

English Entry Requirements

English Proficiency Outcomes*							
Programme Level	IELTS test+	TOEFL Paper-based test (pBT)	TOEFL Internet-based test (iBT)	University of Cambridge English Examinations	NZCEL	Pearson Test of English (Academic)	City & Guilds IESOL
Certificate at Level 3	General or Academic score of 5 with no band score lower than 5	Score of 500 (with an essay score of 4 TWE)	Score of 35 (with a writing score of 20)	FCE or FCE for schools with a score of 154. No less than 154 in each skill	Level 3 with an endorsement of either General, Workplace, or Academic	PTOE (Academic) score of 36	B1 Achiever with a score of 43
Certificate at Level 4	General or Academic score of 5.5 with no band score lower than 5	Score of 530 (with an essay score of 4.5 TWE)	Score of 46 (with a writing score of 20)	FCE or FCE for schools with a score of 162. No less than 154 in each skill	Level 3 with an endorsement of either General, Workplace, or Academic	PTOE (Academic) score of 42	B2 Communicator with a score of 42
Certificate or Diploma at Level 5	Academic score of 5.5 with no band score lower than 5	Score of 550 (with an essay score of 5 TWE)	Score of 46 (with a writing score of 20)	FCE or FCE for schools with a score of 162. No less than 154 in each skill	Level 4 with the Academic endorsement	PTOE (Academic) score of 42	B2 Communicator with a score of 42
Certificate or Diploma at level 6 or 7 Bachelor Degree, Graduate or Diploma at Level 7	Academic score of 6 with no band score lower than 5.5	Score of 550 (with an essay score of 5 TWE)	Score of 60 (with a writing score of 20)	FCE, or FCE for schools, or CAE, or CPE with a score of 169. No less than 162 in each skill	Level - 4 with the Academic endorsement	PTOE (Academic) score of 50	B2 Communicator with a score of 66
Post graduate Diploma at Level 8	Academic score of 6.5 with no band score lower than 6	Score of 590 (with an essay score 5.5 TWE)	Score of 79 (with a writing score of 21)	CAE or CPE with a score of 176. No less than 169 in each skill	Level 5 with the Academic endorsement	PTOE (Academic) score of 58	C1 Expert with a score of 42

Exceptions

	IELTS Academic Score Required
Bachelor of Nursing	6.5
Certificate in Nursing (Competence Assessment Programme)	7.0
Bachelor of Counselling	6.5
Bachelor of Social Work	6.5

*The listed outcomes represent the minimum scores or grades for each test or qualification that qualify a student for enrolment at each programme level. Students with higher scores or grades than required for a particular programme level may still enrol at that level.

+IELTS scores used must be taken from a single IELTS Test Report Form (i.e. combining scores from more than one test is not permissible).

Country Specific English Test

English tests from the following countries may be accepted in place of the tests listed above for qualifications up to and including Level 7. These test results may not be used when an exception exists for a certain programme as listed above:

Denmark	A minimum GPA of 6 in A-level English or a minimum GPA of 9 in B-level English when graduating from Upper Secondary School
Fiji	Fiji Year 13 Certificate English score of 50%
Germany (Study Abroad)	A score of B2 in each of the three sections of the DAAD test
Hong Kong	A minimum test score of C in the Use of English paper in the Hong Kong A level examination
Malaysia	GCE 'O' Level English 1119 - grade B4 or higher
Netherlands	A minimum of grade 7 in the VWO-Gymnasium or the VWO-Atheneum A or B
Norway	A grade of 4.0 or better in English in the final year of studying English in the Vitnemål fra den Videregående Skole
Samoa	A score of B3 (60%) in English A in the University Preparatory Year of the National University of Samoa
Singapore	GCE 'O' Level English - grade C or higher
Sweden	A grade of VG or MVG in English A & B in the final year of the Slutbetyg Från Gymnasieskolan

National English tests from countries not listed in the table above may also be acceptable at the discretion of NMIT.