

## Admission Requirements for Holders of Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE)

### University of Leeds

<b>A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE</b>			
	<b>Bachelor Degree/ Undergraduate Programme</b>	<b>International Foundation/ Diploma/ UG Diploma Programme (if applicable)</b>	<b>Other Higher Education Programmes (if applicable, please specify)</b>
1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.  Example:  <i>Level (1 – 5/5*/5**) in (number) subjects, including (names of subjects)</i>	544 – 5*55 in 3 out of 6 subjects, with subject specific grades stated where required.  2 of the 6 subjects should be electives.	<b>Leeds International Foundation Year:</b>  A minimum of Level 3 in 2 relevant academic subjects.	
2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements.	<a href="https://courses.leeds.ac.uk">https://courses.leeds.ac.uk</a>	<a href="https://www.leeds.ac.uk/ify">https://www.leeds.ac.uk/ify</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 alternative language qualifications that demonstrate the applicants' English standard for admission to your institution.	HKDSE English Level 4 – 5* <b>or</b> IELTS 6.0 – 7.5 depending on the course applied for.	IELTS 5.5 – 6.0 depending on the course applied for.	

### 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?	We will refer to it as part of the documentation submitted with the UCAS application to gain insight into the profile of the applicant.
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### D. Other Information

1. What is the information, apart from SLP, needed to be provided by the applicant to support his/her application?	Standard UK university application criteria: Personal details Education history and additional qualifications Employment history References Personal statement  This information is provided via UCAS.
2. What are the qualities of the applicant your Institution is looking for in schools' recommendation other than academic performance?	We ask that a student shows passion for their subject area and demonstrates this, along with motivation, enthusiasm and any relevant skills or work experience, through their personal statement.
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.	The University of Leeds has a variety of subject specific scholarships for international students. Please visit: <a href="http://www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalscholarships">www.leeds.ac.uk/internationalscholarships</a>

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

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