

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES



VISION

A leading comprehensive African university that thrives on quality and fosters collaborative and innovative cultures with its rural and urban campuses.

MISSION

UNIZULU seeks to:

produce globally competitive graduates relevant to the development needs of the country, and;
engage with society for the betterment of all.

VALUES

Values 2022-2027 serve as a foundation for a more equitable and inclusive UNIZULU community.

The values are:

- Discovery and pursuit of excellence through teaching, learning, research and innovation
- Community of Belonging. We embrace all forms of diversity, social inclusion and elimination of social injustices.
 - Teamwork. Working together to accomplish a common goal.
 - Accountability: Subscribing to integrity and transparency

ADMISSION TO UNIZULU

The first step when applying for admission at the University is deciding on the qualifications you wish to obtain. Upon acceptance, depending on the chosen course, you are then admitted to one of the institution's four faculties.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Your application will only be considered for admission if you qualify and meet the faculty requirements. NOTE: Meeting the minimum admission requirements only means that you are eligible for selection, NOT that you will necessarily be accepted.

HOW TO CALCULATE YOUR ADMISSION POINTS

NSC rating **Senior Certificate Standard** level of Higher **Percentage Symbol** Grade Grade performance 8 6 80% - 100% 7 В 7 5 70% - 79% 6 C 6 4 60% - 69% 5 5 D 3 4 50% - 59% E 4 2 3 40% - 49% 3 1 2 30% - 39% 1 10% - 29%

EXAMPLE OF HOW TO CALCULATE POINTS

Example					
Subject	Percentage	Points			
English Home Language	75%	6			
lsiZulu first/lsiXhosa/Afrikaans/ Additional Language	90%	8			
Mathematics	80%	7			
Life Science	62%	5			
Physical Sciences	72%	6			
Life Orientation	68%	0			
Total		32			



HOW DO I APPLY?

- Prospective students must apply online for admission to an undergraduate qualification via the Central Applications Office (CAO) on www.cao.ac.za
- The cycle for 2026 applications opens on 1 March 2025
- The CAO application fee is R250

REMEMBER TO HAVE THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS

- Certified National Senior Certificate or Statement of Results or,
- Certified Senior Certificate
- Copy of ID

ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTATION FOR INTERNATIONAL PROSPECTIVE STUDENTS:

- Original passport /certified copy
- Study permit
- Medical aid/health insurance cover (Momentum or Compcare)
- Certificate of conditional exemption (Undergraduate students) If not SA matric
- Certified Final School Results/HESA Certificates

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPLICATION

Please contact CAO on 031 268 4444 or visit www.cao.ac.za or consult faculties.

WHY STUDY WITH UNIZULU?

- It is the only comprehensive university north of the uThukela River
- It aspires to be a leading comprehensive university providing quality education
- It has the best Science Centre in Africa
- It undertakes research relevant to local communities
- It recognises academic excellence through scholarships
- It boasts producing graduates who have gone on to occupy key positions both in public and private sectors

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

TEL: 035 902 6087/6366 Closing date: 31 October 2025

Programme Name	Years	Min Points	Min Admission Requirements
B A Environmental Planning & Development	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Geog 4 and four 20 credit subjects
B A in Intercultural Communication	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
Diploma in Media Studies	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A Correctional Studies	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 5 and five 20 credit subjects
B A Industrial Sociology	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (Anthropology & History)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (Geography & History)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (Geography & Tourism)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (History & IsiZulu)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (Linguistics & English)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A (Philosophy & Psychology)	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A in Psychology	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Social Sci (Geography/History) 4 and four 20 credit subjects
B A in Drama, Theatre and Performance	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Dramatic Art or Visual Art 4 and Four 20 credit subjects
Diploma in Public Relations Management	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A Development Studies	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B A Information Science	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B Library & Information Science	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
B Social Work	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl HL 4/FAL 5 and five 20 credit subjects
B A Sociology	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and five 20 credit subjects
Bachelor of Social Sciences in Political and International Studies	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Geog 4 and Hist 4 and Economics/Math Literacy 4 and two 20 credit subjects
B Tourism Studies	3 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Tourism or Geog 4 and four 20 credit subjects
Diploma in Tourism Management	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip with Engl 4 and (any five) subjects: Maths/Maths Lit, Tourism and/ or Geog and/or Hosp Stud, Bus Stud and/or Acc at min level of 4

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

TEL: 035 902 6348/6388 Closing date: 31 October 2025

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Programme Name	Years	Min Points	Min Admission Requirements
Bachelor of Education in Foundation Phase Teaching	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg with IsiZulu HL 4 and Engl FAL 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching: Languages and Humanities	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg with IsiZulu 4 and Engl 4 and Geog and Hist 4
Bachelor of Education in Intermediate Phase Teaching: Languages, Maths, Natural Science & Technology	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg with IsiZulu FAL/HL 4 and Engl HL/FAL 4 and Maths 4 and Phys Sci 3 or Maths 3 and Phys Sci 4

FACULTY OF COMMERCE, ADMINISTRATION AND LAW TEL: 035 902 6539/6362 Closing date: 31 October 2025

Programme Name	Years	Min Points	Min Admission Requirements
B Admin: Public Administration and Business Management	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Admin: Public Administration and Economics	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Admin: Public Administration and Human Resources	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Admin: Public Administration and Political Science	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Accounting and Economics)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Accounting and Economics) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Accounting) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Banking and Business Management)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Banking and Business Management) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Business Management and Accounting)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Business Management and Accounting) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Business Management and Economics)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Business Management and Economics) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Business Management and Human Resource Management) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Economics and Banking)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Economics and Banking) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Economics and Human Resource Management)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Economics and Human Resources Management) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com (Human Resource Management and Business Management)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 6
B Com (Management Information Systems)	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl and Maths 4
B Com (Management Information Systems) 4 years	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
B Com Accounting Science	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl and Maths 4
B Com in Accounting	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl and Maths 4
B Laws	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg Endorsement with Engl 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
Dip Co-Operatives Management	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
Dip Logistics Management	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
Dip Transport Management	3 yrs	24	NSC Dip Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4
H Cert Accountancy	1 yr	22	NSC Certificate Endorsement with Engl 3 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4

FACULTY OF SCIENCE, AGRICULTURE AND ENGINEERING TEL: 035 902 6306/6649

Closing date: 31 October 2025

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Programme Name	Years	Min Points	Min Admission Requirements		
B Consumer Science: Extension & Rural Development	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Consumer Science: Hospitality & Tourism	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND LO 4		
B Eng Electrical Engineering	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 5		
B Eng Electrical Engineering and Computer Engineering	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 5		
B Eng Mechanical Engineering	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 5		
B Eng Mechatronic Engineering	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 5		
B Nursing Science	4 yrs	30	NSC Deg with Engl and Life Sci 4 and level 3 in Maths/level 4 maths literacy		
B Sc Agric: Agronomy	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Agric: Animal Science	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Agricultural Economics: Agribusiness Management	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Applied Mathematics with Computer Sciences as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4		
B Sc Applied Mathematics with Hydrology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4		
B Sc Applied Mathematics with Mathematics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4		
B Sc Applied Mathematics with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4		
B Sc Applied Mathematics with Statistics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4		
B Sc Augmented: Life Sciences	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 3 AND Maths AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 3		
B Sc Augmented: Physical Sciences	4 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 3 AND Maths AND Phys Sci 3		
B Sc Biochemistry with Botany as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Biochemistry with Chemistry as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Biochemistry with Human Movement Science as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Biochemistry with Microbiology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Biochemistry with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Botany with Geography as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths 4 and Phys Sci 3 and Geog 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Botany with Hydrology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		
B Sc Botany with Microbiology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4		

Programme Name	Years	Min Points	Min Admission Requirements
B Sc Botany with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Chemistry with Computer Science as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Chemistry with Hydrology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Chemistry with Mathematics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Chemistry with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Chemistry with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Computer Science with Hydrology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Computer Science with Mathematics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Computer Science with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Computer Science with Statistics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Geography with Hydrology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci and Geog 4
B Sc Geography with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci and Geog 4
B Sc Geography with Statistics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci and Geog 4
B Sc Geography with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths 4 and Phys Sci 3 and Geog 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Human Movement Science with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Human Movement Science with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Hydrology with Microbiology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Hydrology with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Hydrology with Statistics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Hydrology with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Mathematics with Physics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Mathematics with Statistics as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl 4 and Maths 5 and Phys Sci 4
B Sc Microbiology with Human Movement Science as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl and Maths and Phys Sci 4 and Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Microbiology with Zoology as Major 2	3 yrs	28	NSC Deg with Engl AND Maths 4 AND Phys Sci 3 AND Life Sci OR Agric Sci 4
B Sc Foundation	4 yrs	26	NSC Deg with Engl 3 and Maths 3 and Phys Sci 2 and Agric Sci OR Life Sci 3
Dip Hospitality Management	3 yrs	26	NSC Dip with Engl 4 and four 20 credit subjects (excl lang) 3
Dip Sport & Exercise Technology	3 yrs	26	NSC Dip with Engl HL 4/FAL 3 and three subjects from the designated list 3



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