## **PORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY**

	Degree Programme
Does your University/College accept the HKCEE and HKALE for admission to your University/College?	Yes
What are the entry requirements for a student with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications entering your University/College?	We recognize the HKCEE as equivalent to the GCE O' levels. We require 5 passing grades from the GCE O' level (grades A, B, or C) for freshman admission.
Oniversity/College?	We recognize the HKALE as equivalent to the GCE A' levels.  We will offer transfer credit for each passing grade (grades A, B or C) for admission to the university as a transfer student.
	In order to make admission decision for transfer admission, we must also see both the HKCEE and the HKALE test results. The student must present 5 passing grades (grades A, B, or C) on the HKCEE or we may substitute one of the passing HKALE grades.
Do students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications have to sit an entrance examination to enter your University/College?	No
Is there a language proficiency test that students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications wishing to enter your University/College must take?	We offer undergraduate applicants the opportunity for conditional admission without submitting a TOEFL or IELTS score. Conditionally admitted students study in our English as a Second Language (ESL) Program here at Portland State until they meet our English Language Proficiency Requirement. After the requirement is met, students may enroll in academic (non-ESL) classes.
Is there a standard on an international English scale that students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications wishing to enter your University/College must reach?	The following TOEFL/IELTS scores are required for enrollment in academic (non-ESL) classes:  TOEFL 525 (PBT) 197 (CBT) 16 on reading and listening; 14 on speaking and writing (iBT)
	IELTS 6.5 overall with minimum 6.0 on each individual band
	English Language Proficiency Requirement details: http://www.pdx.edu/admissions/english-language-proficiency- requirements-undergraduate
Are there any other tests that students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications wishing to enter your University/College must take? When must they be taken?	No
Is there an entry quota that applies to students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications wishing to enter your University/College?	No
Where can information be obtained on fees and other charges for students with HKCEE and HKALE qualifications wishing to enter your University/College?	Annual Tuition and Estimated Living Expenses: http://www.pdx.edu/sites/www.pdx.edu.admissions/files/media_assets/int l_expenses.pdf

Is consideration given to factors other than examination performance for overseas students wishing to apply for entry to your University/College?	No
Does your University/College accept the International Baccalaureate?	Yes. Portland State's IB acceptance policy: http://www.pdx.edu/admissions/international-baccalaureate
Does your University/College accept students if they are under the age of 18 at the time of commencing studies?	Yes. There is no age requirement for admission.