

PROFILE

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THE SCHOOL

The “Albert-Einstein-Schule (AES), Gymnasium des Main-Taunus-Kreises”, is a public school founded in 1967.

It is the biggest public High School in the Main-Taunus-Kreis district which is part of the state of Hesse. The district is located just 10 miles from Frankfurt/Main (the largest financial center of central Europe) and influenced by the international socioeconomic and ethnic mix with high an education level among the population. AES enjoys an established reputation as belonging to the most excellent schools.

GRADUATIONS

AES specializes in four academic areas: Foreign Languages, Fine Arts, Natural & Social Sciences and Mathematics. AES is a MINT-EC school (**M**aths, **I**nformation Technology, **N**atural Sciences and **T**echnology-**E**xcellence **C**enter), part of a Germany-wide initiative to promote science. Gymnasium is the highest level of Secondary School offering strongest academic environment from grades 5 to 13.

On average, 99.5% of the graduates earn the Abitur (German university-entrance diploma) and 0.5% the Fachabitur (vocational diploma). In addition to the Abitur, AES is one of 7 schools in the state of Hesse and one of nearly 70 schools in Germany that is certified to offer the graduates to earn the French Baccalaureat (French university-entrance diploma) according to the French regulations based on the exchange cooperation program with the French administration. Since 2018, bilingual degrees are offered to all students.

MISSION

AES is dedicated to the academic, physical, spiritual and emotional growth of boys and girls as they prepare for college and life. The school seeks to inspire and motivate them to strive for excellence in learning based on knowledge and skills for efficient appliance

in practice as well as to act responsibly in personal, family, and community relationships and demonstrate concern for a democratic society and the environment.

FACILITIES

Campus facilities encompass three modern academic buildings including two libraries, individual music and art classrooms, a theatre, an extraordinarily equipped laboratory, a genetic laboratory, a vivarium, a dining hall and a cafeteria. A separate gym building, an outdoor sport & activity area, a recreation area and a school garden for organic food cultivation and biological experiments are available.

EXCHANGES

Current Student/Faculty exchanges include: Knowle, Solihull, (England); Avrillé School Richelieu, RUEIL-MALMAISON, (France); Olkusz, (Poland), Loudoun County, Virginia and Franklin, Tennessee (USA)

FACULTY

Of the 130 teachers, 100 % hold advanced degrees including 9 doctorates. The ratio of students to teachers is 20:1. Student population for the 13th grade is 155. Students apply from the surrounding areas of Schwalbach am Taunus after qualifying for Gymnasium, receiving a letter of recommendation, and conducting interviews. Only the top students at the surrounding area Grammar Schools apply to AES.

ACADEMIC POLICY / CORE PROGRAM

The academic curriculum is in line with or exceeds the state requirements for Abitur. Students select two advanced courses and a minimum number of basic courses out of a defined combination choice by covering all academic fields (Maths/Science/Language/Literary/Artwork, Economic Sciences/Social Sciences).

The Abitur graduation consists of the successful part qualification of the advanced courses in 4 semesters + the part qualification of the basic courses in 4 semesters + the part qualification of the five Abitur examinations (in the two advanced courses and 3 basic courses).

The academic standard is in line or exceeds the requirements for the Abitur (the highest German Secondary School Diploma equivalent to first year College level).

Grades are given from 1 to 6 in 5th - 10th grade. 1 is the highest and 6 the lowest. In grades 10-13, grades are given from 15 to 0, 15 being the highest score.

Students are not ranked.

ABITUR CURRICULUM

M designates possible Major fields of study

Subject / Grade	9th	10th	11th	12th/13th
German	German	German	German	German
Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics	Mathematics
Science	Biology Chemistry Physics	Biology Chemistry Physics Computer Science	Biology Biology Chemistry Chemistry Physics Physics Computer Science	Biology Biology Chemistry Chemistry Physics Physics Computer Science
Social Sciences	World History Geography Political Science & Economics Business & Economics	Ancient and Medieval History World History Geography Political Science & Economics Business & Economics Philosophy	European and World History History Geography Political Science & Economics Political Science & Economics Business & Economics Philosophy	European and World History History Geography Political Science & Economics Political Science & Economics Business & Economics Philosophy
Foreign Language I	English or French	English French	English French	English French
Foreign Language II	English or French or Latin	English French Latin	English French Latin	English French Latin
Foreign Language III	Spanish Italian Bilingual / English	Spanish Italian	Spanish Italian	Spanish Italian
Fine Arts	Music Orchestra Chorus Big Band	Art Music Orchestra Chorus Big Band Theatre	Art Music Orchestra Chorus Big Band Theatre	Art Music Orchestra Chorus Big Band Theatre
Religion / Ethics	Catholic Religion Protestant Religion Ethics	Catholic Religion Protestant Religion Ethics	Catholic Religion Protestant Religion Ethics	Catholic Religion Protestant Religion Ethics

ABITUR RESULTS

Our institution has a continuous track record of academic excellence.

In the 2023 school year, the Abitur results from the Class of 2023 averaged 2.1 out of 6.0 (1 is the highest). The average score of all Gymnasiums in Hesse was 2.3 making AES's score (2.1) again above the state average. 99% of AES students passed the Abitur. Of the 21,616 students who passed the Abitur in Hesse in 2023, a record 4,8% of the students received a perfect score of 1.0, whereas the proportion of AES students with a dream grade of 1.0 was as high as 7%.

These results are a testament to AES commitment to provide the best education for every student, while putting a distinct focus on our top performers. We strive to enable every student to go onto the academic and professional careers that they desire. Virtually all our graduating students go on to university, work, or participate in dual programs of work and study. Please find below are our latest Abitur results:

Score	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5
Students	11	3	7	6	10	6	8	6	6	7	8	5	5	8	7	4
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Students	4	7	4	4	6	5	6	2	2	3	1	1	0	0	0	

AES MATRICULATION RECORD

In Germany it is not common to trace degreed students for detailed records of matriculation. Nevertheless, feedback of former students show attendance of or graduation from all major reputed German and European Universities, Business- and Management Schools and Universities of Applied Sciences (Technical Field specialized University system in Germany and Switzerland). Some also attended or graduated from US-Universities like Cornell, Stanford and Duke.

COLLEGE ATTENDANCE SUMMARY 2017 - 2023

OUTSIDE GERMANY

Belmont University (USA)
Fordham University (USA)
New England Conservatory Boston (USA)
Skidmore College (USA)
Southwest Baptist University (USA)
University of Chicago (USA)
UPenn (USA)
Ursuline College Ohio (USA)
Alpen-Adria University Klagenfurt (Austria)
Danube Private University (Austria)
Sigmund Freud Privatuniversität (Austria)
TU Wien (Austria)
TU Graz (Austria)
University of Innsbruck (Austria)
KU Leuven (Belgium)
Medical University of Varna (Bulgaria)
Cardiff University (England)
University of West London (England)

Royal Holloway University (England)
University of West London (England)
University of Warwick (England)
University of Exeter (England)
Sciences Po Nancy and Paris (France)
Semmelweis University (Hungary)
AMFI Amsterdam Fashion Institute (Netherlands)
University of Groningen (Netherlands)
University of Maastricht (Netherlands)
Universiteit Rotterdam (Netherlands)
Collegium Civitas (Poland)
ETH Zurich (Switzerland)
University of St. Gallen (Switzerland)
Ege University Izmir (Turkey)
joint degree in:
Cardiff University & Sciences Politiques Bordeaux (England & France)
Groupe Ecole Supérieure de Commerce Troyes & FH
Frankfurt (France & Germany)

WITHIN GERMANY

Accadis Hochschule Bad Homburg
Berufsakademie of Darmstadt
European Business School of Wiesbaden
Frankfurt School of Finance and Management
Frankfurt University of Applied Sciences
Free University of Berlin
HfG of Main (Hochschule für Gestaltung), Offenbach
Hochschule für Musik FRANZ LISZT, Weimar
Hochschule Fresenius Cologne
Hochschule Fulda Gesundheitstechnik
Hochschule Darmstadt
Hochschule Karlsruhe
Hochschule Mainz
Humboldt University of Berlin
International School of Management, Frankfurt
Johannes Gutenberg University of Mainz
Johann Wolfgang Goethe-University of Frankfurt/Main
Justus Liebig University of Giessen
Katholische Stiftungshochschule München- Abtlg.
Benediktbeuern
Leibniz University of Hannover
Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich
RWTH Aachen
Technische Universität Berlin (TUB)
Technische Universität München (TUM)
Technische Universität Darmstadt (TUD)
Technische Universität Georg-Simon-Ohm of Nürnberg (TUN)
University of Applied Sciences Fresenius, Idstein and Frankfurt
University of Augsburg
University of Bayreuth
University of Bonn

University of Cologne (Cologne Business School)
University of Freiburg
University of Göttingen (Georg-August-Uni.)
University of Heidelberg
University of Karlsruhe (Karlsruher Institut of Technology)
University of Konstanz
University of Mainz
University of Mannheim
University of Marburg (Philipps Universität)
University of Mönchengladbach
University of Münster (WWU)
University of Nürnberg
University of Passau
University of Saarland
University of Stuttgart
University of Tübingen
University of Wiesbaden (Hochschule Rhein Main)
University of Würzburg
WHU-Otto Beisheim School of Management
Zeppelin University, Friedrichshafen

Dual Programs: Work & Study

Accenture & University of Regensburg
Deutsche Hochschule für Prävention und Gesundheit
GIZ & Dual College Baden-Württemberg Mannheim
IBM & University of Stuttgart
Lufthansa & European Business School
ProSiebenSat1 Media SE & DHBW Ravensburg
Proxadis School of International Management & Technology AG, Frankfurt am Main
Rothenberger & International School of Management
Siemens & Dual College Baden-Württemberg Karlsruhe
Turngemeinde Bornheim 1860 & IST-Hochschule

COLLEGES WHERE STUDENTS GRADUATED FROM 2017 – 2023 OUTSIDE GERMANY

Cornel University (USA)
Duke University (USA)
Erasmus University Rotterdam, (Netherlands)
Stanford University (USA)
The College of William and Mary (USA)

Sciences Po Paris (France)
University of Leiden (Netherlands)
University of St. Gallen (Switzerland)
Ursuline College Ohio (USA)
Warwick University (England)