

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

Astrum Colleges

(Lansdowne College, Chelsea Independent College and Duff Miller College)

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, please specify)
1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution. Example: <i>Level _____ in (number) subjects, including (names of subjects) or UCAS points required including (names of subjects)</i>	N/A	Minimum of level 3.2.2 in key academic subjects (Liberal Studies may be included), plus an equivalent of IELTS 5.0 or level 3 in English.	Level 4.3.3. in key academic subjects for one year intensive A-Level, plus an equivalent of IELTS 5.5 in all elements or level 3 in English.
2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access specific programme-level requirements.	N/A	http://www.ncuk.ac.uk/programmes/entry-requirements/ify#Hong Kong	www.duffmiller.com www.lansdownecollege.com www.chelseaindependentcollege.com
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	N/A	5.0 in IELTS or HKDSE level 3	5.5 in IELTS or HKDSE level 3

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 applications for admission?	Yes
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D. Other Information

1. What information, apart from SLP, needs to be provided by the applicant to support his/her application?	Recent school transcripts, HKDSE report, copy of passport, IELTS certificate or equivalent, completed application form.
2. What are the qualities of the applicant your Institution is looking for in schools’ recommendation other than academic performance?	We are looking to welcome students who are committed to their studies, will add to the academic community at our colleges and will make the most of the fantastic opportunities a British Education, in the world’s most popular student destination has to offer. Whether you think you know exactly what you would like to do in the future or are not sure, we are looking for students who wish to achieve their full potential academically, with their personal development and progression through a leading university and on to a successful career.
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.	<p>Astrum Colleges are located in prestigious central London locations; Chelsea Independent College in Chelsea, Duff Miller College in South Kensington and Lansdowne College in Bayswater, all with excellent boarding accommodation. Courses currently offered by the Colleges include: International Foundation Year, A- levels, GCSE, Pre-GCSE and Pre-A level courses, Easter Revision, Oxbridge and Medical School Preparation and Academic Summer Schools.</p> <p>Choosing a school and programme of study is a life-changing decision. Take the time to really think about the options available to you. This is one of the most important decision you will ever make and the return on the investment of time, effort and of course money, will be with you for the rest of your life. Keep your options open, you will have new experiences and a broader understanding of the opportunities available to you when you get to the UK, which may include the possibility of returning to Hong Kong for further study. Don’t rush into the first thing that comes along or ideas of ‘a faster and easier route to success’ – this s your life and future, you deserve the best.</p> <p>More information of Astrum Colleges at: www.duffmiller.com www.lansdownecollege.com www.chelseaindependentcollege.com</p>

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