



General Admissions Criteria for 2025

The minimum admission requirement is a National Senior Certificate (NSC) Bachelors pass - an achievement rating of 4 (adequate achievement 50-59%) or better in four NSC subjects

UWC Points System

For admission to degree and diploma programmes UWC uses a weighted system for calculating points. In order to be admitted to degree studies the candidate should have attained a minimum number of points.

Refer to each programme on the reverse side to determine the number of points required. The UWC points table to the right indicates how points are allocated.

In addition to point score requirements mentioned above, additional criteria must be met to qualify for admission to particular study programmes.

Specific programme admission requirements can be found under each of the Faculties on the reverse side.

| LEVELS | PERCENTAGES | | UWC POINTS | | | |
|--------|-------------|---------------|------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | NSC levels | UWC level | % | Points for English *1 | Points for Maths or Maths Lit | Points for Life Orientation |
| 7 | 8 | 90-100% | 15 | 15 | 3 | 8 |
| 7 | 7 | 80-89% | 13 | 13 | 3 | 7 |
| 6 | 6 | 70-79% | 11 | 11 | 2 | 6 |
| 5 | 5 | 60-69% | 9 | 9 | 2 | 5 |
| 4 | 4 | 50-59% | 7 | 7 | 2 | 4 |
| 3 | 3 | 40-49% | 5 | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| 2 | 2 | 30-39% | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 |
| 1 | 1 | 20-29% | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| | | less than 20% | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

*1 "English" refers to either English home language or English first additional language, not second additional language.



APPLICATION PROCESS



FAQs



POST MATRIC INFORMATION



CAREER GUIDANCE TIPS



FACULTY VIDEOS



Faculty of Community and Health Sciences



Faculty of Dentistry



Faculty of Education



Faculty of Natural Science



Faculty of Arts and Humanities



Faculty of Law



Faculty of Economic and Management Sciences

UWC OPEN DAY
SATURDAY, 11 MAY 2024
09H00 TO 15H00

MAIN CAMPUS BELLVILLE
ROBERT SOBUKWE DRIVE

Student Enrolment Management Unit (SEMU)

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OTHER IMPORTANT INFO

Programme application closing dates

31 August 2024 for BDS and BOH programmes and 30 September 2024 for all other.

UWC Tuition Fees for 2024

(Subject to change for 2025: +5% increase p/a)

BA, BLIS, BTh, B Com, BEd and LLB

+/-R39 263.00 - R54 646.00 p/a

BA(S/W), BSc (Phys), BSc (Occ. Ther), B Nurs, etc

+/-R39 263.00 - R54 646.00 p/a

BSc and BPharm

R42 843.00 - R47 428.00 p/a

Geology II or III

R43 130.00 p/a

BDS (Dentistry)

R70 842.00 p/a

Bachelor of Oral Health

R45 573.00 p/a

For more information about:

- **Bursaries or financial aid contact us at:**

Financial Aid Office on

☎ (021) 959 9753 / 2737

✉ finaid@uwc.ac.za

- **Residence fees contact us at:**

Residential Services on

☎ (021) 959 2569

✉ resservices1@uwc.ac.za

Online applications available from May 2024 on UWC website: www.uwc.ac.za

For more information about applications email us at admissions@uwc.ac.za or call us on (021) 959 3900/ 1/ 2, or visit us at www.uwc.ac.za



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| <p>FACULTY OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SCIENCES</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>UWC Points: See below</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>Bachelor of Social Work Minimum of 34 UWC points English (home lang) Code 4 OR English (first additional language) Code 5 Another lang (home or first additional) Code 4 Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 4</p> <p>Bachelor of Community Development Minimum of 30 UWC points Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 4</p> <p>BA Sport, Recreation and Exercise Science Minimum of 30 UWC points Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 4</p> <p>BSc Dietetics and Nutrition Minimum of 33 UWC points Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>021 959 2852 (CBD Blanckenberg Str Bellville)</p> <p>021 959 1794 chshelpdesk@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF COMMUNITY AND HEALTH SCIENCES</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>UWC Points: See below</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>BSc Sport and Exercise Science Minimum of 33 UWC points Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Occupational Therapy Minimum of 33 UWC points Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Physiotherapy Minimum of 39 UWC points Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Life Sciences Code 4 AND Physical Sciences Code 4</p> <p>B Nursing and Midwifery Minimum of 30 UWC points Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>021 959 2852 (CBD Blanckenberg Str Bellville)</p> <p>021 959 1794 chshelpdesk@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF ECONOMIC AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>UWC Points: Minimum of 30 UWC points</p> <p>Programmes - 3 Year Stream</p> <p>BAdmin Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5</p> <p>BCom BCom Financial Accounting BCom Information Systems Maths Code 4</p> <p>BCom Accounting (3yrs) Maths Code 4 AND Accounting Code 5 OR Maths Code 5</p> <p>Programmes - 4 Year Stream</p> <p>BCom English Code 3 AND Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language) Maths Code 2 OR Maths Literacy Code 6</p> <p>BCom Accounting (4yrs) English Code 3 AND Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language) Maths Code 4 AND Accounting Code 5 OR Maths Code 4</p> <p>021 959 3164 emsadmin@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Code 4 in another subject from the NSC subject list</p> <p>UWC Points: Minimum of 35 UWC points</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>Bachelor of Arts (BA) Bachelor of Theology (BTh) Bachelor of Library and Information Science (BLIS)</p> <p>BA Degree majors (Arts subjects)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Afrikaans en Nederlands • Afrikaans vir Taalprofessies • Anthropology • Arabic • Classical Culture • English • Ethics • French • Geography and Environmental Studies • German • History • Industrial Psychology • Islamic Studies • Language and Communication Studies • Latin • Psychology • Philosophy • Political Studies • Sociology • Theological Studies • Tourism Studies • Women's and Gender Studies • Xhosa Studies • Xhosa Language Acquisition <p>Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 4 is required for the BLIS and for subjects listed below:</p> <p>Geography and Environmental Studies Tourism Library and Information Science Psychology Industrial Psychology</p> <p>021 959 2152 arts@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>UWC Points: Minimum of 33 UWC points</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>BSc Environmental and Water Science BSc Biotechnology BSc Biodiversity and Conservation Biology Maths Code 4 Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Medical Bioscience Maths Code 4 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Chemical Sciences BSc Applied Geology Maths Code 4 Physical Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Physical Science Maths Code 5 Physical Sciences Code 4</p> <p>BSc Mathematical & Statistical Sciences BSc Computer Science Maths Code 5 AND Physical Sciences OR Life Sciences OR Information Technology Code 4</p> <p>Bachelor of Pharmacy 38 UWC points Maths Code 4 Physical Sciences AND Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>021 959 3426 science-undergrad@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF DENTISTRY</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) Minimum of 40 UWC points</p> <p>Bachelor of Oral Health (BOH) Minimum of 33 UWC points</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>Bachelor of Dental Surgery (BDS) Maths Code 4 Physical Sciences AND Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>Bachelor of Oral Health (BOH) Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 4 Life Sciences Code 4</p> <p>Closing date for BDS and BOH applications: 31 August 2024</p> <p>021 937 3185 / 3022 dentistry@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF LAW</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL PROGRAMMES</p> <p>English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language)</p> <p>Programmes</p> <p>Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (4yr Prog) Minimum of 37 UWC points Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5</p> <p>B Com Law Minimum of 30 UWC points English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language) Maths Code 4</p> <p>Bachelor of Arts in Law - BA (Law) (3yr Prog) Minimum of 37 UWC points Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP & FET) and Life Orientation (SP) Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5 Life Orientation Code 4</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP and FET) and Mathematics (SP) Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP and FET) and Social Sciences (SP) Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5 History Code 4 OR Geography Code 4</p> <p>BEd Foundation Phase Teaching English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 4 (home OR first additional language) AND Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5</p> <p>021 959 3291 lawundergradenq@uwc.ac.za</p> | <p>FACULTY OF EDUCATION</p> <p>UWC Points: Minimum of 33 UWC points</p> <p>Programmes *FET = Further Education and Training Teaching *SP = Senior Phase</p> <p>BEd Accounting (FET), Economic and Management Sciences (SP) and Mathematics (SP) English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language) Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Accounting Code 4 OR Business Studies Code 4 OR Economics Code 4</p> <p>BEd Mathematics (SP), Mathematical Literacy (SP & FET) and Natural Science (SP) English Code 4 (home OR first additional language) Another language Code 3 (home OR first additional language) Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6 Life Sciences Code 4 OR Physical Sciences Code 4</p> <p>LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS FOR: BEd Languages (SP & FET) and Life Orientation (SP); BEd Languages (SP & FET) and Mathematics (SP); BEd Languages (SP & FET) and Social Sciences (SP) English (home language) Code 4 OR English (first additional language) Code 5 AND Another language (home or first additional language) Code 4</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP and FET) and Life Orientation (SP) Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5 Life Orientation Code 4</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP and FET) and Mathematics (SP) Maths Code 4 OR Maths Literacy Code 6</p> <p>BEd Languages (SP and FET) and Social Sciences (SP) Maths Code 3 OR Maths Literacy Code 5 History Code 4 OR Geography Code 4</p> <p>021 959 2276 educundergraduate@uwc.ac.za</p> |