

Dual Diploma Program: Taiwan-US Educational Partnership

A unique opportunity for Taiwanese students to earn both a Taiwan High School Diploma and a Rio Hondo College Associate Degree through online coursework and summer study in the U.S.



Cultural & Academic Alignment

5,000+ Years of Academic Tradition

Academic success has been a core value in Chinese culture for millennia, making educational advancement highly prized.

90% Enrollment in Enrichment

The vast majority of parents enroll their children in academic enrichment programs, often paying high fees without guaranteed quality.

Perfect Cultural Fit

Rio Hondo's Dual Diploma Program meets both academic excellence standards and cultural expectations.



Political Advantages

Current Challenges

- U.S. student visa applications have become more difficult
- International political climate less welcoming to foreign students

Our Solution

The dual diploma model offers a safer and more accessible pathway to U.S. education without the full visa process.





Study Abroad Student Ambassadors



Rio Hondo Students in Taiwan

Students spend three weeks immersed in Taiwanese culture at Chihlee University (New Taipei City, 2026–2030)



Ambassador Program

These students serve as ambassadors and provide peer support to Dual Diploma Program participants



School Partnerships & Follow-Up

Nanshan High School

- Requested detailed proposal
- Requested program brochures
- Invited virtual parent information night

Zhonghe High School

- Requested detailed proposal
- Requested program brochures
- Invited virtual parent information night

Zhonghe Junior High School

- Requested detailed proposal
- Requested program brochures
- Invited virtual parent information night

Brochure Implementation Process

Initial Content Creation

Rio Hondo College prepares English brochure with sample majors (Word file)

Translation

Shin Liu translates the brochure into Mandarin (Word file)

Local Review

Taiwanese principals review and update content (Word file)

Design & Production

Rio Hondo's Marketing Department designs final brochure; materials sent to Mr. Chen (Zhonghe JHS Principal) for distribution

Parent Information Night

Pre-Event Distribution

Brochures distributed to participating high schools and middle schools one week before the event

Virtual Presentation

Dual Diploma Program presented to parents via Zoom during scheduled parent night events





Program Sustainability

1

Consultant Support

Rio Hondo College may provide consultant fees or honorariums for principals supporting the program implementation

2

Peer Mentorship

Top-performing student from Cohort 1 can serve as an embedded tutor for Cohort 2, creating a sustainable support system