Business, Finance and Economics				X*
Group 4 Sciences	Biology	X	X	X	
	Chemistry	X	X	X	
	Physics	X	X	X	
	Design (Product Design / Digital Design)	X	X	X	
	Computer Science	X	X	X	
	Design Technology		X	X	
	Environmental Systems & Societies		X	X	
	Career-related Studies in Medicine and Engineering				X**
Group 5 Mathematics	Standard and Extended Mathematics	X			
	Mathematics Analysis & Approaches		X	X	
	Mathematics Applications & Interpretation			X	
Group 6 Arts	Music	X	X	X	
	Visual Arts	X	X	X	
	Drama	X			
IB Core Areas	Personal Project	X			
	Theory of Knowledge		X		
	Extended Essay		X		
	Creativity, Activity & Service (CAS)		X		
	Reflective Project				X
	Language & Cultural Studies				X
	Personal & Professional Skills				X
	Community Engagement				X
Physical & Health Education	Physical & Health Education and Sports	X	X		
Religion & PSE	Religious Education	X			
	Ethics embedded in IB Programme	X	X		

*Offered by Universidad Javeriana-Cali and Universidad ICESI in the Faculty of Business Administration
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ELECTIVES FOR GRADES 9-10

Students in Grades 9-10 can take two different electives per year. Electives offered are: Entrepreneurship & Finance, Visual Arts, Drama, Music, Band, Digital Design, Product Design, Computer Science, Creative Writing, French and a wide range of Virtual High School accredited courses, including 24 online Advanced Placement (AP) courses.

STUDENT LIFE & GLOBAL ENGAGEMENT



UNIVERSITY OUTCOME

CCB students participate in a wide range of leadership, athletics, arts, service, and international engagement opportunities including Model United Nations, Round Square exchange programmes and conferences, Latin American Heads Conference (LAHC), environmental initiatives, performing arts, community service, competitive sports, and academic enrichment programmes worldwide.

CCB UNIVERSITY & CAREER COUNSELLING

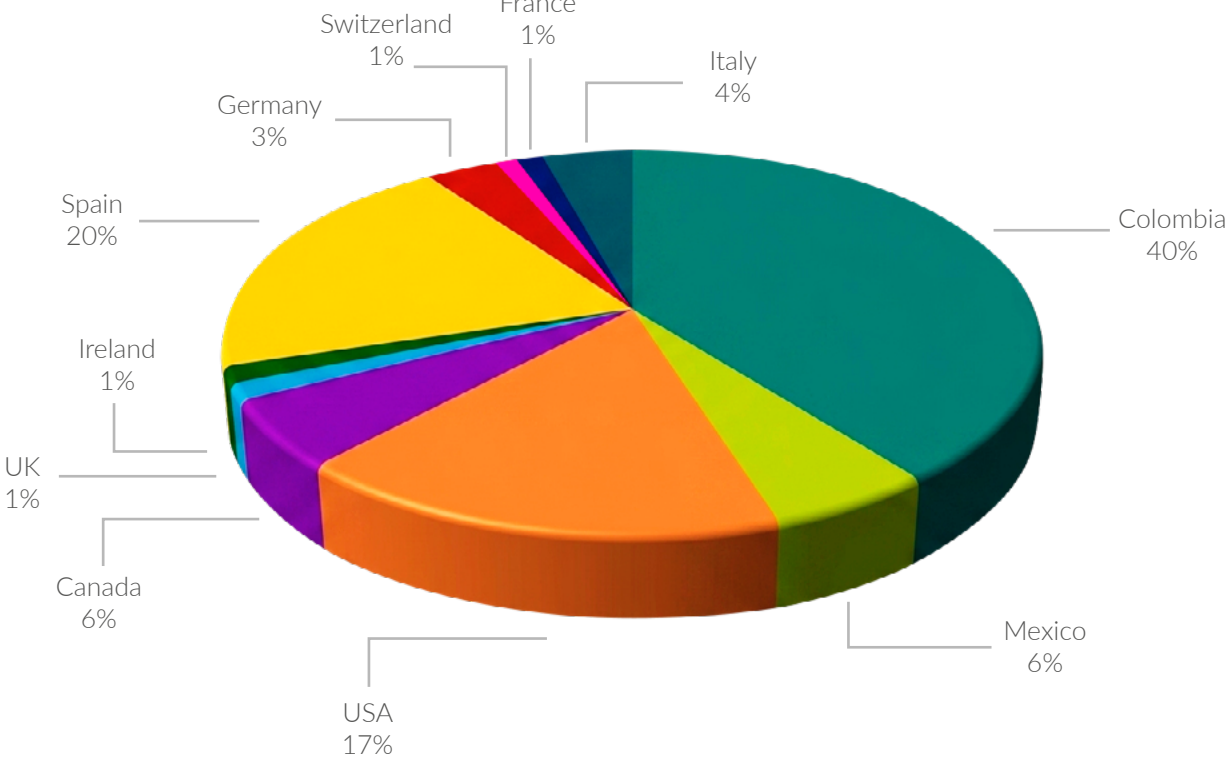
The CCB University and Career Counselling Office supports students throughout the university application process, including academic planning, university selection, application guidance, and scholarship advising for institutions worldwide.

UNIVERSITY MATRICULATION



With a total of 73 students, 60% of graduates will pursue higher education abroad and 40% will stay in Colombia.

Destinations Chosen by the Class of 2026



The class of 2026 was offered US\$6.3M in scholarships

UNIVERSITIES THAT OFFERED ADMISSION TO CCB CLASS OF 2026

ADELPHI UNIVERSITY	ISTITUTO MARANGONI	UNIVERSIDAD DE LA SABANA
ALLEGHENY COLLEGE	KARLSRUHE INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	UNIVERSIDAD DE LOS ANDES
AMERICAN UNIVERSITY	KENT UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD DE NAVARRA
AMERICAN MUSIC AND DRAMATIC ACADEMY AMDA	KING'S COLLEGE LONDON	UNIVERSIDAD DE SAN BUENAVENTURA
AMHERST COLLEGE	KINGSTON UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD DEL ROSARIO
ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY	LAKE FOREST UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD EUROPEA DE MADRID
BARD COLLEGE	LYNN UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD FRANCISCO DE VITTORIA
BENTLEY UNIVERSITY	MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD ICESI
BOSTON COLLEGE	MONASH UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSIDAD JAVERIANA BOGOTÁ
BRUNEL UNIVERSITY OF LONDON	NEW YORK INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	UNIVERSIDAD JAVERIANA CALI
CARNEGIE MELLON	PACE UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON UCL
CENTRAL EUROPEAN UNIVERSITY	PENN STATE	UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA
CITY SAINT GEORGE'S	PURDUE UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM
CLAREMONT MCKENNA COLLEGE	RENSSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE	UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
COLEGIO DE ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES DE ADMINISTRACIÓN - CESA	RUTGERS UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA
COLLEGE OF WILLIAM AND MARY	RICE UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO-Boulder
CONSTRUCTOR UNIVERSITY	SAVANNAH COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN - SCAD	UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH
EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY	SCIENCES PO	UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS-AMHERST
EMERSON COLLEGE	SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE OF CHICAGO	UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS-BOSTON
ESADE	SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY	UNIVERSITY OF MELBOURNE
FASHION INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	INSTITUTO TECNOLÓGICO Y DE ESTUDIOS SUPERIORES DE MONTERREY - TEC	UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA TWIN CITIES
FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY	TEXAS A&M	UNIVERSITY OF NEW SOUTHERN WALES
FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY	THE NEW SCHOOL - PARSONS	UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME
GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY	TOULOUSE BUSINESS SCHOOL	UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD
WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY ST LOUIS	TRINITY COLLEGE-DUBLIN	UNIVERSITY OF SYDNEY
GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY	TU DELFT	UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO
GLION INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION	TU EINDHOVEN	UNIVERSITY OF WARWICK
HULT INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS SCHOOL LONDON	UDIT	UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN - MADISON
IE UNIVERSITY	UNIÉ	VIRGINIA TECH
INDIANA UNIVERSITY BLOOMINGTON	UNIVERSIDAD CEU CARDENAL HERRERA	VRIJE UNIVERSITEIT
ISTITUTO EUROPEO DI DESIGN	UNIVERSIDAD CEU SAN PABLO	WORCESTER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE