

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

Australian Catholic University

A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
	Bachelor Degree/ Undergraduate Programme	International Foundation/ Diploma/ UG Diploma Programme (if applicable)	Other Higher Education Programmes (if applicable)
1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.	<p>HKDSE with minimum aggregate score 12 based on the best five subjects including three core subjects (Chinese Language, English Language, Mathematics and Liberal Studies). Category B and C subjects are not counted.</p> <p>Grades for all subjects except Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 6, Level 5 = 5, Level 4 = 4, Level 3 = 3, Level 2 = 2 and Level 1 = 1.</p> <p>Grades for Compulsory Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 3, Level 5 = 2.5, Level 4 = 2, Level 3 = 1.5, Level 2 = 1 and Level 1 = 0.5.</p> <p>Grades for Extended Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 4, Level 5 = 3.5, Level 4 = 3, Level 3 = 2.5, Level 2 = 2 and Level 1 = 1.5.</p>	<p>HKDSE with minimum aggregate score 10 based on the best five subjects including three core subjects (Chinese Language, English Language, Mathematics and Liberal Studies). Category B and C subjects are not counted.</p> <p>Grades for all subjects except Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 6, Level 5 = 5, Level 4 = 4, Level 3 = 3, Level 2 = 2 and Level 1 = 1.</p> <p>Grades for Compulsory Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 3, Level 5 = 2.5, Level 4 = 2, Level 3 = 1.5, Level 2 = 1 and Level 1 = 0.5.</p> <p>Grades for Extended Mathematics are counted as follows: Level 5** and Level 5* = 4, Level 5 = 3.5, Level 4 = 3, Level 3 = 2.5, Level 2 = 2 and Level 1 = 1.5.</p>	
2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirement	http://www.acu.edu.au/international/undergraduate		
B. Language Requirements for Holders of HKDSE			
1. Please indicate the requirement in English Language in terms of level attained under the HKDSE, and/or alternative language qualifications that demonstrate the applicants' English standard for admission to your institution.	<p>Level 4 in HKDSE English Language (for courses that require an overall score of 6.5 or lower in IELTS)</p> <p>Students need to sit in IELTS if the course requirement is higher than IELTS 6.5.</p>	http://www.acu.edu.au/international/undergraduate/?a=469395	

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 student learning profile (SLP) when processing application for admission?

N/A

D. Other Information

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

N/A

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

N/A

3. 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.

<http://www.acu.edu.au/international>
http://www.acu.edu.au/international/contact_us

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

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