

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

MINIMUM NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

SCHOOL FOR FURTHER AND CONTINUING EDUCATION (ALICE CAMPUS)

QUALIFICATION	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	CREDITS	SCORE
B Ed (Senior and FET Phase) 50049	English Home Language / First Additional Language	4 (50-59%)	20	25
	Other Language	3 (40-49%)	20	
	2 Relevant subjects of specialization	4 (50-59%)	20	
	Life Orientation	4 (50-59%)	10	
	One subject	4 (50-59%)	20	
	Two subjects	3 (40-49%)	20	
B Ed (Foundation Phase Teaching / Intermediate Phase Teaching) 50045 / 50046	English Home Language / Xhosa Home Language / Afrikaans Home Language	4 (50-59%)	20	25
	English FAL / Xhosa FAL / Afrikaans FAL	4 (50-59%)	20	
	Mathematics Literacy	5 (60-69%)	20	
	or Mathematics	4 (50-59%)	20	
	Life Orientation	4 (50-59%)	10	
	Any other 3 subjects designated 20-credit subjects	4 (50-59%)	20	

Minimum National Certificate (Vocational)

The minimum requirements for the Faculty of Education for students passed at public colleges, private colleges and other institutions offering FET vocational programmes shall be as follows:

- National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4
- At least 60% in three fundamental subjects i.e. English first language or first additional language, Mathematics/Mathematics Literacy and Life orientation.
- At least 70% in four relevant compulsory modules

N6 Certificate:

Prospective students with N6 certificate qualify to be admitted to any relevant B Ed programme.

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR UNDERGRADUATE DEGREES

The New NSC entrance requirements: the 4 NSC subjects required at level 4 must satisfy the following Faculty-specific requirements

QUALIFICATION	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	SCORE	CREDITS
B HMS (84001) (Alice only)	English	4 (50-59%)	28/29	20
	Mathematics /	4 (50-59%)		20
	Mathematical Literacy	5 (60-69%)		20
	Life Orientation	4 (50-59%)		10
	Any other 4 designated subjects (preferably in Science subjects)	4 (50-59%)		20
Speech Language Pathology (84033) (East London only)	English	4 (50-59%)	28/29	20
	Mathematics /	4 (50-59%)		20
	Mathematical Literacy	6 (70-79%)		20
	Physical Science	4 (50-59%)		20
	Life Sciences	4 (50-59%)		20
	Life Orientation	4 (50-59%)		10
	Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%)		20

Student admission and selection process

1. Application forms are available either from students' registration office or online.
2. Completed application forms are sent to students' registration office for capturing before the faculty selection.
3. Admission of students is done using Swedish points system with high scores considered first.
4. For programmes requiring interviews, students are interviewed prior to final selection.
5. Current matric students are provisionally accepted pending the final matric results, availability of space and NBT results.
6. Application forms are checked and signed by the faculty manager as per admission status.
7. Once application forms have been signed they are given to registration office for status capturing.
8. Wait listed students are considered after the registration of accepted students



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FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT AND COMMERCE

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR MAINSTREAM PROGRAMMES

PROGRAMME	OLD SENIOR CERTIFICATE		NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE			
	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	TOTAL POINTS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	MIN LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	MIN APS	FOR NOTING
B Com Accounting (60001) (East London only)	Matric exemption with English E(SG) & Maths D(SG)/ E(HG)	35	Bachelor's Admission with English Language Mathematics	5 (60-69%) 5 (60-69%)	28	Selection will be based on Merit
B Com Accounting (60006) Extended Curriculum Programme	Matric exemption with English E(SG) & Maths D(SG)/ E(HG)	35	Bachelor's Admission with English Language Mathematics	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	26	Selection will be based on Merit
B Com - Information Systems (60011) (East London only)	Matric exemption with English E(SG) & Maths D(SC)/ E(HG)	35	Bachelor's Admission with English Language Mathematics / Technical Mathematics	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	26	Selection will be based on Merit
B Com Gen - (60016) (EL & Alice)	Matric exemption with English E(SG) & Maths E(SG)	30	Bachelor's Admission with English Language Mathematics	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	Selection will be based on Merit
New B Admin (PA) (62005) (Alice & Bhisho)	Matric exemption with English E(SG) Exposure to Maths / Maths Lit	21	Bachelor's Admission		24	Selection will be based on Merit

- For B Com and B Admin degrees, Life orientation (LO) will be capped at level 3 for calculating APS
- For B Com Accounting (60006) qualification the minimum requirement for Maths Lit is level 7, however, when calculating the APS score it is capped at 4 points.
- Students will be ranked according to the level of achievement and assigned to available space within the degree.
- LO does not count in Accounting.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR FOUNDATION PROGRAMMES

PROGRAMME	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	APS SCORE
B Com - Information Systems 60101 (East London only)	Bachelor's admission with		26
B Com Gen - Economics Stream 61016 (Alice & East London)	English Language	4 (50-59%)	
	Mathematics /	3 (40-49%)	
	Maths Lit	6 (70-79%)	

- It should be noted that there's no foundation for B Admin degrees as the minimum admissions to main stream is bachelors admission only and capped at minimum level.

National Certificate (Vocational)

The minimum requirements for the Faculty of Management and Commerce for students passed at public colleges, private colleges and other institutions offering FET vocational programmes shall be as follows:

- National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4
- At least 60% in three fundamental subjects including the Language of Teaching and Learning at Fort Hare or at least English First Additional Language (FAL)
- At least 70% in four compulsory modules
- To be admitted to B Com (Accounting); Bachelor of Commerce (main stream); and B Com (Information Systems), one of the three fundamental subjects has to be Mathematics and not Mathematics Literacy.

N6 Certificate:

Prospective students with N6 certificate qualify to be admitted to any Management and Commerce program--- subject to the availability of space and Mathematics requirement for B Com Programmes.

Faculty of Management & Commerce Selection Process:

- Selection Committee convenes at Student Administration to process application forms already sorted by Faculty and by Qualification.
- Applicants have to meet the minimum admission requirement as laid down in the Faculty Admission Policy as well as the subject/programme pre-requisites as published in the prospectus and selection is based on Merit
- Priority is given to students who applied on time and met the Faculty entry requirements as published in the Admissions Policy, also giving access to rural poor, and gender equity.
- Due to influx of Mature Age and N6 applicants selection in these categories is on a first come first serve basis.
- Transferring students have to meet the Faculty entry requirements as well as the subject/programme pre-requisites as published in the prospectus first; apply for credits using Credit Application Form signed by respective Departments before a decision is reached.

If all Options of the applicant are from within the Faculty, the decision is finalised in the same sitting but if other choices are from other Faculties, referrals are made to such Faculties as well, if applicant was unsuccessful.

FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES & HUMANITIES

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS:

Please **note:** These are only minimum entrance requirements and the final student selection will be strictly on merit. In the case of ties, applicants will be subjected to an aptitude test and the highest scorer gets selected. All applicants to meet the requirements for Bachelors admission for NSC OR they must have obtained Matric Exemption OR Pass with Endorsement or with Merit.

National Certificate Vocational (NCV) Public FET Colleges

- At level 4 (N4)
- 60% pass in English Language Subject (Business English/ English Language/ Communication etc)
- 50% pass in three fundamental subjects and
- any two other subjects or
- N6 Qualification

Students selection and admissions process

1. Students receive application forms from the Students Registration Office through the post/contact.
2. These are completed and returned back to the Students Registration Office and get sorted per faculty.
3. Then the faculty selection committee (Deputy Dean: Teaching and Learning, Faculty Manager, HODs and Administrators) convenes to do the selection.
4. Admission is done on merit, using the Swedish point system. High scores are considered first in chronological order.
5. For interview programs students are invited for presentations prior to selection*
6. The current matrics are provisionally accepted pending their matric final results and availability of space for admission into programmes, plus NBT results.
7. The application forms are checked and signed by the Faculty Manager according to the admission status.
8. Once the forms are signed, they are given back to the Students Registration Office to capture the status which is then communicated to the students from that same office.
9. The Faculty keeps records of the accepted students as backup.
10. Waitlisted students are considered after registration of the accepted students
11. Accepted students get notification from the Students Registration Office.

MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS (NATIONAL SENIOR CERTIFICATE: NSC)

QUALIFICATION	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	SCORE	CREDITS
Bachelor of Arts (30000) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Music (30003) * <i>(Interview Programme) (Offered only in East London)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Arts in Music (30004) * <i>(Interview Programme) (Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Fine Arts (30100) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Theology (10000) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Applied Communication Management (30201) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Social Sciences (30002) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Social Work (33002) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Library and Information Sciences (32000) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20
Diploma in Fine Arts (35000) # <i>(Interview Programme) (Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%)	22	20 20 10 20 20
Bachelor of Human Settlement (30005) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	25	20 20 10 20 20

* Subject to music departmental auditions and appropriate portfolio.

Subject to Art of Drawing portfolio

Applicants who have completed the bridging certificate at Lovedale FET College will be considered.

OR

QUALIFICATION	MATRIC	UNWEIGHTED SWEDISH RATING	ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS
Bachelor of Arts BA (30000) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D
Bachelor of Arts in Music BA Mus (30003) Interview Programme <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D; Music Department Auditions
Bachelor of Music B Mus (30004) Interview Programme <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D; Music Department Auditions
Bachelor of Fine Arts (30100) Interview Programme <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D; Drawing Portfolio
Bachelor of Theology (10000) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D;
Bachelor of Applied Communication Management (30201) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D;
Bachelor of Social Sciences (30002) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D;
Bachelor of Social Work (33002) <i>(Offered in Alice and East London)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D;
Bachelor of Library and Information Sciences (35500) <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	With Endorsement	25	English HG E; SG D;
Diploma in Fine Arts (35000) Interview Programme <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	Senior Certificate	22	

Mature Age Exemption

Mature age applicants are those who are 23 years and above with a Senior Certificate and a pass in four (4) subjects (E Standard Grade and above), namely two languages and two content subjects. Three of these **must** be from one examination sitting. An applicant who will be turning 23 in his/her first year of registration shall be considered for Mature Age.

Foundation Programme

The Social Sciences and Humanities Foundation Programme is an entrance programme intended to provide a strong academic foundation to students who do not meet Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities minimum entry requirements because they do not have sufficient Swedish rating points.

The SSHFP follows the same structure as mainstream modules, but its curriculum is extended over a longer period and there is additional academic support. SSHFP students must take one more year to complete their degree than mainstream students. These students must register for Academic Practices and Reasoning (APR) which is a value-addition course in their first year of registration. This course assists students in developing their academic skills towards their qualification.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

QUALIFICATION	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	SCORE	CREDITS
Foundation Programme <i>(Offered only in Alice)</i>	English 1st Language or any other 1st Language English 2nd Language Life Orientation 1 subject Any other 2 designated subjects	3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	21	20 20 10 20 20

FACULTY OF LAW

MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Diploma in Local Government Law and Administration (20100)

The requirement for admission to the Diploma is a school leaving certificate with a minimum aggregate symbol E-S, or National Senior Certificate endorsed for diploma. The qualification is designed primarily as a capacity building programme for officials and elected representatives in local government. The Faculty therefore also takes into account current or previous involvement in the local government sphere as an elected representative (mayor, executive committee member or council or); current or previous employment in local government. Admission may also be through recognition of Prior Learning and Age Exemption.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR BACHELOR OF LAWS

PROGRAMME	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	APS SCORE
LLB (21521)	English Language Mathematics / Mathematical Literacy Life Orientation Any other 4 designated subjects	5 (60-69%) 1 (30-39%) 3 (40-49%) 3 (40-49%) 5 (60-69%)	29

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR BACHELOR OF LAWS (EXTENDED PROGRAMME)

An SDE Applicant /Applicants for Extended Curriculum to be admitted for LLB, s/he must have obtained:

PROGRAMME	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	APS SCORE
LLB (21520)	English Language Mathematics / Mathematical Literacy Life Orientation Any other 3 designated subjects	5 (60-69%) 1 (30-39%) 3 (40-49%) 5 (60-69%) 5 (60-69%)	25

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR BACHELOR OF COMMERCE (LAW)

PROGRAMME	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	APS SCORE
B Com Law (21525)	English Language Mathematics Life Orientation Any other 4 designated subjects	5 (60-69%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 5 (60-69%)	28

National Certificate (Vocational)

The minimum admission requirements for students who passed at public colleges, private colleges and other institutions offering FET vocational programmes are as follows:

- National Certificate (Vocational) Level 4;
- At least 60% in three fundamental subjects including the English Language;
- At least 70% in four compulsory modules.

FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND AGRICULTURE

NEW NSC ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

Mainstream Programmes

QUALIFICATION	DEGREE CODES	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	APS SCORE	CREDITS
B Sc Agric Soil Science (New Cur) B Sc Agric Horticultural Science B Sc Agric Crop Science B Sc Agric Animal Science B Sc Agric Pasture Science	71522 71523 71524 71525 71526	English Mathematics Physical Sciences Life Sciences or Geography or Agriculture or Info Technology Life Orientation Any other 2 subjects from the designated list	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	29	20 20 20 20 10 20 20
B Sc Agric (Agric Economics)	71521	English Mathematics Life Sciences* Agriculture or Geography or Info Technology Life Orientation Any other 2 subjects from the designated list	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	29	20 20 20 20 10 20 20
B Agric	70001 70002	English Mathematical Literacy or Mathematics Agriculture Life Orientation Any other 3 subjects from the designated list	4 (50-59%) 5 (60-69%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%)	28/29	20 20 20 10 20 20 20

* Please note:

Students who want to register for the B Sc Agric (Agric Economics Options) are not required to have a pass in Physical Science. However it is compulsory for them to have passed Life Sciences at Level 4.

SCIENCE & AGRICULTURE FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

QUALIFICATION	PROGRAMME	OPTION	SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS	LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT	TOTAL POINTS	CREDITS
B Sc (40000)	Science & Agriculture Foundation Programme (SAFP) Science	All	English Mathematics Physical Science Life Sciences or Geography or Agriculture or Info Technology Life Orientation Any other 2 subjects from the designated list	4 (50-59%) 3 (50-59%) 3 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (40-49%) 4 (40-49%)	26	20 20 20 20 10 20 20
B Sc Agric 71421 71422 71423 71424 71425 71426	Science & Agriculture Foundation Programme (SAFP) Agriculture	All but 71421*	Same as B Sc - except for B Sc Agric (Agric Econ)* Life Science at Level 3 is compulsory and not Physical Science			
B Agric 70401 & 70402	Science & Agriculture Foundation Programme (SAFP) Agriculture	70001 70002	English Mathematical Literacy or Mathematics Agriculture Life Orientation Any other 3 subjects from the designated list at these Levels	4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 4 (50-59%) 3 (40-49%)	26/27	20 20 20 10 20 20 20

* Please note: Students who want to register for the Agric Economics Option do not need NSC Physical Science; they need a PASS at Level 3 in Life Sciences.

