US University Application



A STAR INTERNATIONAL EDUCATION ADVISORY

A-STAR INTERNATIONAL TUTORING A-STAR INTERNATIONAL CONSULTING SERVICES

ABOUT US

A-Star International Tutoring Limited

has been a learning centre par excellence with a unique blend of innovation and support for students in their learning journey.

Since its inception in 2012, A-Star has striven to offer the best learning experience to its students to realise their academic goals. The learning centre has been able to achieve this by providing services to students across all schools in Hong Kong irrespective of the curriculum. Students from local schools, international schools, boarding schools and also home-schooled students and students opting to take International Advanced Levels (IAL) as private candidates have found learning support from our qualified and experienced teachers.

A highly experienced team of teachers support and prepare students for I/GCSE (Pearson and Cambridge), IAL, IBDP and MYP and University admissions including S/SAT, TOEFL, IELTS and Pearson Academic.

The learning centre has also provided a lot of support to students during the difficult academic years of 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 to ensure that students remain on top of their course work. A-Star is proud that all its students were accepted by senior high schools and universities. Additionally, the learning centre communicated with students' universities / boarding schools in the UK to accept reference letters and predicted grades offered by private learning centres like A-Star's in view of the cancellation of exams by the Examination Boards such as Pearson, Cambridge and IB due to Covid-19 pandemic.

The brand's IB-certified teachers developed unique methodologies to teach IBDP subject Theory of Knowledge both in English and Chinese to support its students besides assisting them with Extended Essays and internal assessment exams of different subjects. Teaching is done on a 1:1 basis focussing complete attention on the academic success of the students. A-Star is proud to make valuable contributions to students, many of which join their learning centre in middle school and then continue till they join senior high school in the UK or move on to the university.

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Founder





ACADEMIC COURSES

Our students will follow their own personal school program and work one-to-one with their tutor. Following your child learning progress, our program is adjusted to meet their exact needs at all times after discussing with their parent. We give homework and follow up with their parents after class. Our methodology guarantees more confidence and motivation or your child

IBDP

- Mathematics (HL/SL/SSL)
- Physics (HL/SL)
- Chemistry (HL/SL)
- Biology (HL/SL)
- Spanish (HL/SL)

- Chinese B (HL/SL)
- Economics (HL/SL)
- Psychology (HL/SL)
- Business Management (HL/SL)

IGCSE

- Mathematics
- Additional Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology
- Spanish

- Chinese
- English Language
- Economics
- Psychology
- Business Studies

IAL/GCE A-level (OCR, AQA, Edexcel, CIE)

- Mathematics
- Further Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry

- Biology
- Economics
- Psychology
- Business Studies

SAT/AP

- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology
- SSAT Elementary
- SSAT Middle_Upper
- English Language

LANGUAGE

- Mandarin Chinese
- Spanish
- French
- English Language

HKDSE

- English Language
- Mathematics
- Physics
- Chemistry
- Biology

OTHERS

- On-line Tuition
- Olympiad training (Maths/Science)
- IELTS/STEP/LNAT examination preparation
- Chemistry University Level
- Law University level
- Mathematics University level

TESTIMONIAL

"Ching told me her maths IA has level 7. She got offer from Manchester University. Please let Charlie know and thanks for him. By the way, Raymond helped her a lot and got the best grade she ever has." 2020"

"Linus got a 6 for his IBDP Mathematics. Please let Charlie know and thanks" 2020

"Charlie, thank you so much for your help. I got offer from University of London"

Jessica 2020

"My law exam was a lot better and please send my thanks to Ruchira for her help please" 2020 Thomas

"He got A* at the IGCSE Mandarin Chinese. He is very happy. Thank you Ms. Wong" mother of Melchior 2020

"Christina and I got 6 in Chinese: Thank you; Ms. Wong!" 2020

"Gareth will go to UEA. He got 7/7 in Chinese. Thanks a lot!" 2020

"hi Ms. Tsang, just realised I didn't tell you that Yu Xin is going to University of Toronto. He got 7 for Physics and Chemistry. Thanks to you and Raymond" CDNIS parent.

2020-2021 IBDP Congratulation

Subject	Name	School	Result	Subject	Name	School	Result
Chinese B SL	Sonia	West Island	7	Economics SL & IA	Jason	Island School	6/7
Chinese B SL	Julian	Island School	7	Economics HL & IA	Emily	South Island	7/7
Chinese B HL	Andrew	South Island	6	Economics HL & IA	KY Chan	Canadian International	7/7
Chinese B HL	Sophia	ISF	7	Psychology SL & IA	Amber	Shatin College	6/6
Biology HL & EE	Sonia	West Island	6/A	Psychology HL & IA	Jan	GSIS	7/7
Biology HL & IA	Sophia	Yew Chung	7/7	Psychology SL & IA	Sean	FIS	6/6
Biology SL & IA	Alexandra	ISF	7/7	Mathematics AISL & IA	Sonia	Island School	7/7
Biology SL & IA	Beatrice	VSC	7/7	Mathematics AASL & IA	Clarence	VSC	7/7
Biology HL & IA	Sato	Renaissance College	7/7	Mathematics AIHL & IA	Yat	Cheltenham	6/7
Chemistry HL & IA	Chole	Island School	7/7	Mathematics AAHL & IA	Jan	Warwick High School	6/7
Chemistry HL & IA	Ravi	KGV	7/7	Mathematics AISL & IA	Tracy	Charterhouse	7/7
Chemistry SL & IA	Alison	Island School	6/7	Mathematics AASL & IA	Ray	King's College	7/7
Chemistry SL & IA	Edison	SIS	7/7	Mathematics AASL & IA	Kim	Wellington	6/7
Chemistry SL & IA	Jasmine	CanadianInternational	6/7	Mathematics AISL & IA	Ken	South Island	6/7
Physics HL & IA	Josh	West Island	7/7	History SL & IA	Saahi	West Island	6/7
Physics HL & IA	Ruth	Shatin College	6/7	History HL & IA	Rebecca	Shatin College	6/7
Physics SL & IA	Sarah	GSIS	7/7	English Lang A SL & IA	TC Chan	South Island	7/7
Physics SL & IA	Jeremy	FIS	6/6	English Lang A SL	Rock	Island School	6/7

2020-2021 Final University

Subject	Name	School	University	Subject	Name	School	University
Chinese B SL	Sonia	West Island	St. Andrew	Economics SL & IA	Jason	Island School	LSE
Chinese B SL	Julian	Island School	KCL	Economics HL & IA	Emily	South Island	LSE
Chinese B HL	Andrew	South Island	Exeter	Economics HL & IA	KY Chan	Canadian International	Imperial
Chinese B HL	Sophia	ISF	Bristol	Psychology SL & IA	Amber	Shatin College	Warwick
Biology HL & EE	Sonia	West Island	St. Andrew	Psychology HL & IA	Jan	GSIS	Manchester
Biology HL & IA	Sophia	Yew Chung	Britsol	Psychology SL & IA	Sean	FIS	UOT
Biology SL & IA	Alexandra	ISF	Imperial	Mathematics AISL & IA	Sonia	Island School	St. Andrew
Biology SL & IA	Beatrice	VSC	Manchester	Mathematics AASL & IA	Clarence	VSC	U. Sydney
Biology HL & IA	Sato	Renaissance College	Cardiff	Mathematics AIHL & IA	Yat	Cheltenham	KCL
Chemistry HL & IA	Chole	Island School	Warwick	Mathematics AAHL & IA	Jan	Warwick High School	Warwick
Chemistry HL & IA	Ravi	KGV	Lancaster	Mathematics AISL & IA	Tracy	Charterhouse	Cambridge
Chemistry SL & IA	Alison	Island School	UBC	Mathematics AASL & IA	Ray	King's College	KCL
Chemistry SL & IA	Edison	SIS	Bristol	Mathematics AASL & IA	Kim	Wellington	Cambridge
Chemistry SL & IA	Jasmine	CanadianInternational	UOT	Mathematics AISL & IA	Ken	South Island	Bristol
Physics HL & IA	Josh	West Island	UOT	History SL & IA	Saahi	West Island	Manchester
Physics HL & IA	Ruth	Shatin College	UCL	History HL & IA	Rebecca	Shatin College	Warwick
Physics SL & IA	Sarah	GSIS	UCLA	English Lang A SL & IA	TC Chan	South Island	UBC
Physics SL & IA	Jeremy	FIS	UBC	English Lang A SL	Rock	Island School	Exeter

CONSULTING SERVICE

TEEN LIFE COACHING

- Profile building
- Improve Weakness
- Maximize Strengths
- Application Strategy
- Standardized Tests Plan
- Communication with School
- Interview Coaching

GUARDIANSHIP

- Flight Reservation Assist
- School Visit
- Airport Transfer
- Emergency Support

University/Subject selection Examination Preparation Personal Statement review

(UK/US UNIVERSITY CONSULTING)

Planning & Development

Application Strategy

- Interview Coaching
- Communication with School
- School Visits
- UCAS registration



OTHERS

ADMISSION

- Pocket Wifi
- Summer Camp
- Home School support
- Personality/Career test**
- Music Therapy Services referral
- Psychology Services referral

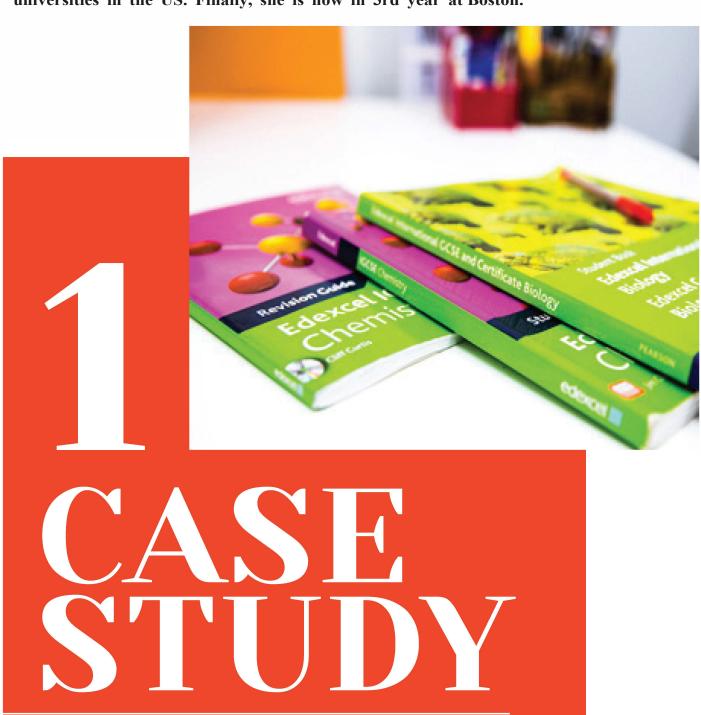
** Personality/Career test =>by appointment

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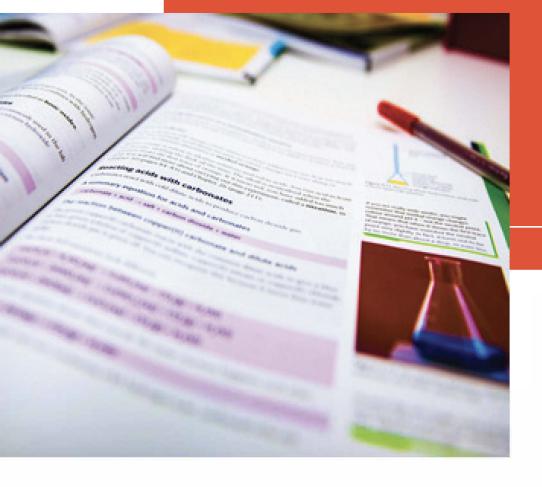




Jenny was a Year 9 student in a local school in Hong Kong. Always a bright student, her grades suddenly started falling. Concerned, her mother contacted A Star for advice and counselling. Many discussions later, our consultants advised that Jenny needed more challenging studies which would keep her mentally engaged. She was transferred to an international school under the IB curriculum where Jenny discovered her interest to pursue higher education in Economics in Boston University. Our consultants advised her to build her Personal Branding by participating in extracurricular activities and community services. She was elected as her School Captain and joined various charity groups in school as well as out-of-school during summer breaks. She built up her CV in consultation with our experts and applied to various universities in the US. Finally, she is now in 3rd year at Boston.



CASE STUDY



A Star International boasts a strong team of consultants to advice on all gamut of international admissions, its processes and preparation so that the students are able to actualize their dreams and aspirations. A student (name withheld on request) came to us at the last stage of his application process. He was applying to a US university for Liberal Studies. He was struggling to prepare his CV and enhance his personal statement. Our consultants interviewed him and did a SWOT analysis which then reflected both in his CV and personal essay. He was successful in getting admission in the university of his choice.



HIGHER EDUCATION DESTINATION OF OUR STUDENT

- Cardiff University
- Durham University
- Imperial College London
- Keele University
- King's College
- Lancaster University
- London School of Economics

- Newcastle University
- Oxford Brook's University
- Tsinghua University
- University of Bath
- University of Bristol
- University of British Columbia
- University of Cambridge
- University of Wisconsin

- University of Exeter
- University of Leed
- University of London
- University of Southampton
- University of St Andrews
- University of Warwick
- Brown University
- Stanford University

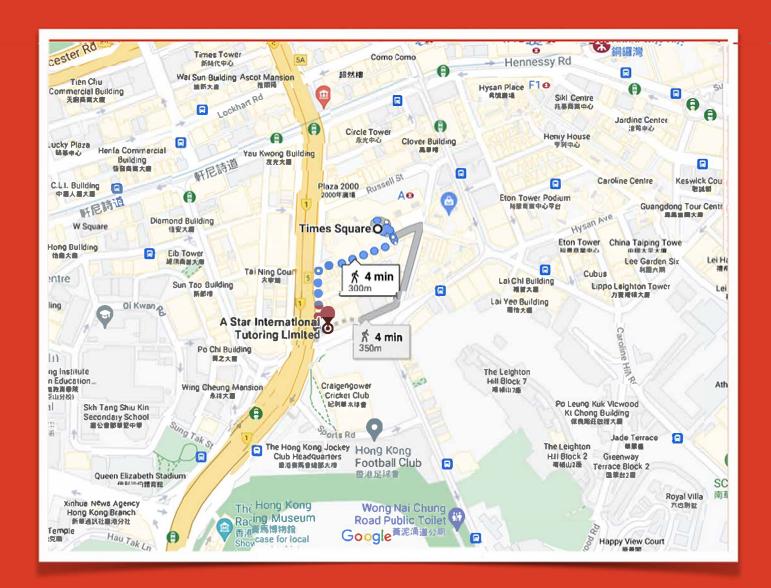


OUR STUDENTS COME FROM

- Canadian International School
- Charterhouse
- Chinese International School
- Delia School of Canada
- Harrow International School
- HKUGA
- International College School
- Island School
- Kellett School
- King George V

- Methodist School
- Singapore International School
- Sir Ellis Kadoorie Secondary School
- South Island School
- St. Paul College
- St. Paul Convent
- Tonbridge
- True Light Middle school
- West Island School
- Yew Chung International School

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