Undergraduate direct entry requirements for 2026

This table is a guide only and actual entry requirements may be higher or lower than those indicated. In all cases, admission will be determined upon the receipt of an application. The University reserves the right to change entry requirements from those published without notice. For further explanations of this table, refer to the key on the next page.

	INT ATAR	UFS GPA ❶	GCE AL or NCUK	Singaporean A Levels (2025^)	Gao Kao	HKDSE (2025^)	IB (2025^)	Malaysian STPM	Malaysian Matriculation Certificate	Malaysian UEC	Canadian OSSD	British Columbia	India CBSE	India ISC	India State Board	Sri Lankan GCE	SAT (out of 1600)	German Abitur	French Bacc	Norway	Sweden (2014 and onwards)	South African NSC	Korean CSAT (2018 onwards)	ACT	Belgian (USSC)	Denmark (STX, HF, HTX, HHX)	Europe (EB)	Finland (FMEC)	Ireland (ILC)	Italy (IHSSE)	Netherlands (Dutch Diploma of Pre-University Education)	Portugal (CSE)	Spain	Switzerland (CMC)	Switzerland (FMC)
Arts, Design & Architecture																																			
B Architectural Studies	85	7.5	11	17	75	21	32	13	2.9	2	79	3.55	79	87	93	6	1210	2.2	13.2	3.8	15.5	67	346	25	74	8.8	77	4.7	425	86	7.8	14	8.8	4.8	61.5
B Arts ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Arts/B Education (Secondary)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B City Planning (Hons)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Commerce/B Education (Secondary) ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Construction Management & Property	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Design	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Economics/B Education (Secondary)	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Fine Arts ● ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Interior Architecture (Hons)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Landscape Architecture (Hons)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Media ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Fine Arts/B Advanced Science (Hons) ●	88	7.7	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	82	3.6	81	89	95	7	1240	2.1	14	4	15.9	69	353	26	76	9.2	79.5	4.9	450	89	8	15	9	5	64.5
B Fine Arts/B Commerce ● ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Fine Arts/B Engineering (Hons) ●	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Fine Arts/B Media ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Politics, Philosophy and Economics	85	7.5	11	17	75	21	32	13	2.9	2	79	3.55	79	87	93	6	1210	2.2	13.2	3.8	15.5	67	346	25	74	8.8	77	4.7	425	86	7.8	14	8.8	4.8	61.5
B Science/B Education (Secondary)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Social Sciences ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Social Work (Hons) ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
Diploma in Architecture ●	70	6.9	6	6	60	14	25	7	2	7	72	2.5	-	65	75	4	1050	2.8	10.5	2.8	13	60	280	20	68	7.5	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49
Diploma in Media and Communication ●	65	6	5	5	60	13	25	4	2	7.5	68	2.2	-	65	70	3	1050	3	10	2	13	58	280	20	68	7	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49
Business School																																			
B Actuarial Studies ●	97	9.2	17	22.5	91	28	40	20	3.7	N/A	89	3.9	90	95	N/A	11	1390	1.5	16.6	5.5	18.9	79	373	32	86	11	95	6.8	540	100	9.6	19	10	N/A	75
B Commerce ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Commerce (International) ●	94	8.7	16	20.5	86	25	37	18	3.5	N/A	86	6.6	85	93	N/A	9	1330	1.7	15.5	4.8	17.6	74	366	30	81	10.2	87.5	5.8	490	96	8.8	17	9.4	5.8	71
B Economics	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Economics/B Advanced Science (Hons)	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Economics/B Sc (Advanced Mathematics) (Hons)	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Information Systems	86	7.6	12	17.5	75	22	32	14	3	2	80	5.8	80	88	93	6	1220	2.2	13.4	3.8	15.6	68	348	25	75	8.9	77	4.7	435	87	7.8	14	8.8	4.8	62.5
Diploma in Business ●	70	6.5	6	6	60	14	25	7	2	7	72	2.5	-	65	75	4	1050	2.8	10.5	2.8	13	60	280	20	68	7.5	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49
Engineering																																			
B Engineering (Hons) ● ●	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Engineering (Hons)/B Commerce ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Engineering (Hons) (Elec)/M Engineering (Elec)	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Engineering (Hons) (Civil with Architecture)	89	7.8	13	18.5	75	23	34	15	3.2	2	82	3.65	81	90	96	7	1260	2	14.1	4.2	16.1	70	355	27	77	9.4	81	5.1	455	89	8.2	15	9	5	66
B Food Science and Technology (Hons)	80	7.3	10	15.5	72	20	29	10	2.6	2	77	3.45	75	84	88	5	1170	2.5	12.3	3.4	14.8	64	333	23	72	8.2	71.5	4.1	395	83	7	12	8.4	4.4	56
B Science (Computer Science)	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Engineering (Hons)/M Biomedical Engineering	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
Diploma in Computer Science ●	70	6.5	5	6	60	14	25	5	2	7	70	2.5	-	70	75	4	1050	2.6	10.5	2.5	13	60	280	21	68	7.5	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49
Diploma in Engineering ●	70	6.5	5	6	60	14	25	5	2	7	70	2.5	-	70	75	4	1050	2.6	10.5	2.5	13	60	280	21	68	7.5	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49
Law & Justice																																			
B Combined Law ● ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Actuarial Studies/Law	97	9.2	17	22.5	91	28	40	20	3.7	N/A	89	3.9	90	95	N/A	11	1390	1.5	16.6	5.5	18.9	79	373	32	86	11	95	6.8	540	100	9.6	19	10	N/A	75
B Psychology (Hons)/Law	93	8.5	15	20	84	24	37	17	3.5	1	85	3.75	85	92	99	9	1310	1.8	15.1	4.6	17.2	73	364	29	80	10	85	5.6	485	94	8.6	16	9.4	5.8	70
B Criminology and Criminal Justice ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
Medicine & Health																																			
B Medical Studies/MD ● ●	96	9.0	17	22	90	27	39	19	3.7	N/A	88	3.85	89	94	N/A	11	1370	1.5	16.2	5.3	18.5	77	370	31	84	10.7	92.5	6.5	520	100	9.4	18	9.8	N/A	74
B Applied Exercise Science/ M Clinical Exercise Physiology	83	7.4	10	16.5	72	21	31	12	2.75	2	78	3.5	78	86	91	5	1190	2.3	12.8	3.4	15.2	65	341	24	73	8.5	73	4.2	415	85	7.4	13	8.6	4.4	59.5
B Exercise Science/ M Physiotherapy and Exercise Physiology	96	9	17	22	90	27	39	19	3.7	N/A	88	3.85	89	94	N/A	11	1370	1.5	16.2	5.3	18.5	77	370	31	84	10.7	92.5	6.5	520	100	9.4	18	9.8	N/A	74
B Public Health	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Nutrition/M Dietetics and Food Innovation	85	7.5	11	17	75	21	32	13	2.9	2	79	3.55	79	87	93	6	1210	2.2	13.2	3.8	15.5	67	346	25	74	8.8	77	4.7	425	86	7.8	14	8.8	4.8	61.5
B Pharmaceutical Medicine/M Pharmacy	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Vision Science	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Vision Science/Master of Clinical Optometry ●	97	9.2	17	22.5	91	28	40	20	3.7	N/A	89	3.9	90	95	N/A	11	1390	1.5	16.6	5.5	18.9	79	373	32	86	11	95	6.8	540	100	9.6	19	10	N/A	75
Science																																			
B Advanced Science (Hons) ●	88	7.7	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	82	3.6	81	89	95	7	1240	2.1	14	4	15.9	69	353	26	76	9.2	79.5	4.9	450	89	8	15	9	5	64.5
B Aviation (Flying) ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Aviation (Management)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Aviation (Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Data Science and Decisions	85	7.5	11	17	75	21	32	13	2.9	2	79	3.55	79	87	93	6	1210	2.2	13.2	3.8	15.5	67	346	25	74	8.8	77	4.7	425	86	7.8	14	8.8	4.8	61.5
B Engineering (Hons) (Materials Science and Engineering) ●	80	7.3	10	15.5	72	20	29	10	2.6	2	77	3.45	75	84	88	5	1170	2.5	12.3	3.4	14.8	64	333	23	72	8.2	71.5	4.1	395	83	7	12	8.4	4.4	56
B Engineering (Hons) (Mtrls Sc)/B Commerce ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Engineering (Hons) (Mtrls Sc)/B Eng Sci (Chem Eng)	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Engineering (Hons) (Mtrls Sc)/M Biomed Eng	87	7.6	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	81	3.6	81	89	94	7	1230	2.1	13.6	4	15.8	68	350	26	76	9.1	79.5	4.9	440	88	8	15	8.8	5	63.5
B Environmental Management	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Medical Science ●	83	7.4	10	16.5	72	21	31	12	2.75	2	78	3.5	78	86	91	5	1190	2.3	12.8	3.4	15.2	65	341	24	73	8.5	73	4.2	415	85	7.4	13	8.6	4.4	59.5
B Medicinal Chemistry (Hons)	82	7.4	10	16	72	21	30	11	2.7	2	78	3.5	77	85	90	5	1180	2.4	12.7	3.4	15.1	65	338	24	73	8.4	71.5	4.1	405	84	7.2	13	8.4	4.4	58
B Psychological Science	78	7.1	10	14.5	70	19	29	9	2.4	2	76	3.4	75	83	87	4	1150	2.6	12	3.4	14.5	62	329	23	71	7.9	67.5	3.6	380	82	6.8	12	8.2	4.2	54
B Psychology (Hons) ●	92	8.2	15	19.5	80	24	36	16	3.4	1	85	3.7	85	92	98	9	1300	1.8	14.8	4.6	16.9	72	362	29	79	9.8	85	5.6	475	93	8.6	16	9.2	5.6	69
B Science ●	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
B Science (Advanced Mathematics) (Hons)	88	7.7	12	18	75	22	33	15	3.1	2	82	3.6	81	89	95	7	1240	2.1	14	4	15.9	69	353	26	76	9.2	79.5	4.9	450	89	8	15	9	5	64.5
B Science Biotechnology (Hons)	75	6.9	10	14	70	19	27	8	2.25	2	75	3.35	75	81	84	4	1130	2.7	11.5	2.5	14	61	320	22	70	7.6	65	3.5	360	80	6.5	10	8	4	51.5
Diploma in Science ●	65	6	5	5	60	13	25	4	2	7.5	68	2.2	-	65	70	3	1050	3	10	2	13	58	280	20	68	7	57.5	3.4	330	70	5.5	10	7.6	3.8	49

Entry requirements to bachelor's and diploma programs may not appear equivalent across INT ATAR and GCE AL. This is due to different assessment rubrics used by UNSW Sydney and UNSW College.

^These entry requirements reflect our 2025 entry requirements. With changes to the assessment of qualifications, these will be updated in due course. Refer to our website for latest updates at unsw.to/degrees.

Direct entry table key and notes

Entry guide key

● This degree can be combined with other degrees. Refer to the UNSW Degree Finder for double degree combinations. Admission based on at the higher entry requirement of the two programs.

● There are limited places available in this program. While offers will be made progressively on receipt of application, applicants should be aware that strict quotas apply for this program and early submission of application is advised. Scores indicated are a guide to the minimum required.

● Special program notes.

Aviation (Flying)
In addition to the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) or direct admission applications, there are additional selection criteria required for this program, please visit unsw.to/aviation-flying.

Students will need to obtain a Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) Class 1 medical certificate for the Flying program before beginning flying training.

Fine Arts
The Music specialisation has additional selection criteria. All applicants must pass the UNSW Musicianship test and, if successful, submit a performance audition for consideration by the School of the Arts & Media. Find further details at unsw.to/music-auditions.

Medicine
All international applicants are required to either sit the International Student Admissions Test (ISAT) or the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT ANZ). Applicants must also submit an online registration form (available from unsw.to/medhowtoapply) and read the faculty admissions information carefully.

UNSW Diplomas
UNSW Diplomas in Architecture, Business, Computer Science, Engineering, Media and Communication and Science are a pathway to the second year of a UNSW Bachelor of Architectural Studies, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Engineering (Hons), Bachelor of Interior Architecture (Hons), Bachelor of Landscape Architecture (Hons), Bachelor of Media, Bachelor of Science (Computer Science) and Bachelor of Science.

Honours year programs
A number of options are available. For further details refer to unsw.to/degrees.

Program information

❶ Entry requirements for UNSW Foundation Studies will be confirmed prior to the commencement of UNSW study and at the time of printing are still subject to confirmation from some academic areas.

❷ Includes Aerospace, Bioinformatics, Chemical, Chemical Product, Civil, Computer, Electrical, Environmental, Mechanical, Mechanical and Manufacturing, Mechatronic, Mining, Photovoltaics and Solar Energy, Renewable Energy, Software, Surveying, Telecommunications and Quantum.

❸ Includes Law combined with: Advanced Mathematics (Hons); Advanced Science (Hons); Arts; City Planning (Hons); Commerce; Computer Science; Criminology and Criminal Justice; Data Science and Decisions; Economics; Engineering (Hons); Fine Arts; Medicinal Chemistry; Politics; Philosophy and Economics; Psychological Science; Science; Social Sciences; and Social Work (Hons).

British Columbia Senior Secondary School Graduation Diploma (2004 graduation program)
Calculate the grade average from all Grade 12 subjects except Graduation Transition based on A=4, B=3, C+= 2.5, C=2, C- =1, F=0. Graduation Diploma must be awarded.

Canadian Ontario Secondary School Diploma (OSSD)
Ontario Secondary School Diploma is based on overall average score including best six grade 12 university preparation courses or university/college preparation courses, including English (ENG4U).

General Certificate of Education Advanced Level (GCE A-Level)
All applicants must present a minimum of two Advanced Level (A2) subjects. You may apply with provisional results. Entry scores are calculated from the best two, three or four A2 Level subjects (excluding repeated subjects) using the following values: A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2 and E=1.

Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)
Due to changes in the HKDSE curriculum, UNSW assessment is currently under review. For updates, refer to the entry requirements on our Degree Finder at unsw.to/degrees.

Indian Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE)
Awarded by CBSE, average percentage marks across English or Hindi and your best four remaining subjects.

The entry requirements for predicted results differ. Please refer to the correct column of the undergraduate direct entry requirement table.

Indian Certificate of Secondary Education (ICSE)
Awarded by ICSE, overall average from English and the best three externally examined subjects.

India State Boards (Indian Higher Secondary School Certificate)
Average of English and the best three subjects in the Higher Secondary School Certificate (HSSC) in the states of Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka. India HSSC issued by other states is not accepted.

International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma or Bilingual Diploma
Entry criteria is based on scores required for entry into UNSW in 2025 and are only applicable if the diploma has been completed. Students currently attempting the IB Diploma or Bilingual Diploma can apply directly to UNSW or through the Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) using their provisional result. For more details visit uac.edu.au.

Gaokao
Entry requirements are based on the percentage average of all attempted subjects in the National Higher Education Entrance Examination (Gaokao). Refer to the Gaokao Table (see below) for the maximum marks of each province.

Maximum marks are reviewed annually by the Chinese government.

Province	Indicative Points
Anhui	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Beijing	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Chongqing	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Fujian	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Gansu	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Guangdong	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Guangxi	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Guizhou	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Hainan	630 (70%) – 810 (90%) / 940
Hebei	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Heilongjiang	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Henan	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Hubei	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Hunan	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Inner Mongolia	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Jiangsu	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Jiangxi	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Jilin	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Liaoning	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Ningxia	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Qinghai	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Shaanxi	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Shandong	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Shanghai	462 (70%) – 594 (90%) / 660
Shanxi	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Sichuan	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Tianjin	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Xinjiang	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Xizang (Tibet)	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Yunnan	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750
Zhejiang	525 (70%) – 675 (90%) / 750

Korea Republic College Scholastic Ability Test (CSAT) (2018 onwards)
Entry requirements are based on overall grades from the sum of four standard scores in Korean Language, Mathematics and the best two subjects in Science or Social Studies.

Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM)
Entry requirements vary depending on the number of Advanced Level subjects chosen. The direct entry requirements table is based on four Advanced Level subjects where A=7, A-=6, B+=5, B=4, B-=3, C+=2, C=1.

Subjects at Advanced Level must be taken in the same academic year.

Malaysian Unified Examination Certificate
Entry requirements are based on overall avewrage of the best five subjects (excluding vocational subjects) where A1=1, A2=2, B3=3, B4=4, B5=5, B6=6, C7=7, C8=8, F9=0.

Scholastic Aptitude Test 1 (SAT1) taken from March 2016 onwards
Entry is based on the total scores of Math, Evidence Based Reading and Writing. This must be provided in conjunction with evidence of successful completion of senior secondary studies. Advanced Placement tests (APs) with grades 4 or 5 can be used to lower the required SAT scores for entry. A maximum of two AP grades can be considered, except Calculus AB subgrade.

Advanced Placement (AP)
Entry is based on a minimum of three (and a maximum of four) AP subjects with grades 3 and above. Applicants must provide a Student Score Report with the letterhead 'AP College Board'.

This must be provided in conjunction with evidence of successful completion of senior secondary studies.

Singapore A Levels
Due to changes to the GCE A Level Curriculum and University Admissions Score (UAS) calculation effective 2026, UNSW assessment is currently under review. For updates, refer to the entry requirements on our Degree Finder at unsw.to/degrees.

South African National Senior Certificate
Entry requirements are based on the percentage average awarded for the best four subjects, excluding Life Orientation. This is only applicable if the certificate has been awarded and the candidate is eligible for university entrance in South Africa.

Sri Lankan General Certificate of Education
Based on the best three A-level subjects where A=4, B=3, C=2, S=1, F=0.

Commonly accepted secondary qualifications

Region	Accepted qualifications	Recognised high school qualification
Africa	B D H	Tanzanian Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education, Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education or ZIMSEC GCE Advanced Level
Argentina	B D	
Australia	B D H	Senior Secondary School Certificate with ATAR
Bangladesh	B4	
Belgium	B D H	Belgian Certificate of Access to Higher Education
Brazil	B D	
Canada	B D H	Canadian OSSD or other provincial equivalents
China (PRC)	B D H	National Higher Education Entrance Examination (Gaokao)
Colombia	B D	
Denmark	B D H	Danish Studentereksmen or equivalent
European Union	B D H	European Baccalaureate
Fiji	B D H	Fiji Year 13 Certificate
Finland	B D H	Finnish Matriculation Certificate
France	B D H	Baccalauréat Général or Option Internationale du Baccalauréat (OIB)
Germany	B D H	German Abitur
Hong Kong, China	B D H	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)
India	B D H	India CBSE, Indian School Certificate (Grade 12) or Indian Higher Secondary School Certificate (Indian State Boards of Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka)
Indonesia	B D	
Ireland	B D H	Republic of Ireland Leaving Certificate or equivalent
Israel	B D H	Israel Teudat Bagrut
Italy	B D H	Italian High School State Exam
Japan	B D H	National Center Test for University Admission (Sentā) and evidence of successful completion of the Japanese Upper Secondary School Diploma
Jordan	B D	
Korea	B D H	Korea Republic College Scholastic Ability Test (CSAT)
Lebanon	B D	
Malaysia	B D H	Sijil Tinggi Pelajaran Malaysia (STPM), Malaysian Matriculation Certificate (Matrikulasi) or Unified Examination Certificate
Mexico	B D	
Norway	B D H	Norwegian Certificate of Completion of Upper Secondary School Examination or equivalent
New Zealand	B D H	National Certificate of Educational Achievement NCEA Level 3 and must meet the requirements for University Entrance (UE)
Oman	B D	
Pakistan	B4	
Philippines	B D	
Portugal	B D	Portuguese Certificate of Secondary Education
Russia	B D	
Saudi Arabia	B D	
Singapore	B D H	Singapore-Cambridge GCE Advanced Level
South Africa	B D H	South African National Senior Certificate
Spain	B D H	Spanish Título Bachillerato with Prueba de Acceso a la Universidad
Sri Lanka	B D H	Sri Lankan GCE Advanced Level
Sweden	B D H	Swedish Upper Secondary School Leaving Certificate (Slutbetyg fran Gymnasieskolan)
Switzerland	B D H	Swiss Federal Maturity Certificate or federally recognised Cantonal Maturity Certificate
Taiwan, China	B D H	Taiwanese General Scholastic Aptitude Test (GSAT) and evidence of successful completion of high school
Thailand	B D H	Thailand Ordinary National Education Test (O-NET)
The Netherlands	B D H	Dutch Diploma of Pre-University Education
United Arab Emirates	B D	
United States of America	B D H	Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) or American College Test (ACT) and evidence of successful completion of high school
Vietnam	B D H	Vietnamese High School Graduation Certificate from approved high schools

The qualifications listed on this page will be considered for entry into undergraduate programs. Students are assessed on actual results achieved and not simply completion of the qualification.

For further information, or if you have completed a qualification not listed on this page, please contact us.

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Other accepted qualifications
Foundation Year programs from any Australian Group of Eight university.

NCUK International Foundation Year: Entry requirements are based on the aggregate of three subject modules completed in the NCUK International foundation program. English for Academic Purposes (EAP), English for Academic Purposes for Proficient Users (EAPPU) or Research and Communication Skills (RSC) are excluded. Total score is calculated using following values: A*=6, A=5, B=4, C=3, D=2 and E=1.

General Certificate of Education (GCE) Advanced Level (A2) subjects only: Comparable qualifications include the Pearson-Edexcel International Advanced Levels and the University of Malta Matriculation Certificate examination.

International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma: Completion of the IB Diploma or Bilingual Diploma.

Forecast or predicted results
Forecast or predicted results will be considered for the following qualifications only:
- Central Board of Secondary Education (CBSE) (All India)
- GCE A-Level
- IB Diploma
- Indian CBSE
- Korean CSAT September Mock Exam
- NCUK
- Singapore A Levels

Forecast results must be presented in the following format:
- Be issued on an official school letterhead and include the institution stamp and signature of the Principal, Registrar or Academic Director.
- Be dated after 1 May for Term 1 (February intake) and 1 November of the previous year for Term 3 (September intake).
- For IB only: Forecast results must have the total predicted score as well as the individual scores for each subject.

The total predicted aggregate must be the equivalent of two points higher than the total final aggregate required for admission.

These results are not accepted for Law, Medicine and Optometry programs.

Important information regarding UAC

The Universities Admissions Centre (UAC) processes undergraduate program applications for institutions in the Australian state of New South Wales and the Australian Capital Territory.

Do I need to apply through UAC?
International students who are completing one of the following qualifications must apply through UAC:
- An Australian Year 12 qualification in Australia or overseas.
- The International Baccalaureate (IB) in Australia or overseas (optional).
- The New Zealand National Certificate of Educational Achievement (Level 3).

If you do not fall into the above categories, you must apply directly to UNSW at applyonline.unsw.edu.au.

How do I apply through UAC?
International students within the above mentioned categories must apply through UAC International. The website will guide you through the process and has a section with frequently asked questions.

Alternatively, UNSW-authorised agents can assist you with the application process.

During the process, you will receive a UAC application number and UAC PIN. You will need these details to log in to the UAC website to check or change your program preferences and to access your offer (should you meet the entry requirements of your chosen program).

When do I need to apply?
Visit the UAC website at uac.edu.au for information on application dates.

What is the cost to apply via UAC?
There is a non-refundable processing charge payable by credit, debit card or via PayPal. This charge covers applications to multiple programs and universities.

How are my results released to UAC?
UAC requires you to provide your permission to allow your results to be released directly to UAC. Contact your school's IB/HSC coordinator before the UAC deadline to confirm that your school has submitted the permission on your behalf.

I am an IB student. Can I receive an offer based on my predicted grades?
Applicants completing the IB Diploma can be considered for admission in Term 3 (September intake) based on predicted grades. The total predicted aggregate must be two points higher than the total final aggregate required for admission. The statement of predicted grades must:
- be issued on a school letterhead and signed by the Principal, School Director, Deputy School Director or Registrar
- include the date of issue, expected date of graduation, expected results release date, predicted mark for each subject undertaken, and your predicted total aggregate
- results should be dated after 1 January for entry in Term 3 (September intake).

When will I receive my offer?
Offers are released from:
- September to January for Term 1 (February intake)
- May for Term 2 (June intake)
- June to August for Term 3 (September intake)