

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

**UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN-WHITEWATER**

<b>A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE</b>			
	<b>Undergraduate Programme</b>	<b>UG Diploma Programme (if applicable)</b>	<b>UG Foundation Programme (if applicable)</b>
1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.  Example:  <i>Level 5 and Level 4 in 2 elective subjects other than English Language</i>	Level 3 or better in five HKDSE subjects (four core subjects and one elective).  At least one science elective at level 3 or better. Includes: Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Science (Combined/Integrated), and Geography.	N/A	N/A
2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements.	<a href="http://www.uww.edu/international/students/admissions/undergraduate">http://www.uww.edu/international/students/admissions/undergraduate</a>	N/A	N/A
<b>B. Language Requirements for Holders of HKDSE</b>			
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● HKDSE English Language: Level 3 or above</li> <li>● TOEFL: minimum score of 61 on iBT</li> <li>● IELTS: minimum core of 5.5</li> </ul>	N/A	N/A

### C. Student Learning Profile (SLP)

Information provided in the SLP includes student's other learning experiences, awards/achievements gained outside school, academic performance in school as well as his/her "self-account" (for example, impressive learning experiences, career goal setting, etc.)

1. Does your Institution consider information provided in the SLP when processing application for admission?

Yes

### D. Information needed before release of HKDSE results:

1. What is the information, apart from SLP, needed to be provided by the applicant to support his/her application?

Applicants need to fill out the required application materials:

- Online Application: <https://apply.wisconsin.edu/>
- Application Fee (\$44USD)
- Certification of Finances
- Copy of Passport

For more information please

visit:<http://www.uww.edu/international/students/admissions/undergraduate>

2. What are the qualities of the applicant your Institution is looking for in schools' recommendation other than academic performance?

We are looking for motivated, high-achieving students and participation in extracurricular activities that demonstrate commitment and passion and leadership potential (sports, volunteerism, work, clubs, etc.)

### E. Other Information

1. Please provide further information (if any) regarding undergraduate studies at your Institution (such as scholarship etc.) for prospective students who hold the HKDSE, or the website address for accessing the relevant information.

UW-Whitewater offers all accepted undergraduate international (non-U.S. citizens) who are self-funded and have financial need an academic scholarship ranging from \$2,000 - \$6,000 USD each year. Awards are based on academic record and test scores at time of admission. This scholarship is renewable for up to four years as long as the student maintains full-time enrollment and a cumulative grade point average (GPA) of 2.5/4.0 or higher.

Admission Requirements: <http://www.uww.edu/international/students/admissions/undergraduate>

Catalog: <http://courses.uww.edu/>

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

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