



Entry requirements

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International Pathway College

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	Foundation Studies		International First Year Diploma	Graduate Certificate in Business Studies
Country specific	Standard	Fast Track	Business/Science-ICT	
Australia	Year 11 - 65% in relevant subjects	Year 11 - 70% in relevant subjects	ATAR 50	> AQF Level 6 Associate Degree/Advanced Diploma
Australian Foundation programs			Depends on grading scale of institution (equivalent to 4.0 GPA in UTAS Foundation studies)	
Bahrain	Tawjahiya or Shehadet AlThanawiya - overall 60%	Tawjahiya or Shehadet AlThanawiya - overall 65%	Tawjahiya or Shehadet AlThanawiya - overall 78%	
Bangladesh	Satisfactory completion of Year 11 - 60%	Satisfactory completion of Year 11 - 65%	Higher Secondary Certificate - GPA 3.0/5.0	> Section 1 Bachelor degree (3 years minimum) -55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results > Other Sections Bachelor degree (4 years minimum) – 60% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results OR higher qualification
Bhutan	Year 11 with 60% in relevant academic subjects	Year 11 with 65% in relevant academic subjects	BHSE - 65% in relevant academic subjects	> Bachelor degree (3 years minimum) OR higher qualification
Brazil	Certificado de Ensino Medio - completion	Certificado de Ensino Medio - 5.0 in final year results	Certificado de Ensino Medio - 5.6 in final year results	> Licenciado/Licenciatura (minimum 3 years) OR higher qualification
Brunei	3 passes at O Level	4 passes at O Level	A Level 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	> Diploma (minimum 3 years, after A-levels or National Skill Certificate) > Higher National Diploma or Brunei Higher National Diploma (minimum 2.5 years, after A-levels or National Diploma) OR higher qualification for UK based qualifications, refer to UK entry requirements
Cambodia	Successful completion of Year 11 with an overall score of 60%	Successful completion of Year 11 with an overall score of 65%	Diploma of Upper Secondary Education - 85	> Bachelor Degree, Licence or Diploma (minimum 4 years) OR higher qualification
Canada	Completion of Year 11 with 70% in 4 relevant subjects	Completion of Year 11 with 80% in 4 relevant subjects		> Diploma (minimum 3 years) > Associate degree (minimum 2 years) OR higher qualification
Chile	Successful completion of Licencia de Education Media with GPA of 4.0	Successful completion of Licencia de Education Media with GPA of 5.5	Higher Secondary Schooling - GPA of 4.0	
China	Senior year 2 or Senior 3 - 65% or above in relevant subjects	Senior year 2 or Senior 3 - 70% or above in relevant subjects	Senior Middle 3 with 65%	> Certification or Graduation or Graduation Diploma (minimum 3 years) OR higher qualification
Colombia	Satisfactory completion of Bachillerato Academico	Satisfactory completion of Bachillerato Academico - 60%	Bachillerato - 70%	> Tecnólogo Especializado en [specialisation] > Título de [specialisation], Título profesional or Diploma with título de [specialisation] (minimum 4 years) OR higher qualification
Ecuador	Bachillerato/Ciclo Diversificado (Secondary Baccalaureate / Diversified Stream)	Bachillerato/Ciclo Diversificado (Secondary Baccalaureate/Diversified Stream) with 6/10 or 60/100		> Tecnólogo (minimum 3 years) OR higher qualification
Ghana	5 passes in SSCE	5 passes in SSCE at minimum grade D	WASSC 30 or lower in 5 subjects (C6 average)	> Higher National Diploma OR higher qualification
Global Assessment Certificate	Level 2 GPA 2.6	Level 2 GPA 3.3		
Hong Kong	Form 5: 4 passes	Form 5: 5 passes	HKDSE Minimum 11 points from the best 5 subjects (4 cores + 1 elective) from category A or C	> Advanced Higher Diploma (minimum 1 year, after Higher Diploma) > Professional Diploma > Honours Diploma > Associate Degree OR higher qualification
India	Year 11 55% in relevant subjects	Year 11 60% in relevant subjects	HSC Year 12 - 50% average (65% Punjab and Haryana State Boards)	> Diploma (3 years after Year 12 certificate) - Section 1 - Technical and vocational education qualifications – 55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results > Diploma in General Nursing and Midwifery (3.5 years after Year 12 certificate) - Section 2 - Nursing diplomas awarded by state nursing councils – 60% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results > Bachelor degree (minimum 2 years) Section 1 - Very good institutions – 55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results Section 2 - Good institutions – 60% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results Section 3 - Satisfactory institutions – 65% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results
Indonesia	SMA2 - GPA 7.0 in 4 academic subjects (private schools)	SMA2 - GPA 8.0 in 4 academic subjects (private schools)	SMA3 - 60%	> Diploma (III) or (IV)
	SMA2 - GPA 7.5 in 4 academic subjects (government schools)	SMA2 - GPA 8.5 in 4 academic subjects (government schools)		> Sarjana (S1) (minimum 4 years) OR higher qualification
International Baccalaureate	Completion of first year of IB diploma with Grade 4 in 4 relevant subjects	Completion of first year of IB diploma with 2 Grade 4 and 2 Grade 5 in 4 relevant subjects	20 points	
Iran	Completion of Year 11 with 16/20 in academic subjects	Completion of Year 11 with 18/20 in academic subjects		

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Japan	Kotogakko / Upper Secondary School Certificate Year 2 - Grade 4 - 5 in academic subjects	Kotogakko / Upper Secondary School Certificate Year 2 - Grade 5 in academic subjects	Upper Secondary School Certificate of Graduation – Overall average score for graded subjects on a 5 point scale GPA 2.0	> Advanced Diploma OR higher qualification
Kazakhstan				> Bachelor degree (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
Kenya	Kenyan Certificate of Secondary Education with D- grade average	Kenyan Certificate of Secondary Education with D grade average	Successful completion of Kenyan Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) with C- average (best 6 subjects)	> Diploma (minimum 3 years) > Higher Diploma OR higher qualification
Kuwait	Year 11 - 60%	Year 11 - 65%	General Secondary Education Certificate - 83%	
Laos	Completion of Baccalaureate with an overall score of 60%	Completion of Baccalaureate with an overall score of 65%	Completion of Baccalaureate with an overall score of 70%	> Bachelor degree (minimum 4 years) OR higher qualification
Macau	Form 5 / Senior Middle 2 65% in academic subjects (Band 1 schools) Form 5/Senior Middle 2 70% in academic subjects (Other band schools)	Form 5 / Senior Middle 2 70% in academic subjects (Band 1 schools) Form 5 / Senior Middle 2 75% in academic subjects (Band 1 schools)	Senior Middle 3 with 65%	> Higher Diploma (Bacharelato) (minimum 3 years, following Grade 12) OR higher qualification
Malaysia*	SPM (forecast/prelim/actual) - aggregate of 20 or less across 5 academic subjects *Malaysia - SPM Aggregate	SPM (forecast/prelim/actual) - aggregate of 15 or less across 5 academic subjects *Malaysia - SPM Aggregate	STPM GPA 2.00 UEC Successful completion	> Post Diploma Certificate in Teaching (minimum 1 year) > Diploma or Advanced Diploma (minimum 4 years, after SPM) > Diploma (minimum 3 years, after STPM, accredited by MQA) OR higher qualification
Mexico	Successful completion of Bachillerato with an average grade 6 or better for academic subjects	Successful completion of Bachillerato with an average grade 6.5 or better for academic subjects	Successful completion of Bachillerato with an average grade 7 or better for academic subjects	> Licenciatura/Licenciado or Titulo Profesional (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
Mongolia	Completion of Certificate of Complete Secondary Education with 2 C grades and 2 D grades in 4 relevant subjects	Completion of Certificate of Complete Secondary Education with C grades in four relevant subjects		
Myanmar	BEHS/Matriculation Exam with an overall 60%	BEHS/Matriculation Exam with an overall 65%		
Nepal	Satisfactory completion of Nepal Year 11 with minimum 60%	Satisfactory completion of Nepal Year 11 with minimum 65%	HSC Year 12 - 65% average	> Bachelor degree (minimum 3 years) – 55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results OR higher qualification
New Zealand	Completion of 40 credits at NCEA level 2 with no fewer than 12 credits in each of 3 subjects (including Maths)	Completion of 48 credits at NCEA level 2 with no fewer than 12 credits in each of 3 subjects (including Maths)	Completion of NCEA level 3 with ATAR equivalent of 50	> Diploma (including National and New Zealand Diplomas) (NQF Level 6, more than 240 credit points, listed on NZQF) OR higher qualification
Nigeria	5 passes in SSCE	5 passes in SSCE at minimum grade D	WASSC 30 or lower in 5 subjects (C6 average)	> Higher National Diploma (minimum 2 years) OR higher qualification
Oman	General Education Diploma (Grades 10-12) - 60%	General Education Diploma (Grades 10-12) - 65%		> Advanced Diploma or Higher Diploma (minimum 3 years) OR higher qualification
Pakistan	HSC Year 11: 60% average	HSC Year 11: 65% average	HSC Year 12: 60% average	> Bachelor of Technology (Pass) (minimum 2 years) Minimum grade depends on section of the institution > Section 1 Bachelor degree (minimum 2 years)- 55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results Section 2 Honours Bachelor degree (minimum 3 years, 2nd or 3rd Division or with C or D Grade) – 60% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results > Section 3 Bachelor degree (minimum 4 years) – 65% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results OR higher qualification
Papua New Guinea	High School Year 11 with a 60% average	High School Year 11 with a 65% average	Higher School Certificate - 70% average	> Bachelor degree (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
Peru	Successful completion of the Certificate of Completed General Secondary Education with an average grade of 14	Successful completion of the Certificate of Completed General Secondary Education with an average grade of 16		> Titulo Profesional (minimum 2 years, after secondary education) OR higher qualification
Philippines	K-12 System: Year 11 - 75% in relevant subjects	K-12 System: Year 11 - 80% in relevant subjects	Grade 12 Senior High School Diploma - 70%.	> Section 2 Bachelor degree (without evidence of Regulation Commission's Licensure Examinations in the relevant professional field or Bar Examination) OR higher qualification
Russian Federation	Certificate of Secondary Education (Attestat) - Grade 3 in 5 subjects	Certificate of Secondary Education (Attestat) - Grade 3 in 3 relevant subjects and Grade 4 in 2 subjects		> Diploma Nepochnom Vysshem Obrazovanii (minimum 2 years) OR higher qualification
Saudi Arabia	Tawjihyah/General Secondary Education certificate - 60% in academic subjects	Tawjihyah/General Secondary Education certificate - 65% in academic subjects	Tawjahiya or Shehadet AlThanawiya - overall 78%	> Bachelor degree OR higher qualification
Singapore	Singapore O levels (or forecast) - aggregate of 25 or less across 5 academic subjects Singapore O level Aggregate Point: O Level are calculated on the basis that graded 9 to 1 OR A* to G (A*=8.5, A= 7, B=5.5, C=4, D=3.5, E=2.5, F=1.5 and G=1.0).	Singapore O levels (forecast/prelim/ actual) - aggregate of 20 or less across 5 academic subjects Singapore O level Aggregate Point: O Level are calculated on the basis that graded 9 to 1 OR A* to G (A*=8.5, A= 7, B=5.5, C=4, D=3.5, E=2.5, F=1.5 and G=1.0).	A Level 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	> Advanced Diploma (minimum 1 year, awarded by a Polytechnic, after a Polytechnic Diploma) > Polytechnic Specialist Diploma OR higher qualification

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South Africa	Completion of Year 11 with 70% in four relevant subjects	Completion of Year 11 with 75% in 4 relevant subjects	Average of Rating 3 (40%)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > National Certificate (120 credit points, NQF Level 6 or 7) > National Diploma (240 credit points, NQF Level 6 or 7) > National Diploma, National Diploma for Technicians or National Engineering Diploma (minimum 3 years, awarded by technikon) > Advanced Certificate (120 credit points, NQF Level 6 or HEQF Level 6) > Diploma (360 credit points, NQF or HEQF Level 6) > Advanced Diploma (120 credit points, NQF or HEQF Level 7) OR higher qualification
South Korea	High School Certificate Year 2 - Rank 4	High School Certificate Year 2 - Rank 3	<p>Successful completion of the Immumgye Kodung hakkyo Choeupchang (Upper Secondary Certificate)</p> <p>AND College Scholastic Ability Test (CSAT) equivalent score of 244</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Associate Degree / Junior College Diploma (minimum 3 years) OR higher qualification
Sri Lanka	3 passes at O Level	4 passes at O Level	Sri Lankan A Levels 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Higher Diploma in Social Work > Higher National Diploma (minimum 2 years, after GCE-A Levels) > National Diploma (NVQ Level 6) > Section 1 Higher Diploma (minimum 2 years, after GCE-A Levels) > Section 1 (Tech & Voc.) Higher Diploma (minimum 3 years, after GCE-A Levels) OR higher qualification 55% not including failed results, no more than 15 failed results for all above
Taiwan	Senior Year 2 - 65% or above in 4 relevant subjects	Senior Year 2 - 70% or above in 4 relevant subjects	Senior High School Diploma - 65%	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor degree (minimum 2 years, after a Junior College Diploma in an unrelated field)
Thailand	Matayom 5 GPA 2.3 in academic subjects	Matayom 5 GPA 2.4 in academic subjects	Certificate of Upper Sec Ed (Matayom 6) - GPA 2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Section 1 Associate Degree (minimum 3 years) > Diploma in Technical Supervision (Por Tor Sor) (2 years full-time after the Diploma in Technical Education or 4 years full-time after the Certificate in Vocational Education) > Higher Diploma in Technical Education (Por Tor Sor) (2 years full-time after a 2-year post-secondary technical or vocational award) OR higher qualification
Turkey	Devlet Lise Diploması - Grade 2 in 3 subjects and Grade 3 in 2 subjects	Devlet Lise Diploması - Grade 3 in 3 subjects and Grade 4 in 2 subjects		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor degree (Lisans Diploması) (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
Ukraine				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor Degree (Bakalavr Diplomi) (minimum 4 years) (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
United Arab Emirates	Completion of General Secondary School Certificate with a min avg. 70% in academic subjects	Completion of General Secondary School Certificate with a min avg. 75% in academic subjects	A Levels 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Higher Diploma (minimum 3 years, after Year 12, or minimum 1 year after a Diploma) OR higher qualification
United Kingdom	3 passes at GCSEs	4 passes at GCSEs	A Levels 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	
United States	Completion of Year 11 with B/80-89/3.0 in 4 relevant academic subjects	Completion of Year 11 with A/90-100/4.0 in 4 relevant academic subjects	GPA -2.0/4.0 AND SAT Test or ACT Test OR GED with pass grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor degree OR higher qualification
Uzbekistan	O'rta Ma'lumot To'g'risida Shahodatnoma -60%	O'rta Ma'lumot To'g'risida Shahodatnoma -65%		
Venezuela	Bachiller with 14 in 4 relevant subjects	Bachiller with 15 in 4 relevant subjects		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor degree (Licenciado or titulo profesional) (would allow direct entry into Master's) OR higher qualification
Vietnam	Year 11 - GPA 7.5	Year 11 - GPA 8.0	Year 12 - GPA 6.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Section 1 Bang Tot nghiep Cao dang (Junior College Graduation Diploma) (regular mode, minimum 3 years) > Section 2/3 Bang Tot nghiep Dai Hoc (University Graduation Diploma) OR higher qualification
Zambia	3 passes at O Level	4 passes at O Level	A Levels 2 points (Total score from maximum 3 H2 Level subjects)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> > Bachelor degree OR higher qualification

The minimum age for entry into the pathway programs is 17. *

* Please note that if you are studying ELICOS prior to your pathway program, you must be over 18.

English requirements

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Accepted Equivalents to IELTS

	IELTS 5.5 (no band less than 5.0)	IELTS 6.0 (no band less than 5.5)	IELTS 6.0 (no band less than 6.0)
TOEFL (iBT)	46 (no skill below 10)	72 (no skill below: Reading 10; Listening 9; Speaking 16; Writing 19)	72 (no skill below: Reading 16; Listening 16; Speaking 18; Writing 22)
PTE Academic	43 with no score lower than 36	50 with no score lower than 42	50 with no score lower than 50
UTAS English Language Program	EAP 1 60% (no individual score less than 50%)	EAP 2 60% (no individual score less than 55%)	EAP 2 60% (no individual score less than 60%)
Cambridge CAE (Certificate of Advanced English)	N/A	B Grade	B Grade
Cambridge CPE (Certificate of Proficiency in English)	N/A	C Grade	C Grade
Cambridge BEC (Business English Certificate) Higher	N/A	C Grade	C Grade

Approved Secondary Qualifications that meet English Language Proficiency Requirements

International Baccalaureate		Minimum grade of 4 in English A Higher level, English A Standard level, English B Higher level or 5 English B Standard level	Minimum grade of 4 in English A Higher level, English A Standard level, English B Higher level or 5 English B Standard level
GCE Advanced Level (A Levels)		Minimum Grade C or higher excluding Science or Maths	
GCE Ordinary Level (O Levels)		Minimum C (5/6) or higher	
Ausmat English or EALD		60% or higher	
UEC		Score of A2 in English	
STPM		Minimum B or higher	
SPM 1119		Minimum B or higher	
HKDSE	Minimum level of 3 in English	Minimum level of 4 in English	
CBSE/CISCE (China)		B+	
Kotogakko Sotsugyu Shosho (Japan)		B4	
KCSE (Kenya)		B+	
Mattayom 6 (Thailand)		B/3.0	
SAM ESP		Satisfactory Achievement in English Studies or ESL at grad C	
ATAR	ESL SA (Satisfactory Achievement)	ESL SA (Satisfactory Achievement)	ESL SA (Satisfactory Achievement)

English Language Requirements

Program	Option	IELTS
Foundation Studies	Fast-track	6.0 (no band less than 5.0)
	Standard	5.5 (no band less than 5.0)
International First Year Diploma	Science-ICT	5.5 (no band less than 5.0)
	Business	5.5 (no band less than 5.0)
Graduate Certificate in Business Studies - International		6.0 (no band less than 6.0)

Country Specific Qualifications

Country	Qualification
Malaysia	Applicants who have undertaken their studies in English have a 5 year validity.
	Applicants who have undertaken post-secondary studies in Malaysia are to be considered English exempt on the basis of SPM 1119 studies to the level as detailed above.
Austria	2/Gut (good) in English at Reifeprüfungszeugnis or Matura level completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
Denmark	Studentereksamen with a minimum grade 6 in English A OR a minimum grade 9 in English B completed within 5 years of UTAS program commencement.
Finland	7 in English or English A in final year of secondary school at Ylioppilastutkinto; OR
	Lukionpäästötodishis level completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
France	12/assez bien (good) in English at Baccaalaureat level completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
Germany	Fachhochschulreife with at least 3 in English, OR Abitur with at least 7 in English OR DAAD language test with a minimum of B in all section. completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
The Netherlands	6/voldoende (pass) in English in Voorbereidend Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs (VWO); OR
	Hoger Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs (HAVO) completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
Norway	Vitnemal with 4/tilfredsstillende or better in English completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.
Sweden	4/VG in English A, English B or English C in Slutbetyg or Avgangsbetyg completed within 5 years of University of Tasmania program commencement.