

**ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR HOLDERS OF
HONG KONG DIPLOMA OF SECONDARY EDUCATION (HKDSE)**

UNIVERSITY OF WOLLONGONG / WOLLONGONG COLLEGE AUSTRALIA

A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
	Undergraduate Programme	Diploma Programme (if applicable)	Foundation Programme (if applicable)
<p>1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.</p> <p>Example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 5 and Level 4 in 2 elective subjects other than English Language 	<p>-Completion of the HKDSE with the required aggregate score ranging from 13 to 17 from the best 5 Category A or Category C subjects level 5**= 6; level 5* = 5.5; level 5 or A = 5; level 4 or B = 4; level 3 or C = 3; level 2 or D =2; and level 1 or E = 1 point.</p> <p>-Aggregate must include minimum 3 of 4 subjects from the core subjects of Chinese language, English language, Mathematics and Liberal Studies; together with any elective subjects from the Category A or Category C subjects.</p> <p>-The following requirements also apply:</p> <p>For Science: at least a level 2 in Biology or Chemistry or Physics</p> <p>For Engineering: at least a level 2 in Mathematics or Physics</p>	<p>The minimum requirement for Diploma programs:</p> <p>-Combined level score of 10 from the best 5 Category A or Category C subjects</p> <p>The minimum requirement for Foundation Studies:</p> <p>-Aggregate HKDSE score ranging between 8 to 10 from the best 5 Category A or C subjects with level 5**= 6; level 5* = 5.5; level 5 or A = 5; level 4 or B = 4; level 3 or C = 3; level 2 or D =2; and level 1 or E = 1 point.</p>	
<p>2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements.</p>	<p>http://coursefinder.uow.edu.au/coursefinder/</p>	<p>http://wca.uow.edu.au/international/index.html</p>	
B. Language Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
<p>1. Please indicate the requirement in English Language in terms of level attained under the HKDSE, and/or requirement under other qualifications that demonstrate the applicant's English standard.</p>	<p>-Courses requiring an overall IELTS of 6.0: HKDSE English level 3</p> <p>-Courses requiring an overall IELTS of 6.5: HKDSE English level 4</p> <p>-Course requiring an overall IELTS of 7: HKDSE English level 5</p>	<p>- Completion of English Language subject – Level 2 or 3</p>	<p>- Completion of English Language subject – Level 2</p>

C. Student Learning Profile (SLP)

Information provided in the SLP includes academic performance in the school, achievements in extra curricular activities, other learning experiences and a student's reflection on his/her learning experience as well as goals set for further studies.

1. Does your Institution consider information provided in the student learning profile (SLP) when processing application for admission?	This information may be taken into account	This information may be taken into account	This information may be taken into account
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D. Other Information

1. Would your Institution grant advanced standing for HKDSE holders with outstanding results?	No	No	No
2. Please provide further information (if any) regarding undergraduate studies at your Institution for prospective students who hold the HKDSE (such as scholarship etc.), or the website address for accessing the relevant information.	Further information available at: www.uow.edu.au/future/international/index.html	Further information available at: http://wca.uow.edu.au/index.html	

**Normally, students who have completed secondary education in Hong Kong holding the HKDSE should have reached the age of 18.*

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