

High school English language requirements for 2023-2024 undergraduate entry

(not including Medicine)

High school leaving qualifications in the table below must be from a school with a substantial English language educational environment, as evidenced by an appropriate online presence, and at which you were registered as a student for at least the final two years of your secondary/high school education. This includes:

- schools in countries listed as a [United Kingdom Visas and Immigration \(UKVI\) majority English-speaking country](#)
- schools in Singapore
- IB English medium schools.

High school leaving qualification requirements

GCE A Levels

- English Language: B
- English Language and Literature: B
- English Literature: B
- English General Paper: B

International Baccalaureate

- English A Literature: SL 5 or HL 5
- English A Language and Literature: SL 5 or HL 5
- English B: SL 5 or HL 5
- Literature and Performance: SL 5

Other high school qualifications

East Asia and South East Asia

- Singapore A Levels H1 General Paper: B
- Singapore A Levels H2 Knowledge and Enquiry: B
- NUS High School Diploma – English Language: 3.0
- NUS High School Diploma – English Literature: 3.0
- HKDSE: Level 5 (Qualification sub-score: Level 4)

Oceania

- Australian year 12 state exams - Subjects that align with the following areas: English, Humanities and Social Sciences: B or 70% depending on scoring system.
See the [senior secondary curriculum](#) for reference.



- New Zealand NCEA Level 3 - Art History, Business and Management, Business Studies, Classical Studies, Economics, Education for Sustainability, English, English for Academic Purposes, English Language, Geography, Health, History, Legal Studies, Media Studies, Pacific Studies, Psychology, Religious Studies, Social Studies, Sociology: Merit grade (typically 14 or higher).

South Asia, Middle East, and Africa

- Indian CBSE - Year 12 English: 80%
- Indian CISCE – Year 12 English: 80%
- Certificate of Nile International Secondary Level 1 – English: B
- Ugandan Advanced Certificate of Education – English: B
- South Africa National Senior Certificate – English Home Language: 60%
- South Africa National Senior Certificate – English First Additional Language: 60%

Europe

- European Baccalaureate - English Language 1: 60%/6.0
- European Baccalaureate - Advanced English Language 1: 60%/6.0
- European Baccalaureate - English Language 2: 60%/6.0
- European Baccalaureate - Advanced English Language 2: 60%/6.0
- Cambridge Pre-U - Literature in English (Principal): Distinction
- Cambridge Pre-U - History (Principal): Distinction
- Option International du Baccalaureate (British/American version) - English Literature and Language: 15
- Irish Leaving Certificate – English: O4 or H4
- Scottish Higher/Advanced Higher – English: B
- Scottish Higher/Advanced Higher – ESOL: B

Americas and other international

- AP English Language and Composition: 4
- AP English Literature and Composition: 4
- Canadian Secondary School Diploma (all provinces) – English: 80%
- Canadian Secondary School Diploma (all provinces) – English Studies: 80%
- Caribbean Secondary Education Certificate - English A and English B (score must be achieved on both of these): B/II

For more information, see all [English language requirements for undergraduate students](#).

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