



# REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMISSION FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS



# Requirements for Admission for International students to:

## Undergraduate & Postgraduate Programmes for International Students in SA Universities

Applicants can be directly admitted if they meet the minimum criteria prescribed by the Joint Matriculation Board of Universities SA (HESA) <https://mb.usaf.ac.za/qualification-by-country/> and the School Points Score (SPS) as indicated below.

- Important to note not all subjects are recognized for exemption purposes and this information is regularly updated on the JMB website.
- SPS system allocates point values to the six best school leaving symbols to:
  - Identify whether applicant meets the minimum criteria prescribed by the JMB.
  - Identify whether applicant meets the grade requirements (see notes below);
  - Identify whether applicant meets the compulsory school leaving subjects.
  - Identify whether the applicant meets the English language requirement.
- Limitations to programmes are annually set by the enrolment planning process;
- International students are only accepted for full-time studies;
- Some programmes offered by the University are not available for International Students;
- All international students are tested before registration using CAAR (Centre for Accelerated Application Readiness) assessment for research purposes, where applicable developmental recommendations are provided to the appropriate persons in Faculties.
- The foreign school qualification is benchmarked against the South African school leaving certificate as the standard. The University may add additional requirements for specific programmes.
- Applicants from SADC countries only offering GCSE or O level need to have a 1 year in their home country university to qualify for the entry in the SA university
- For postgraduate students, it is required that you submit your SAQA certificate when submitting your application.
- For the final selection and scoring the following conversion table of International School systems apply:



# CALCULATION OF ADMISSION POINT SCORE FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDY

Points	NSC Ach Level and %	Sen Cert HG	Sen Cert SG	HGCS E	IGCS E 0-	A-Level -	AS-Level -	IB HL	IB SL	KC SE
12						A				
11						B				
10										
9						C				
8	7 (90-100%)	A		1			A	7		A+A
7	7 (80-89%)	B		2		D	B	6		A-
6	6 (70-79%)	C	A	3	A	E	C	5	7	B+
5	5(60-69%)	D	B		B		D	4	6	B, B-
4	4(50-59%)	E	C		C		E		5	C+
3	3(40-49%)	F	D						4	
2	2(30-39%)		E							
1 or 0	1(0-29%)		F							

## NOTES

- Applicants completing Cambridge administered examinations will be accepted with the following grades:
  - A-level: Grades A, B, C and D
  - O-level: Grades a, b and c
- Students completing non-Cambridge administered examinations will be accepted with the following grades:
  - A-level: Grades A, B and C
  - O level: Grades a, b and c
- In addition to the above applicants must meet the minimum SPS score and programme related requirements;
- Programmes where compulsory school leaving subjects are indicated candidates must meet the following minimum requirements:
  - O- level: minimum B grade
  - A-level: minimum D grade OR the equivalent grade from other school leaving systems as indicated in the conversion table
- International Baccalaureate Diploma: At least 27 points required.
- International Baccalaureate Certificate: Pass marks in two Higher Level, and three Subsidiary Level subjects, including English. Pass marks = symbols 5 to 7.

# Documents required during application

## **Remember to attach the following documents with your application:**

- Undergraduates must complete the undergraduate application form and accommodation application form obtainable from the website ([www.univen.ac.za](http://www.univen.ac.za)).
- Postgraduates with no previous registration at the University must complete both the undergraduate and postgraduate application form as well as accommodation application forms.
- Attach a transcript in English plus certified copies of your certificates of diplomas, degrees previously obtained.
- Attach certified copy of your passport.
- Attach a marriage or divorce decree for different surnames, if relevant.
- Attach the identity document for a parent or legal guardian if less than 21 years.
- Attach HESA/SAQA certificates as indicated above.
- Pay a non-refundable application fee (R100) as indicated on the application form.

**Please note:** the application fee must be paid only at the bank or by South African postal order or by EFT.

Banking details: ABSA BANK, ACCOUNT NO: 1 000 000 589 (Use your passport number as reference). Other payment instruction is found on the application form found on the website.

All our programmes offered are found on the University website ([www.univen.ac.za](http://www.univen.ac.za)). Select any programme that suits your qualification. Details of contact persons in the faculty, as well as information on the various programmes offered, are also found on the website.

### **Undergraduates**

All applicants with non-South African School-leaving matric/Grade 12 results require a certificate of foreign exemption from the Matriculation Board of South Africa for admission into an undergraduate qualification (HESA certificate). For more information regarding the Matriculation Exemptions please visit the Matriculation Board website on: [www.usaf.ac.za](http://www.usaf.ac.za) or contact the International Relations and Partnerships office of the University.

### **Postgraduates**

All applicants with non-South African qualifications are required to have their qualifications evaluated by the South African Qualifications Authority (SAQA). For more information visit: <http://www.saga.org.za>

## **Step 2**

- Undergraduates must complete undergraduate and accommodation forms obtainable from the website ([www.univen.ac.za](http://www.univen.ac.za)).
- Postgraduates must complete both undergraduate and postgraduate as well as accommodation forms.
- Attach a transcript in English plus certified copies of your certificates of diplomas, degrees previously obtained.
- Attach certified copy of your passport.
- Attach a marriage or divorce decree for different surnames, if relevant.
- Attach the identity document for a parent or legal guardian if less than 21 years.
- Attach HESA/SAQA certificates as indicated above.
- Pay a non-refundable application fee (R100) as indicated on the application form



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### **Step 3**

Submit completed applications with attachments to;  
ATTN: Directorate of International Relations and Partnerships  
University of Venda  
Private Bag X5050, Thohoyandou, 0950, South Africa

Or

Scan the application form together with attachments and email to the following:

[Suzan.Sathekge@univen.ac.za](mailto:Suzan.Sathekge@univen.ac.za)

[Nontlanhla.Ntakana@univen.ac.za](mailto:Nontlanhla.Ntakana@univen.ac.za)

[International.admissions@univen.ac.za](mailto:International.admissions@univen.ac.za)

You can check your application status by contacting the International Relations and Partnerships staff by sending email to the above addresses or calling the following Telephone numbers: +27 15 962 9346 /9347 /9348 /9349

# REGISTRATION

**Registration opens in January every year. Exact date for registration is announced on the university main website**

## **Study Visa**

Any student, who is not a South African citizen or a permanent residence in South Africa, must be in possession of a study visa to register at the University. It may take up to three months to obtain a study visa and prospective international students are advised to apply as early as possible.

As from May 2014 the new immigration Act requires all international students applying for study in South African Universities to apply through VFS Global online services [www.vfsglobal.com/dha/southafrica/](http://www.vfsglobal.com/dha/southafrica/). VFS online services includes Study Visa, Study Visa Renewal, Visitors Visa, Critical Skills Visa, and General Work Visa amongst other services.

All applications for study visas need to be submitted at the South African Embassy or Consulate at your country of origin/resident at the time of application. You cannot apply for a new study visa/change of visa status within South Africa's borders.

## **How to apply for a Study Visa?**

The applicant must first apply and be accepted by the University of choice before applying for a study visa. For this, the applicant needs a provisional admission/acceptance letter from the University. Students will not be able to obtain a valid study visa without an admission letter.

## **Documents required for a new Study Visa/Study Visa renewal:**

- An original letter of acceptance from the university
- A valid passport
- Proof of comprehensive medical insurance
- Proof of accommodation
- A radiology report not older than 6 months
- A medical report not older than 6 months
- The student must have proof of sufficient funds/sponsorship letter to pay for day-to-day living expenses, as well as tuition fees during his/her stay in South Africa.

## **Medical Health Cover**

In terms of the South African Immigration Act, all international students are required to be a member of a medical aid registered in terms of the Medical Schemes Act 1998 of South Africa. It is important that your medical aid cover MUST be valid for the duration of your studies at UNIVEN. The following are not accepted: travel insurance, hospital plans or foreign medical aids, etc. For more information on registered medical aids, visit: <https://www.medicalschemes.com/MedicalSchemes.aspx>. Some of these schemes are listed below:

Momentum <https://www.momentum.co.za/for/you/home>

CompCare <http://www.compcare.co.za>

Discovery <https://www.discovery.co.za/portal/index.jsp>

Bestmed <http://www.bestmed.co.za/>



## **Proof of payment for registration fee**

(Please see UNIVEN fee structure on the University website)

N.B. Payments must be deposited into the University's bank account, ABSA: 1 000 000 589  
Use your student number as reference

You can email all documentations to:

1. [Suzan.sathekge@univen.ac.za](mailto:Suzan.sathekge@univen.ac.za)
2. [Nontlanhla.Ntakana@univen.ac.za](mailto:Nontlanhla.Ntakana@univen.ac.za)
3. [International.admissions@univen.ac.za](mailto:International.admissions@univen.ac.za)

OR

Call the International Student Helpdesk for all enquiries  
and further assistance +27 15 962 9346 /9347 /9348 /9349

# STUDY FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

## STUDY FEES

Fees are determined and paid annually at the beginning of the year. International students must pay registration fee and one third of tuition during registration. Tuition fees for the year must be paid in full before the beginning of the second semester examinations.

## ACCOMMODATION

An initial amount stipulated on the fees calendar must be paid on top of registration fee for university accommodation.

## SCHOLARSHIPS AND BURSARIES

The university does not have scholarships/bursaries for international students. However, you can go through the links below for individuals to of apply directly through scholarship agencies:

DHET: <http://www.internationalscholarships.dhet.gov.za/scholarships.html>

FULBRIGHT: <https://www.cies.org/>

IIE: <https://www.iie.org/en/Programs/>

DAAD: <https://www.daad.de/deutschland/stipendium/en/>

NRF: <http://www.nrf.ac.za/bursaries/calls>

NESO NUFFIC: [www.studyinholland.nl](http://www.studyinholland.nl)

RUFORUM: [www.ruforum.org](http://www.ruforum.org)

JICA: [www.jica.go.jp](http://www.jica.go.jp)

CHINA: [www.csc.edu.cn](http://www.csc.edu.cn)

HUNGARY: [www.studyinhungary.hu](http://www.studyinhungary.hu)

SCHOLARS4DEV: [www.scholars4dev.com](http://www.scholars4dev.com)

ACU Fellowship: [View in your browser](#)

QECS: [Applications for the second cycle of 2022-23 Queen Elizabeth Commonwealth Scholarships are now open.](#)

Nurturing Emerging Scholar's Programme (NESP):

<http://www.ru.ac.za/dhetnespapplication/>

IUSSP, WiSER, USC IIGH and ISER Call for Applications Population, Ethics, and Human Rights: [IUSSP, WiSER, USC IIGH and ISER Call for Applications Population, Ethics, and Human Rights Fellowship.](#)

GRA - EJP Soil: 2nd International Call Now Open: [GRA Postdoc Opportunity: Feed Additives Flagship Project.](#)

(New) GRA-CGIAR: CLIFF-GRADS Fellowships: Open for Applications2022: [GRA-CGIAR: CLIFF-GRADS Fellowships: Open for Applications!.](#)

If you have a scholarship, you are expected to inform your sponsor of the UNIVEN's regulations on registration fees.

### Faculty of Health Sciences Programmes

Programmes	Code	Admission requirements	Duration
BSc in Nutrition	(SHBBSN)	NSC 34 + adequate achievement in Life Sciences, English, Mathematics and Physical Sciences or Agricultural Sciences	4 years
BSc in Biokinetics	(SHBBSB)	NSC 34 + adequate achievement in Life Sciences, English, Mathematics and Physical Sciences	4 years
BSc in Sports and Exercise Science	(SHBSES)	NSC 34 + adequate achievement in Life Sciences, English and Physical Sciences	4 years
BSc in Recreation and Leisure Studies	(SHBRLS)	NSC 34 + adequate achievement in English	4 Years



**Faculty of Management, Commerce and Law Programmes**

<b>Programmes</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Admission requirements</b>	<b>Duration</b>
Bachelor of Administration	(MSBAPA)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement in English and moderate achievement level in any three subjects	3 years
Bachelor of Commerce (In various disciplines)			
Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting Sciences	(MSBCAS)	NSC 35 + adequate achievement level in English and at least 55% pass in Maths if student does not have Matric Accounting; OR at least 50% pass in Maths if student has done/passed Accounting with at least 60% in Matric	4 years
Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting	(MSBBCA)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and Accounting or Mathematics	3 years
Bachelor of Commerce in Business Information Systems	(MSBBIS)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and moderate achievement in Mathematics or 75% in Mathematical Literacy and in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Business Studies, Economics and Information Technology or Computer Studies	3 Years
Bachelor of Commerce in Business Management	(MSBCBM)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and Business Studies plus moderate achievement in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Economics, Information Technology and Mathematics	3 Years

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Programmes	Code	Admission requirements	Duration
Bachelor of Commerce in Cost and Management Accounting	(MSBCMA)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and Accounting or Mathematics	3 Years
Bachelor of Commerce in Economics	(MSBBCE)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and Economics or Mathematics plus moderate achievement in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Business Studies and Information Technology	3 Years
Bachelor of Commerce in Human Resource Management	(MS- BHRM)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English plus moderate achievement in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Business Studies, Economics, Information Technology and Mathematics	3 Years
Bachelor of Commerce in Industrial Psychology	(MSBCIP)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English plus moderate achievement in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Business Studies, Economics, Information Technology and Mathematics	3 Years
Bachelor of Commerce in Tourism Management	(MSBCTM)	NSC 32 + adequate achievement level in English and Mathematical Literacy (or moderate achievement in Mathematics) plus moderate achievement in any two of these subjects: Accounting, Business Studies, Economics, Information Technology, Geography and Tourism	3 Years

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<b>Programmes</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Admission requirements</b>	<b>Duration</b>
Baccalaureus Legum	(LWBBL)	NSC 38 (excluding Life Orientation) plus a minimum of 60% in English	4 years
Bachelor of Arts in Criminal Justice	(LWBACJ)	NSC 34 (excluding Life Orientation) plus a minimum of 50% in English	3 Years
Extended Degree Programmes	Any student who does not qualify for the main degree programme of his / her choice and has met requirements for bachelor's degree in Grade12 or has completed Matric with university ex-emption plus an APS of 28 – 31 (excluding Life Orientation) may be considered for admission into the extended Programmes. Duration of such programmes is 4 years		
<b>The following Extended Degree Programmes are offered by the Faculty:</b>			
Extended Bachelor of Administration	MSEABA		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting	MSEBCA		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Business Information Systems	MSEBIS		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Business Management	MSEBCM		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Cost and Management Accounting	MSECMA		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Economics	MSEBCE		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Human Resources Management	MSEHRM		4 years
Extended Bachelor of Commerce in Tourism Management	MSECTM:		4 years



## Faculty of Science, Engineering and Agriculture Programmes

Programmes	Code	Admission requirements	Dura-tion
Diploma in Freshwater Technology	(MNDDFT)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agri- cultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	3 years
Extended BSc degree programme[Science Foundation Programme]			
Extended BSc in BIOCHEMISTRY AND MICROBIOLOGY	(HSBADS)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOLOGY	(MNEBSD)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in MICROBIOLOGY AND BOTANY	(MNEBSE)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS	(MNEBSF)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years

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Extended BSc in FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS	(MNEBSG)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years
Extended BSc in MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICS	(MNEBSH)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years
Extended BSc in MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS	(MNEBSI)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years
Extended BSc in PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY	(MNEBSJ)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years
Extended BSc in CHEMISTRY AND MATHEMATICS	(MNEBSK)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years
Extended BSc in CHEMISTRY AND BIOCHEMISTRY	(MNEBSL)	NSC 24 with Diploma + 30% in English, (40-49%) in 4 of the recognized 20 credit NSC subjects and 50% in either Life Sciences, Agricultural Sciences, Physical Sciences or Geography	4 Years

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Extended BSc in CHEMISTRY	(MNEBSN)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY	(MNEBSO)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in COMPUTER SCIENCE	(MNEBSP)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years
Extended BSc in COMPUTER SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS	(MNEBSQ)	NSC 26 with a bachelor's pass achievement rating of 3 (40-49%) or better in matric English, Mathematics, Physical Sciences and any other relevant subject as judged by responsible departments.	4 Years

## Faculty of Science, Engineering and Agriculture Programmes

Programme	Code	Requirements	Duration
Bachelor of Science degree		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Candidates wishing to enroll for a BSc degree must have obtained a minimum admission requirement in a National Senior Certificate (NSC) as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-credit NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.</li> <li>- Any other related subject as judged by the HOD of the responsible departments and approved by the Executive Dean of the faculty of Science, Engineering and Agriculture.</li> <li>- Candidates may be subjected to a selection procedure as determined by the faculty board.</li> <li>- Equivalent FET Level 4 qualifications in any of the above subjects may also be considered.</li> </ul>	
BSc in BIOCHEMISTRY AND MICROBIOLOGY	(MNBBSA)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-credit NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years

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BSc in BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOLOGY	(MNBBSD)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in MICROBIOLOGY AND BOTANY	(MNBBSE)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS	MNBBSF)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years

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BSc in FINANCIAL MATHEMATICS AND APPLIED MATHEMATICS	(MNBBSG)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in MATHEMATICS AND PHYSICS	(MNBBSH)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS	(MNBB-SI)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years

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BSc in PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY	(MNBBSJ)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in CHEMISTRY AND MATHEMATICS	MNBBSK)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in CHEMISTRY AND BIO-CHEMISTRY	(MNBBSL)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years



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BSc in CHEMISTRY	(MNBBSN)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in BOTANY AND ZOOLOGY	(MNBB-SO)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in COMPUTER SCIENCE	(MNBBSP)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years
BSc in COMPUTER SCIENCE AND MATHEMATICS	(MNBBSQ)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	3 years

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<b>Programmes</b>	<b>Code</b>	<b>Requirements</b>	<b>Duration</b>
<b>Environmental Sciences Stream</b>			
Bachelor of Environmental Sciences	(ESBBES)	NSC 32 + 50% for English, 40% for Mathematics and Physical Sciences AND 50% for one of Life Sciences, Geography or Agriculture.	3 years
Bachelor of Earth Sciences in Mining and Environmental Geology	(ESBMEG)	NSC 35 + 50% pass in English HG, 60% pass in Mathematics and Physical Sciences and an adequate achievement in at least three of these subjects: Agricultural Sciences, Accounting, Life Sciences, Economics and Geography.	4 years
Bachelor of Earth Sciences in Hydrology and Water Re-sources	(ESBHWR)	NSC 35 + 60% pass in English HG, 60% pass in Mathematics, 60% pass in Physical Sciences and an adequate achievement in at least three of these subjects – Agricultural Sciences, Accounting, Life Sciences, Economics and Geography.	4 years
Bachelor of Urban and Re-gional Planning	(ESBURP)	NSC 35 + 50% pass in English HG, 50% pass in Mathematics, 60% pass in Physical Sciences and an adequate achievement in at least three of these subjects – Agricultural Sciences, Accounting, Life Sciences, Economics and Geography.	4 years
Bachelor of Environmental Sciences in Disaster Risk Reduction	(ESB-DRR)	NSC 35 + 50% pass in English HG, 60% pass in Geography; 60% pass in either Mathematics And/or Life Sciences and an adequate achievement in Physical Sciences and Economics.	4 Years

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Agriculture Stream			
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Agricultural Economics)	(AGBAAE)	NSC 26 + Achievement level 4 in Mathematics, Physical Sciences and English as well as in either Life Sciences or Agricultural Sciences	4 years
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Agribusiness Management)	(AGBAAM)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-credit NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	4 years
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Animal Science)	(AGBAAS)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-credit NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	4 years
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture (Horticultural Sciences)	(AGBAHS)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training (Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-credit NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	4 years

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Bachelor of Science in Agri-culture (Plant Production)	(AGBAPP)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	4 years
Bachelor of Science in SoilScience	(AGBASS)	NSC as certified by the Council for General and Further Education and Training(Umalusi) with an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement, 50-59%) or better in each of the following four recognized 20-cred-it NSC subjects: English, Mathematics, Physical Science and Life Sciences.	4 years
Bachelor of Science in Forestry	(AGBFOR)	Same as for BSC in Agriculture	4 years
Bachelor of Science in Food Science and Technology	(AGBFST)	Mathematics and Physical Sciences as well as achievement level 4 in English and in either Life Sciences or Agricultural Sciences	4 years
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