Denisa Černá

Athletic and academic profile

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Education: Gymnázium Jaroslava Seiferta - Year 5 of an eight-year gymnasium

Academic average: 1.0 on the Czech grading scale (1 is the highest grade)

English: B2 First certificate · Preparing for C1, exam in January 2027

My name is Denisa Černá. I was born in 2011 and play beach volleyball for Beachvolejbalová škola Praha (BVŠP). I currently compete in the U18 and U20 categories. I have enjoyed sports since childhood, winning numerous karate medals, trying climbing and taking part in the Mladí horalové team competition. Swimming has also been part of my life since I was little, and I do it complementary. I want to study in the USA, train beach volleyball at a high level and pursue my interest in mathematics, physics and biology. I am looking for a school where I can successfully combine competitive sports with strong academics, ideally with scholarship opportunities.

Beach volleyball

3rd place, Prague Summer Beach League U16
Jun 27, 2026

4th place, Prague Beach League U18
Division 1, Jun 13, 2026

3rd place, Prague Summer Beach League U16
May 24, 2026

3rd place, U16 Winter Cup
Pardubice, Mar 14, 2026

4th place, Prague Beach League U18
Division 3, Feb 7, 2026

17th place, Czech U16 Indoor Championships
Jan 31, 2026

2nd place, Prague Beach League U16
Women, Division 4, Jan 10, 2026

2nd place, Prague Beach League U18
Women, Division 2, Oct 11, 2025

2nd place, Prague Beach League U14
Women, Division 2, Mar 1, 2025

PVS standings

U16 summer 2026: 11th / 400 points

U16 winter 2025/26: 32nd of 322 players / 518 points

U18 summer 2026: 44th of 231 players / 246 points

U18 winter 2025/26: 74th of 363 players / 380 points

National rankings as of August 15 2026

U16: 96th / 104 points
U18: 220th / 37 points

Karate

From 2020 to 2023, I earned numerous 1st–3rd place finishes in karate across different age and skill categories in Kumite, Kata, Kihon-Ido and Karate Agility.

Academic preparation

I am preparing for AP Calculus AB, exam in May 2027.

Mathematics and physics

3rd place, Mathematical Olympiad
Grade 9, district round, Jan 26, 2026

4th place, MASO mathematics competition
Prague, Malá Strana, Nov 12, 2025

3rd place, Physics Olympiad
Category F, Apr 8, 2025

1st-4th place, Mathematical Olympiad
Grade 7, district round, Apr 3, 2024

1st-3rd place, Mathematical Olympiad
Grade 6, district round, Apr 12, 2023

2nd place, Pythagoriáda mathematics contest
Grade 6, district round, Nov 22, 2022

1st-4th place, correspondence seminar
Mathematics for primary school pupils, May 6, 2022

1st place, MOZEK 2020
Fun mathematics and Czech language club, Nov 25, 2020

Literary achievements

2nd place · Plnou parou vpřed
Category I, primary school · short story Cesta Fantazií

3rd place · Pardubické střípky
12th edition of the competition, Category I (Grades 3–5) - short story Stěhování

3rd place · Agricultural-themed literary competition
3rd competition, Czech Academy of Agricultural Sciences, school category · short story Naše podzimní zahrádka (Jun 24, 2021)

1st place · Competition for young and adult writers
Category I, ages 8 and under, Flema and Kazda publishing · short story Veverka Lenka

Honorable mention · Jihočeský úsměv 2020
Essay Pravda a lež, published in the anthology

Training and community

My usual week includes 3 beach volleyball sessions (1,5 h), 2 conditioning sessions (1 h), 1 indoor volleyball session (1,5 h) and 1 hour of swimming (1 h). I help with events and creative workshops for children and adults at school and at the Satalice community center. I also enjoy climbing indoors and on rock, baking and crochet.

Satalice community center events

Examples of events I helped with in 2025 and 2026.

2026 Sep 6 Community center anniversary; Aug 19 Satalice Dog Day; Apr 30 Witches' Night; Apr 18 Spring wreath workshop; Mar 22 Spring celebration; Mar 14 Children's carnival; Feb 25 Basket-weaving workshop.

2025 Dec 5 St. Nicholas celebration; Nov 30 Christmas tree lighting; Nov 29 Advent wreath-making / workshops; Nov 9 St. Martin's procession; Oct 12 Satalice pumpkin celebration; Sep 7 Community center anniversary; Jun 18 Olympic Run; Apr 30 Witches' Night in Rádiovka Park; Apr 6 Spring crafts at the community center; Mar 1 Children's carnival.

School events

I helped with Christmas workshops, Project Day, the end-of-year celebration and a theatre performance for preschool children.