

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

**University of York International Pathway College**

| <b>A. General Entrance Requirements for Holders of HKDSE</b>  |   |  |  |
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|   | <b>Bachelor Degree/<br/>Undergraduate<br/>Programme</b>   | <b>International Foundation/<br/>Diploma/<br/>UG Diploma Programme<br/>(if applicable)</b> | <b>Other Higher Education<br/>Programmes<br/>(if applicable, please<br/>specify)</b> |
| 1. Please state the general entrance requirements for holders of HKDSE applying for admission to your Institution.<br><br>Example:<br><br><i>Level (1 – 5/5*/5**) in<br/>(number) subjects,<br/>including (names of<br/>subjects) or<br/>UCAS points required<br/>(if applicable)</i> | N/A   | <b>Foundation:</b> At least 11 years of education with average of 60% or 333 in HKDSE      | <b>Pre-Master's:</b> Completion of a Bachelor Degree with GPA 2.3                    |
| 2. Please provide the website address where applicants can access to the specific programme-level requirements.   | <b><u>University of York International Pathway College</u></b><br><a href="https://www.kaplanpathways.com/colleges/university-of-york-international-pathway-college/">https://www.kaplanpathways.com/colleges/university-of-york-international-pathway-college/</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.   | N/A   | <b>Foundation certificate:</b><br>IELTS 5.0<br>(minimum 4.0 in all skills)                 | <b>Pre-Master's:</b><br>IELTS 5.5<br>(minimum 5.0 in all skills)                     |

### 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?

Yes

### 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?

School's recommendations can also include details of qualities such as strong attendance records, positive contributions to the school community and extracurricular achievements

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.

University of York International Pathway College welcomes scholarship applications from HKDSE students.

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

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