About RDFZ

The High School Affiliated to Renmin University of China, abbreviated to Renda Fuzhong (RDFZ), was founded in 1940 and is now one of China’s top high schools.

There are over 4500 students in the heavily oversubscribed [main school](http://www.rdfz.cn/).

Most of these students, achieving a high score on the National University Entrance Exam (Gaokao), enter the best Chinese universities.

The campus is located in the Haidian district of Beijing in China.

About ICC

The International Curriculum Center (ICC) was founded in 2004 with the goal of educating those Chinese students who wish to receive a university education abroad.

There are three programs in the three-year ICC course system: [General Certificate of Education Advanced Level (AL)](http://localhost/academics/a_level.html), [Advanced Placement Program (AP)](http://localhost/academics/advanced_placement.html), and [International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme (IBDP)](http://localhost/academics/international_baccalaureate.html).

The foundation courses required for all the student are PE, Mandarin, art, music, Chinese history, political science, speech, and research.

Currently, there are 800 students — ~400 for AL, ~250 for AP and ~120 for IB — in the ICC, and the following courses are available for students' choice:

• AL: biology, chemistry, physics, applied ICT, mathematics, further mathematics, business studies, and economics.

• IB: Chinese Literature, Business, Environmental Science, Psychology, Chemistry, Physics, Computer Science, Music, Art, Math, Economics, French, Spanish, English, Theory of Knowledge, EE, CAS.

• AP: Advanced English, AP World Culture, AP Language and Composition, AP Literature and Composition, AP Calculus AB & BC, AP Statistics, AP Physics I & II, AP Physics CM & CEM, AP Biology, AP Microeconomics & Macroeconomics, AP Chemistry, AP Environmental Science, AP Psychology.

There are approximately 50 expatriate teachers and 40 Chinese teachers within the ICC.

After a rigorous High School Entrance Exam (Zhongkao) and our own exam, students entering ICC are highly motivated and action orientated.

For the past several years, they have achieved awards in international competitions and exhibitions, including art, dance, debate, drama, math, science, robotics, and sports.

With the English-only classes, all the teachers can help the students with their English speaking skills.

About the Schedule

Students attend scheduled classes, rotating through nine periods a day.

There are 5 science labs, an ICT lab, library and use of several auditoriums and conference facilities.

The average size of a required courses are 18-38, and 8-21 for selective courses, but smaller for English language lessons.

There are 45 lessons a week, each lasts for 40 minutes and followed by a 5-minute break.

The school time begins at 7:40 and ends at 16:35.

Following the Chinese calendar for holidays, we have a week for National Holiday, 4 weeks for Chinese New Year, and also the full day break for Tomb Sweeping, Dragon Boat and May Day.

In addition, we also take the break on Christmas and Western New Year.

Sometimes we have class on a Saturday or Sunday to enable taking several days off together.

About Activities

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With the English-only classes, all the teachers can help the students with their English speaking skills.

Teachers have their own classroom, and students will attend these classes as scheduled.

There are 5 science labs, an ICT lab, library and use of several auditoriums and conference facilities.

The average size of a class is about 30, but smaller for English language lessons.

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