

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

## University of St Andrews

<b>A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE</b>			
	Bachelor Degree/ Undergraduate Programme	International Foundation/ Diploma/ UG Diploma Programme (if applicable)	Other Higher Education Programmes
1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.	Year 1 entry – 554 to 555 subject specific from core or elective subjects  Year 2 entry - 555 from core or elective subjects  Pre-req subject specific for Faculty of Science only.	University of St Andrews Centre for International Foundation Programmes	N/A
2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements	<a href="http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/study/entrance-requirements/hong-kong/">http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/study/entrance-requirements/hong-kong/</a>	<a href="http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/elt/foundation/">http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/elt/foundation/</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	For full information about the language tests and qualifications that the University accepts for undergraduate applicants, all qualifications are listed here:  <a href="http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/elt/entry/undergraduate/">http://www.st-andrews.ac.uk/elt/entry/undergraduate/</a>		
<b>C. Student Learning Profile (SLP)</b>			
<i>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.)</i>			
1. Does your Institution consider information provided in the SLP when processing application for admission?	Yes		

<b>D. Other Information</b>	
1. What is the information, apart from SLP, needed to be provided by the applicant to support his/her application?	Reference, Personal Statement, transcript/ record of previous qualifications and predicted grades if relevant.
2. What are the qualities of the applicant your Institution is looking for in schools' recommendation other than academic performance?	Inquisitive minds from all backgrounds and cultural experiences.
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>For all students, the education you will receive at the University is second to none. Students have access to some of the world's best professors and lecturers, and our state-of-the-art facilities and support services are always available to help you reach your full academic potential during your studies. A degree from the University of St Andrews is sought after by employers across the globe, in part due to the excellent reputation the University maintains.</p> <p>St Andrews is a unique place to study and live. Nestled on the east coast of Scotland, students may find themselves crossing golf-courses on their way to class, or jogging along the beach after dinner. Not only does the University have a world-class reputation, it also offers a diverse range of social activities - including over 140 student societies and 50 sports clubs. The historic buildings are juxtaposed against the modern facilities, and the many student traditions truly make studying at St Andrews an unforgettable experience.</p>

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