



# SCHOOL PROFILE 2022-2023



New Cambridge School (NCS) is a co-ed, pre-K-to-12 private school located in Floridablanca, Colombia. Founded in 1968, the school offers a bilingual education and it is in its second year of implementation of the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program. Our mission is to educate internationally minded individuals who achieve excellence and transform communities. Our core values are Trust, Responsibility, Reflection, Innovation, and Social and intellectual commitment.



# 1222

## Students

from Colombia, Venezuela, Brazil, Chile, and Holland, among others

## LANGUAGES OF INSTRUCTION



## SCHOOL YEAR

From August to June (Calendar B)



## SCHOOL CURRICULUM

The NCS curriculum fulfills the requirements of the Colombian national curriculum and the International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Program. Historically, the school has been a Cambridge International School. However, in August, the school will begin the adoption of the full IB continuum. The Class of 2023 will be the first group to graduate with the IB diploma; 94% of students are participating in the program. In future classes, 100% of the students will participate in the IB diploma program. Students will therefore graduate with three diplomas: a Colombian diploma, an IB diploma, and a U.S. diploma through the school's international accreditation with Cognia.



## IB DIPLOMA PROGRAM COURSE

### STANDARD LEVEL

- Global Politics
- Environmental systems and societies
- Mathematics: analysis and approaches

### HIGHER LEVEL

- Language A: Language and Literature (Spanish)
- Language B (English)
- Biology



## GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

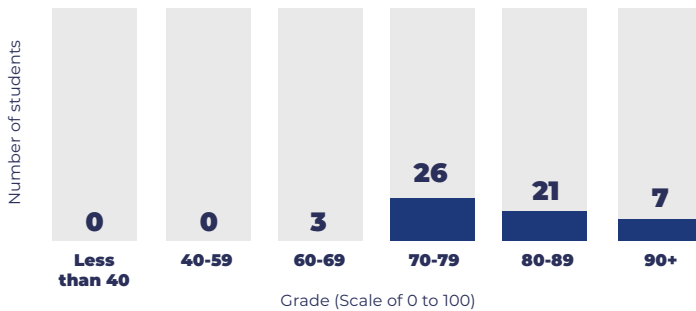
- ✓ Pass all academic subjects, with a minimum grade of **60 over 100**
- ✓ Obtain a minimum qualification of **B2** on the approved **English proficiency exam**
- ✓ **80 HOURS** of community service
- ✓ Take the national high school exit exam, **Saber 11**
- ✓ Have a **clean record** according to school rules and regulations

# GRADING AND RANKING

At NCS, the student's average is presented using the 0-100 grading scale. All classes are weighted equally, except for Physical Education, which is currently an ungraded class.

MEN (National)	NCS	IBDP	IGCSE/A-LEVELS
Nivel Superior	90-100	7	A+
Nivel Alto	80-89	6	A
Nivel Básico	70-79	5	B
	60-69	4	C
Nivel Bajo	40-59	3	E
	20-39	2	F
	0-19	1	G-U

## THERE WERE 57 GRADUATES IN THE CLASS OF 2023



## TEST SCORE INFORMATION PRUEBA SABER

Saber 11 is the national high school exit exam given to all graduating students in Colombia. It is marked over a total of 500 points and is a requirement for admission to Colombian universities. For the past five years, NCS has ranked as one of the top schools in Colombia

Year	TBD	TBD	TBD	Overall Score	Total Students
2022	TBD	TBD	TBD	371	56 Total Students
2021	1	1	1	395	50 Total Students
2020	2	2	2	388	54 Total Students
2019	2	1	1	397	51 Total Students
2018	2	2	2	400	47 Total Students

- Nation
- State
- City
- Overall Score

# IELTS RESULTS

Class Year	Overall	CEFR Equivalent	Test Type
2017	6.67	B2+	Academic training module
2018	6.93	C1	Academic training module
2019	6.80	C1	Academic training module
2020	-	-	No exams offered
2021	7.04	C1	Academic training module
2021	6.93	C1	Academic training module

## EXTRACURRICULARS AND OTHER SPECIAL PROGRAMS

### MUSIC AND ARTS

- Electric Guitar
- Bass
- Drums
- Basic Piano
- Advanced Piano
- Violin
- Violoncello
- Acoustic Guitar
- Vocal Technique and Choir
- Ballet
- Musical Theater
- Manga Drawing Workshop

### SPORTS

- Inline Skating
- Taekwon-Do
- Artistic Gymnastics
- Soccer
- Mini Tennis
- Swimming
- BMX
- Basketball
- Volleyball
- Athletics
- Chess
- Play Gym

### TECHNOLOGY

- Robotics
- Digital Photography

## COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITIES THAT HAVE ACCEPTED OUR STUDENTS 2018 -2022 ACTUAL MATRICULATIONS APPEAR IN GREEN

### COLOMBIA

- Bogotá**
- Colegio de Estudios Superiores de Administración (CESA)
  - Pontificia Universidad Javeriana
  - Universidad Antonio Nariño
  - Universidad de los Andes
  - Universidad del Rosario
  - Universidad de La Sabana
  - Universidad El Bosque
  - Universidad Externado de Colombia
  - Universidad Nacional de Colombia
  - Universidad Santo Tomás
- Bucaramanga**
- Universidad Autónoma de Bucaramanga
  - Universidad Industrial de Santander
  - Universidad de Santander
- Medellín**
- Universidad CES
  - Universidad de Antioquia
  - Universidad Pontificia Bolivariana

### INTERNATIONAL

- Chile**
- Universidad Católica de Chile
- Italy**
- Bocconi University
- Spain**
- Universidad Politécnica de Madrid
  - IE University
- UK**
- University of Manchester
- USA**
- ADF Airways Miami Flight School
  - Full Sail University
  - Ringling College of Art + Design
  - University of Rio Grande
- Canada**
- University Canada West
- Germany**
- Technische Universität München