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A GUIDE FOR ZAMBIAN STUDENTS | 2027 UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES (NSC/IEB)



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Beautiful campuses
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A wide range of
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ADMISSION ESSENTIALS



QUALIFICATION

You must have a National Senior Certificate (NSC) or Independent Examinations Board (IEB) school-leaving certificate (certified by Umalusi) for admission to bachelor's degree studies.



NATIONAL BENCHMARK TESTS (NBTs)

NBTs are not generally required for 2027, except for all Faculty of Law programmes and certain alternative schooling categories.



SELECTION PROGRAMMES

Stellenbosch University receives more applications than places available. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. All programmes are selection programmes.

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KEY MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR ZAMBIAN STUDENTS

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FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BA (Humanities)	63%	Language of instruction (English/Afrikaans) 50%
BA (Language & Culture, Drama, Music)	63%	Additional criteria for Drama/Music (e.g. audition)
BA in Visual Arts	63%	Portfolio required

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC & MANAGEMENT SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BCom (Management Sciences)	65%	Mathematics 60%
BCom (Economic Sciences)	65%	Mathematics 60%
BAcc	70%	Mathematics 70%
BCom International Business	80%	Mathematics 70% (plus additional selection test may apply)
BCom Actuarial Science	80%	Mathematics 80%

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BEng (All fields)	70%	Mathematics 70%; Physical Sciences 60%

The Faculty uses a selection score out of 800. Refer to the prospectus for full details.

FACULTY OF LAW



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
LLB	70%	Language of instruction 60%; strong academic profile

All Law applicants must write the NBTs.

FACULTY OF SCIENCE



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BSc (General)	65%	Mathematics 60%; Physical or Life Sciences 50–60%
BSc in Human Life Science	65%	Mathematics 60%; Life Sciences 60%; Physical Sciences 50%
BSc in Biodiversity & Ecology	65%	Mathematics 60%; Life Sciences 50%; Physical Sciences 50%
BSc in Mathematical Sciences	65%	Mathematics 70%; Physical Sciences 60%

The Faculty uses a selection mark that doubles the Mathematics mark. Refer to the prospectus for full details.

FACULTY OF AGRISCIENCES



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BScAgric (Various streams)	60%	Mathematics 60%; Physical or Life Sciences 50–60%
BSc Forestry / BSc Conservation Ecology	60%	Mathematics 60%; Life Sciences 50%

FACULTY OF EDUCATION



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BEd (Foundation Phase)	60%	Language of instruction 60%; Maths or Maths Lit 40–60%
BEd (Intermediate Phase)	60%	Mathematics 50% or Mathematics Literacy 60%

FACULTY OF MEDICINE & HEALTH SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum NSC Aggregate	Key Subject Requirements
BSc in Physiotherapy	60%	Mathematics 60%; Physical Sciences 50%
BSc in Dietetics	60%	Mathematics 50%; Physical Sciences 50%; Life Sciences 50%
BSc in Speech-Language Therapy and Audiology	60%	Mathematics 50%; Physical Sciences 50%; Life Sciences 50%
BSc in Occupational Therapy	60%	Mathematics 50%; Life Sciences 50%
Bachelor of Nursing	60%	Life Sciences 50%; Mathematics or Mathematics Literacy 40–50%



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UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES AND ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS (NSC)



COMMERCE, LAW AND MANAGEMENT

BCom (General)	APS 38+ English 5 Mathematics 5
BCom (Accounting)	APS 38+ English 5 Mathematics 5
Bachelor of Accounting Science	APS 44+ English 5 Mathematics 6
Bachelor of Economic Science	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 7
BCom Financial Sciences	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 7
BCom (Law)	APS 43+ English 5 Mathematics 5
LLB (4 years)	APS 46+ English 6 Mathematics 5 OR Mathematical Literacy 6

HUMANITIES

Bachelor of Arts	APS 36+ English 5
BA (Law)	APS 43+ English 5 Mathematics 3 OR Mathematical Literacy 4
BA Digital Arts	APS 36+ English 5 additional selection
Theatre / Film / Fine Arts / Music	APS 34+ English 5 additional selection may apply
Speech-Language Pathology / Audiology	APS 34+ English 5 Mathematics 4 NBT required
Bachelor of Social Work	APS 36+ English 5

HEALTH SCIENCES (EXCLUDING MEDICINE)

Bachelor of Health Sciences	English 5 Mathematics 5 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 5
Clinical Medical Practice (BCMP)	English 4 Mathematics 4 OR Mathematical Literacy 7 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 4
Bachelor of Dental Science	English 5 Mathematics 5 Life Sciences 5 Physical Sciences 5 16h job shadowing
Bachelor of Oral Health Sciences	English 4 Mathematics 4 OR Mathematical Literacy 7 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 4 16h job shadowing
Bachelor of Nursing	English 4 Mathematics 4 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 4
Bachelor of Pharmacy	English 5 Mathematics 5 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 5
BSc Occupational Therapy	English 4 Mathematics 4 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 4 10h job shadowing
BSc Physiotherapy	English 5 Mathematics 5 Life Sciences and/or Physical Sciences 5 16h job shadowing

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ENGINEERING AND THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT

Professional BSc Eng programmes	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 5 Physical Sciences 5
Biomedical Engineering / Digital Arts	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 5 Physical Sciences 5
Architectural Studies	APS 34+ English 4 Mathematics 4
Urban and Regional Planning	APS 36+ English 5 Mathematics 5
Construction / Property Studies	APS 36+ English 5 Mathematics 5

SCIENCE

BSc General	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 5
BSc Biological Sciences	APS 43+ English 5 Mathematics 5
BSc Geological Sciences	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 6 Physical Sciences 5
BSc Actuarial Science	APS 44+ English 7 Mathematics 7 Physical Sciences 7
BSc Computer Science	APS 44+ English 5 Mathematics 6
BSc Physical Sciences	APS 42+ English 5 Mathematics 6 Physical Sciences 5

EDUCATION

BEd Foundation / Intermediate	APS 37+ English 5 Mathematics 4 OR Mathematical Literacy 5
BEd Senior Phase and FET	APS 37+ English 5 teaching subject requirements apply

WITS APS SUMMARY

NSC %	Other subjects	English & Maths	Life Orientation
90-100	8	10	4
80-89	7	9	3
70-79	6	8	2
60-69	5	7	1
50-59	4	4	0
40-49	3	3	0
30-39	0	0	0
0-29	0	0	0





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LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS (ALL PROGRAMMES)

English: Code 4 (Home or First Additional Language)
Another language: Code 3 (Home or First Additional Language)



SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS

- Check whether you have taken Mathematics or Mathematics Literacy, as they have different requirements.
- Each programme has specific subject requirements (refer to the faculty tables).



POINTS SYSTEM

Programmes use the UWC Points System. Meeting the minimum requirements does not guarantee admission. All programmes are selection programmes.

IMPORTANT DATES & INFORMATION



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FACULTY OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum Requirements (in addition to general admission criteria)
BA Social Work	Minimum of 30 UWC points
BA Sport, Recreation and Exercise Science	Minimum of 30 UWC points Mathematics: Code 3 Life Sciences: Code 4
BSc Occupational Therapy	Minimum of 30 UWC points Mathematics: Code 4 Life Sciences: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 4
BSc Physiotherapy	Minimum of 35 UWC points Mathematics: Code 3 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 4 Life Sciences: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 4
BSc Dietetics	Minimum of 35 UWC points Mathematics: Code 4 Life Sciences: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 4
Bachelor of Nursing	Minimum of 35 UWC points Mathematics: Code 3 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 4 Life Sciences: Code 4

FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum Requirements
BSc (General) – 3 years	Mathematics: Code 6 Physical or Life Sciences: Code 5
BSc Mathematical & Statistical Sciences	Mathematics: Code 6
BSc Computer Science	Mathematics: Code 6
BSc Geographical Sciences	Mathematics: Code 4 AND a Science (Life or Physical): Code 4
BSc Biodiversity & Conservation Biology	Life Sciences: Code 4
BSc Environmental Science	Mathematics: Code 3 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 4 Life Sciences: Code 4
BSc Physics	Mathematics: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 5
BSc Chemistry	Mathematics: Code 3 Physical Sciences: Code 5
BSc Biochemistry	Mathematics: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 5
BSc Earth Sciences	Mathematics: Code 4 Physical Sciences: Code 5
Bachelor of Pharmacy	Minimum of 33 UWC points Mathematics: Code 4 Physical Sciences AND Life Sciences: Code 4

FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES



Programme	Minimum Requirements
BCom (4 years)	English: Code 4 (Home or First Additional Language) Another language: Code 3 (Home or First Additional Language) Mathematics: Code 3 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 5
BCom Financial Accounting (4 years)	Mathematics: Code 4 AND Accounting: Code 5 (not required if Mathematics is at Code 5)
BCom Information Systems (3 years)	Mathematics: Code 3
BCom Accounting (3 years)	Mathematics: Code 4 AND Accounting: Code 5 (not required if Mathematics is at Code 5)
BCom Law (4 years)	English: Code 4 (Home or First Additional Language) Another language: Code 3 (Home or First Additional Language) Mathematics: Code 3 Life Sciences: Code 3
BCom Economics (4 years)	Mathematics: Code 4

FACULTY OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES



Programme	Minimum Requirements
BA (3 years)	Minimum of 28 UWC points
BA Language	Minimum of 28 UWC points
BA General	Minimum of 28 UWC points
BA Theology (3 years)	Minimum of 28 UWC points
BA Drama and Performance	Minimum of 28 UWC points Additional selection process may apply
BA Visual Arts	Minimum of 28 UWC points Portfolio required

FACULTY OF LAW



Programme	Minimum Requirements
LLB (4 years)	Minimum of 35 UWC points Mathematics: Code 4

FACULTY OF EDUCATION



Programme	Minimum Requirements
BEEd (Foundation Phase)	Minimum of 30 UWC points Mathematics: Code 3 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 4
BEEd (Intermediate Phase)	Minimum of 30 UWC points Mathematics: Code 4 OR Mathematics Literacy: Code 4



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