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GUIDELINES FOR HOLDERS
OF A NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE



Introduction

This document provides you, as the holder of a National Senior Certificate (NSC), with essential information related to admission in 2021. Read it in conjunction with the 2021 Undergraduate Prospectus.

Minimum requirements for admission for holders of a National Senior Certificate

The minimum admission requirement to a Bachelors degree programme is a National Senior Certificate (NSC) with an achievement rating of 4 (Adequate Achievement, 50 – 59%) or better in four subjects.

Assessing your academic performance

For applicants writing the National Senior Certificate we use an Admission Points Score (APS), a Faculty Points Score (FPS), and a Weighted Points Score (WPS) to assess your performance at school. The scores are described in detail below.

The percentages achieved in National Senior Certificate examinations (grade 11 final, grade 12 preliminary and grade 12 final) will be allocated an admissions score equal to that percentage.

To calculate your **APS**, add the six best subject percentages, excluding Life Orientation and scores for “Advanced Programme” (AP) subjects, but including English and any other required subject(s) for the relevant programme. (In other words, for a programme where Mathematics and Physical Sciences are required, take the scores for English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and the best three of the remaining subjects other than Life Orientation to calculate your APS.) Results below 40% for any subject do not attract a score.

For applications to the faculties of Commerce, Engineering & the Built Environment, Humanities

and Law, the FPS, out of 600, equals the APS. For applications to the Faculty of Health Sciences, the FPS is the sum of the APS and the percentages obtained for NBT tests, and is out of 900. For applications to the Faculty of Science, the FPS, out of 800, counts English, double the scores obtained for Mathematics and Physical Sciences, and add the best three of the remaining scores other than Life Orientation.

For South African applicants only, in order to calculate the **WPS**, adjust the FPS by the disadvantage factor applicable to you. This is a percentage between 0% and 10%, except for applications for admission to programmes in the Faculty of Health Sciences, where the range is between 0% and 20%.

Redress for diversity

We categorise all South African applicants (not international applicants) according to the categorisation of their parents' race under apartheid. This allows us to have a proxy for the applicant's race. We use these categories to give priority in making selection decisions to ensure that we meet the diversity targets we set for each class.

There are four redress categories:

- **Redress category 1:** An applicant with at least one parent classified as Black under apartheid
- **Redress category 2:** An applicant with at least one parent classified as Coloured (but the other not as Black) under apartheid
- **Redress category 3:** An applicant with at least one parent classified as Indian (but the other not as Black or Coloured) under apartheid
- **Redress category 4:** An applicant with at least one parent classified as Chinese (but the other not as Black, Coloured or Indian) under apartheid

Examples of points score calculations for NSC applicants

1. FACULTIES OF COMMERCE, ENGINEERING & THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT, HUMANITIES AND LAW

In these faculties, the FPS is calculated out of 600.

English Home Language	75%	=	75 pts
isiXhosa First Additional Language	70%	=	70 pts
Mathematics	84%	=	84 pts
Life Sciences	86%	=	86 pts
Geography	79%	=	79 pts
Accounting	69%	=	69 pts
Life Orientation	80%	=	0 pts
Total		=	463/600
FPS		=	463

Use the disadvantage factor to derive the weighted score: for the purpose of this example the disadvantage factor is 10%.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disadvantage factor} &= 10\% (46) \\ \mathbf{WPS} &= \mathbf{509 (463+46)} \\ &[\text{for South African applicants only}] \end{aligned}$$

2. ALL HEALTH SCIENCES APPLICATIONS

The FPS is calculated out of 900.

English Home Language	75%	=	75 pts
isiXhosa First Additional Language	70%	=	70 pts
Mathematics	84%	=	84 pts
Life Sciences	86%	=	86 pts
Physical Sciences	79%	=	79 pts
Accounting	69%	=	69 pts
Life Orientation	80%	=	0 pts
APS		=	463/600
NBT Scores of:	AL:	=	55%
	QL:	=	60%
	MAT:	=	50%

Make a total 165/300, added to 463

$$\mathbf{FPS} = \mathbf{628/900}$$

Use the disadvantage factor to derive the weighted score: for the purpose of this example the disadvantage factor is 20%.

Add 20% as follows: Disadvantage factor = 20% x FPS = 20% x 628 = 135.6

$$\mathbf{WPS} = \mathbf{764 (628+135.6)}$$

[for South African applicants only]

An additional 10 points are added if you have passed a third official South African language at Home or First Additional Language Level.



3. FACULTY OF SCIENCE

The FPS is calculated out of 800.

English Home Language	75%	=	75 pts
isiXhosa First Additional Language	70%	=	70 pts
Mathematics	84%	=	84 pts
Physical Sciences	86%	=	86 pts
Geography	79%	=	79 pts
Accounting	69%	=	69 pts
Life Orientation	80%	=	0 pts
APS		=	463/600

Scores for Mathematics and Physical Sciences are doubled; therefore, 170 (84+86) is added to the APS:

$$\text{FPS} = 633 / 800$$

Use the disadvantage factor to derive the weighted score: for the purpose of this example the disadvantage factor is 0%.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Disadvantage factor} &= 0\% \\ \text{WPS} &= 633 (633+0) \\ &[\text{for South African applicants only}] \end{aligned}$$



National Benchmark Tests (NBTs)

All first-time entering undergraduate applicants normally resident in South Africa are required to write the National Benchmark Tests (NBTs) prior to admission. All Health Sciences applicants must write NBTs, wherever they reside. Applicants are responsible for the costs of writing the NBTs.

There are two NBTs:

The Academic and Quantitative Literacy Test (AQL) and Mathematics Test.

The Academic and Quantitative Literacy Test (AQL) consists of two components, namely, academic literacy and quantitative literacy. An applicant will be awarded separate scores for each component, even though they are written as one test. Applicants to all faculties write the AQL. Applicants who wish to enter a programme with mathematics-based coursework are required to write the Mathematics Test.

Note: You must

- register for the NBTs before you apply online (or before you submit a paper application form);
- include your NBT registration number in your application;
- have written the NBTs by 10 October 2020, but no later than 31 July 2020 for Health Sciences.

For registration and further information about the NBTs, dates and venues, please visit www.nbt.uct.ac.za or tel: 021 650-3523

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COMMERCE

ALL SPECIALISATIONS EXCEPT FOR ACTUARIAL SCIENCE AND COMPUTER SCIENCE



ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS of 480 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 60% English HL 50% English FAL 60%
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS of 470 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 60% English HL 50% English FAL 60% Minimum required for possible admission FPS of 425 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 60% English HL 50% English FAL 60%
Only SA applicants in targeted redress race groups with a disadvantage factor greater than 1	Band C FPS	Possible admission into Education Development Unit only FPS of 425 to 429. NBT scores of Lower Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 60% English HL 50% English FAL 60% In exceptional circumstances a basic for QL may be mitigated by a score of Intermediate in NBT Mathematics

COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ANALYTICS SPECIALISATION

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS of 480 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 70% English HL 50% English FAL 60%
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS of 470 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 70% English HL 50% English FAL 60%
Only SA applicants in targeted redress race groups with a disadvantage factor greater than 1	Band C FPS	Possible admission into Education Development Unit only FPS of 425 to 429. NBT scores of Lower Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 70% English HL 50% English FAL 60% In exceptional circumstances a basic for QL may be mitigated by a score of Intermediate in NBT Mathematics

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ACTUARIAL SCIENCE AND QUANTITATIVE FINANCE QUALIFICATION

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS of 500 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 80% English HL 60% English FAL 80% (but require Proficient for AL & QL NBT's)
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS of 525 or above. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 80% English HL 60% English FAL 80% (but require Proficient for AL & QL NBT's)
Only SA applicants in targeted redress race groups with a disadvantage factor greater than 1	Band C FPS	Possible admission into Education Development Unit only FPS of 475 to 479. NBT scores of Upper Intermediate for AL & QL Mathematics 80% English HL 60% English FAL 80% (but require Proficient for AL & QL NBT's)

ENGINEERING & THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

NOTE: Mathematical Literacy or Technical Mathematics cannot be substituted for Mathematics, and Technical Science cannot be substituted for Physical Sciences.

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 500 FPS or above ≥ 75% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 480 WPS or above ≥ 75% for Mathematics ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 450 FPS or above ≥ 75% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING IN ELECTRICAL, ELECTRICAL AND COMPUTER AND MECHATRONICS

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 500 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 480 WPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 420 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Science NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CONSTRUCTION STUDIES

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 450 FPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics & ≥ 60% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for Mathematics and Intermediate for AL and QL
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 420 WPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics & ≥ 55% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 390 FPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics & ≥ 55% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PROPERTY STUDIES

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 450 FPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics NBT scores of Proficient for Mathematics and Intermediate for AL & QL
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 420 WPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 390 FPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics

BACHELOR OF ARCHITECTURAL STUDIES

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 450 FPS or above Mathematics 50% English 50% Architecture Portfolio Score of 75% or above NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 408 WPS or above Mathematics 50% English 50% Architecture Portfolio Score of 68% or above NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 348 FPS or above Mathematics 50% English 50% Architecture Portfolio Score of 50% or above NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING IN CHEMICAL ENGINEERING

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 510 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 480 WPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 420 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENGINEERING IN MECHANICAL, AND MECHANICAL & MECHATRONIC ENGINEERING

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 510 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 75% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 480 WPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 75% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 420 FPS or above ≥ 80% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN GEOMATICS

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 450 FPS or above ≥ 75% for Mathematics & ≥ 70% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission 420 WPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics & ≥ 60% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
Only SA applicants in targeted redress groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission 390 FPS or above ≥ 65% for Mathematics & ≥ 60% for Physical Sciences NBT scores of Intermediate or Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics

HEALTH SCIENCES

BACHELOR OF MEDICINE AND BACHELOR OF SURGERY

ELIGIBLE	BANDS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 792 Unweighted FPS or above 60% for English (HL or FAL) 60% for Mathematics; 60% for Physical Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Proficient for AL, QL and Mathematics
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission Weighted Weighted Point Score of 783 or above 60% for English (HL or FAL) 60% for Mathematics; 60% for Physical Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate for AL, QL and Mathematics

Only SA applicants in redress categories 1 and 2	Band C FPS	<p>Possible admission FPS of 644 for redress category 1. FPS of 730 for redress category 2. 60% for English (HL or FAL) 60% for Mathematics; 60% for Physical Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate for AL, QL and Mathematics <i>Subminima for consideration:</i> 690 FPS or above. 450 APS or above</p>
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BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PHYSIOTHERAPY

ELIGIBLE	BANDS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	<p>Guaranteed admission 730 FPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate for AL, QL and Mathematics</p>
All applicants	Band B WPS	<p>Probable admission 790 WPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate for AL, QL and Mathematics <i>Subminima for consideration:</i> 360 APS or above</p>
SA applicants in redress categories 1 and 2. (If the Faculty is unable to meet its target for redress 3 and 4 applicants, it may make offers to such applicants in Band C as well.)	Band C FPS	<p>Possible admission 580 FPS or above for redress 1. 610 FPS OR above for redress 2. 680 FPS or above for redress 3 and 4 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate for AL, QL and Mathematics</p>

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

ELIGIBLE	BANDS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	<p>Guaranteed admission 730 FPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL). 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy*; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test)</p>
All applicants	Band B WPS	<p>Probable admission 770 WPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL). 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy*; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration:</i> 340 APS or above</p>

SA applicants in redress categories 1 and 2. (If the Faculty is unable to meet its target for redress 3 and 4 applicants, it may make offers to such applicants in Band C as well.)	Band C FPS	<p>Possible admission 565 FPS for redress 1. 580 FPS for redress 2. 670 FPS for redress 3 and 4 50% for English (HL or FAL). 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy*; 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration: 340 APS or above</i></p>
<p>Note: *Applicants with Mathematical Literacy will be considered on an individual basis. **Applicants with any NBT result in the Basic range may also be considered on an individual basis. However, applicants who offer Mathematical Literacy will not be considered if they have any NBT result in the Basic range.</p>		

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AUDIOLOGY

ELIGIBLE	BANDS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	<p>Guaranteed admission 720 FPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test)</p>
All applicants	Band B WPS	<p>Probable admission 710 WPS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration: 340 APS or above</i></p>
SA applicants in redress categories 1 and 2. (If the Faculty is unable to meet its target for redress 3 and 4 applicants, it may make offers to such applicants in Band C as well.)	Band C FPS	<p>Possible admission 550 FPS for redress 1. 565 FPS for redress 2. 610 FPS for redress 3 and 4. 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration: 340 APS or above</i></p>

Note: *Applicants with Mathematical Literacy will be considered on an individual basis.
** Applicants with any NBT result in the Basic range may also be considered on an individual basis. However, applicants who offer Mathematical Literacy will not be considered if they have any NBT result in the Basic range.



BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY



ELIGIBLE	BANDS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS of 715 or above. 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test)
All applicants	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS of 670 or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above for the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration:</i> 340 APS or above
SA applicants in redress categories 1 and 2. (If the Faculty is unable to meet its target for redress 3 and 4 applicants, it may make offers to such applicants in Band C as well.)	Band C FPS	Possible admission 510 FPS for redress 1. 515 FPS for redress 2. 600 FPS for redress 3 and 4 340 APS or above 50% for English (HL or FAL) 50% for Mathematics OR 60% for Mathematical Literacy* 50% for Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences 50% or above the best three of the remaining subjects, excluding Life Orientation NBT scores of Intermediate** for AL, QL and Mathematics (applicants taking Mathematical Literacy are exempted from the NBT Mathematics Test) <i>Subminimum for consideration:</i> 340 APS or above
<p>Note: *Applicants with Mathematical Literacy will be considered on an individual basis. ** Applicants with any NBT result in the Basic range may also be considered on an individual basis. However, applicants who offer Mathematical Literacy will not be considered if they have any NBT result in the Basic range.</p>		

HUMANITIES

BACHELOR OF ARTS (BA) AND BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE (BSocSc)

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study. FPS 380 with Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL).

South African applicants who meet the requirements under Bands B and C, and hence show the potential to succeed with additional academic support, may be considered for admission and placement in an extended programme of study.

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS 450 or above NBT AL: Proficient
	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS 450 or above (likely to equate to FPS 409 or above) An applicant with a maximum disadvantage score of 10% and an FPS of 409 will meet the WPS 450 requirement (409+41 = 450) NBT AL: Upper Intermediate or above
Only SA applicants in targeted redress categories	Band C FPS	Possible admission FPS 380 or above NBT AL: Intermediate or above

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL SCIENCE IN PHILOSOPHY, POLITICS AND ECONOMICS (BSocSc(PPE))

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study. FPS 450 with Academic Literacy NBT score at Upper Intermediate and Quantitative Literacy NBT score at Upper Intermediate. NSC Mathematics 60%. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL).

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS 450 or above NBT AL: Proficient NBT QL: Upper Intermediate Subject requirements: Mathematics 60% or above

BACHELOR OF SOCIAL WORK (BSW)

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study. FPS 380 with Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL).

Additional Minimum requirements: Applicants may be required to attend an admissions interview and demonstrate successfully that they will meet the professional requirements of the South African Council for Social Service Professionals.

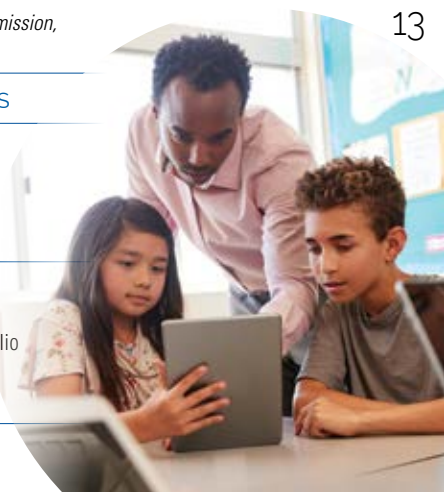
ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission FPS 450 or above NBT AL: Proficient
	Band B WPS	Probable admission WPS 450 or above <i>(likely to equate to FPS 409 or above)</i> <i>An applicant with a maximum disadvantage score of 10% and an FPS of 409 will meet the WPS 450 requirement (409+41 = 450)</i> NBT AL: Upper Intermediate or above
Only SA applicants in targeted redress categories	Band C FPS	Possible admission FPS 380 or above NBT AL: Intermediate or above

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN FINE ARTS (BA(FA))

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the portfolio submission, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Possible admission FPS 380 or above NBT AL: Intermediate Satisfactory performance in a portfolio evaluation
Only SA applicants in targeted redress categories	Possible admission Applicants below the minimum requirements who excel in the portfolio evaluation may be considered for admission to the extended BA(FA).



BACHELOR OF ARTS IN THEATRE & PERFORMANCE (BA(T&P))



Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study. FPS 380 with Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL). Satisfactory performance in an audition.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Possible admission FPS 380 or above NBT AL: Intermediate Satisfactory performance in an audition

BACHELOR OF MUSIC (BMUS)

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for degree study. FPS 380 with Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL). Satisfactory performance in an audition.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Possible admission FPS 380 or above NBT AL: Intermediate Satisfactory performance in an audition Subject requirements: NSC Music 60% or above Unisa Music Theory Grade V or above Unisa Music Practical Grade VII or above
Only SA applicants in targeted redress categories	Possible admission Applicants below the minimum requirements who excel in the audition evaluation may be considered for admission to the foundation programme of study or the Diploma in Music Performance.

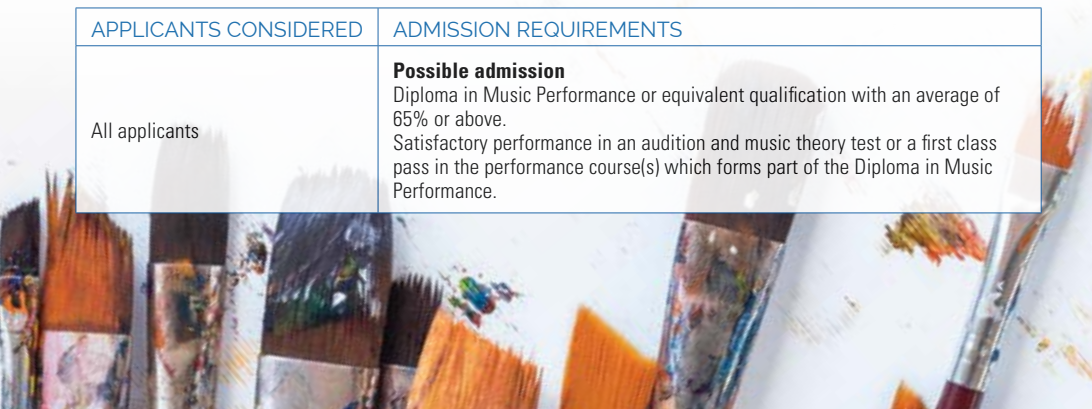
ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN MUSIC (AdvDip(MUSIC))

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Minimum requirements: Successful completion of the Diploma in Music Performance or equivalent qualification. Satisfactory performance in an audition and music theory test.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Possible admission Diploma in Music Performance or equivalent qualification with an average of 65% or above. Satisfactory performance in an audition and music theory test or a first class pass in the performance course(s) which forms part of the Diploma in Music Performance.



ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN OPERA (AdvDip(OPERA))

Minimum requirements: Successful completion of the Diploma in Music Performance specialising in Opera. Satisfactory performance in an audition and music theory test.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	<p>Possible admission Diploma in Music Performance or equivalent qualification with an average of 65% or above. Satisfactory performance in an audition and music theory test or a first class pass in the performance course(s) which forms part of the Diploma in Music Performance.</p>

DIPLOMA IN MUSIC PERFORMANCE (DMP)

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for diploma study. Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL). Satisfactory performance in an audition and music theory test.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	<p>Possible admission NSC endorsed for diploma studies. NBT AL: Intermediate Satisfactory performance in an audition and Music theory test</p>

DIPLOMA IN THEATRE & PERFORMANCE (DTP)

Minimum requirements: NSC endorsed for diploma study. Academic Literacy NBT score at Intermediate Level. 50% for English (HL) or 60% for English (FAL). Satisfactory performance in an audition.

Note: The leading indicator for admission is performance in the audition, and places are awarded on merit.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	<p>Possible admission NSC endorsed for diploma studies NBT AL: Intermediate Satisfactory performance in an audition</p>

ADVANCED DIPLOMA IN THEATRE (AdvDip(THEATRE))

Minimum requirements: Successful completion of the Diploma in Theatre & Performance or equivalent qualification.

APPLICANTS CONSIDERED	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	<p>Possible admission A Diploma in Theatre and Performance with an average of 65% in third year Studiowork (TDP3041W or TDP30143W) and 60% average in second year Theatre & Dance Studies major courses (TDP2010F and TDP2011S) A qualification from another Higher Education institution deemed equivalent by the HOD.</p>



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FOR THE UNDERGRADUATE LLB (4-YEAR CURRICULUM)

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All SA applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed admission 510 FPS or above NBT scores of Proficient for AL and Intermediate for QL
All SA applicants	Band B WPS	Probable Admission 495 WPS or above NBT scores of Proficient for AL and Intermediate for QL
Only SA applicants in targeted redress categories	Band C FPS	Possible admission 420 FPS or above NBT scores of Proficient for AL and Intermediate for QL
International applicants		Possible admission 520 FPS or above NBT scores of Proficient for AL and Intermediate for QL

SCIENCE

The FPS (a score out of 800) is calculated as the sum of the percentages achieved in the best six NSC subjects, including English but excluding Life Orientation, and doubling the percentages achieved in Mathematics and Physical Sciences. Admission to the Faculty of Science requires a FPS of 550 or above.

ELIGIBLE	BAND	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
All applicants	Band A FPS	Guaranteed Admission FPS of 660 or above Mathematics 70% or above and Physical Sciences 60% or above (see Notes 2 & 3) NBTs in Mathematics, AL & QL to be written
	Band B WPS	Probable Admission WPS of 620 or above Mathematics 70% or above and Physical Sciences 60% or above (see Notes 2 & 3) NBTs in Mathematics, AL & QL to be written
SA applicants in targeted redress race groups	Band C FPS	Possible admission FPS of 550 or above Mathematics 70% or above and Physical Sciences 60% or above (see Notes 2 & 3) NBTs in Mathematics, AL & QL to be written

Note 1: Acceptance into the Science Faculty does not guarantee acceptance into a chosen major because some majors (currently Biochemistry, Genetics, Geology and Human Anatomy & Physiology) have limits on the number of students that can be accommodated. Selection for these is based on academic criteria which will be clearly communicated to students during the first year of study. Students will be advised in their first year to take courses which could lead to several majors.

Note 2: For majors in Archaeology and Environmental and Geographical Science, the Physical Sciences requirement may be replaced by Life Sciences (only where Physical Sciences was not taken).

Note 3: For majors in Computer Science and Business Computing, the Physical Science requirement may be replaced by Information Technology (only where Physical Sciences was not taken).

