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UKZN POINTS TABLE		
NSC Levels	UKZN'S POINTS RATING FOR Admissions Point Score (APS)	ADJUSTED PERCENTAGES FOR APS
	8	90% to 100%
7	7	80% to 89%
6	6	70% to 79%
5	5	60% to 69%
4	4	50% to 59%
3	3	40% to 49%
2	2	30% to 39%
1	1	0% to 29%

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The admission requirements stated are minimum requirements and achievement of these minimum requirements does not guarantee that the applicant will be offered a place. Furthermore, this document is meant to serve only as a guideline - for full admission requirements and application procedures, please consult the latest Undergraduate prospectus.

## COLLEGE OF HEALTH SCIENCES

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Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
B Audiology	KN-W-BPA	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Maths 3 and Life Sci or Phys Sci 3 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-30	4 yrs
B Speech-Language Therapy	KN-W-BPB	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Maths 3 and Life Sci or Phys Sci 3 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-30	4 yrs
B Dental Therapy	KN-W-BDT	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Life Sci and Maths 3 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-30	3 yrs
BSc Dietetics and Human Nutrition	KN-P-BSD	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO, Maths 4 & Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	4 yrs
B Medical Science: Anatomy	KN-W-MBS	NSC Deg with Engl, LO, Life Sci and Maths and Phys Sci 4 (Choices 1, 2 and 3 will be prioritised)	48-30	3 yrs
B Medical Science: Physiology	KN-W-SBF	NSC Deg with Engl, LO, Maths, Life Sci and Phys Sci 4 (Choices 1, 2 and 3 will be prioritised)	48-30	3 yrs
B Medicine and Surgery	KN-M-MBC	NSC Deg with Maths, Phys Sci, Life Sci and Engl at Level 5, LO 4 and an aggregate of 65%	N/A	6 yrs
B Nursing	KN-H-BN1	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Life Sciences 4 and Maths/ Maths Lit 3 (Choice 1 only)	48-30	4 yrs
B Occupational Therapy	KN-W-BOT	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Maths 3 and Life Sci or Phys Sci 3 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-30	4 yrs
B Optometry	KN-W-BOP	NSC Deg with Engl, LO, Maths 4 and Life Sci or Phys Sci 4 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-33	4 yrs
B Oral Hygiene	KN-W-BON	NSC Deg with Engl, LO 4, Life Sci and Maths 3 (Choices 1-3 only)	48-30	3 yrs
B Pharmacy	KN-W-BPR	NSC Deg with Engl and Life Sci and LO and Maths and Phys Sci 4 (Choices 1 - 3 only)	48-33	4 yrs
B Physiotherapy	KN-W-BPH	NSC Deg with Engl and LO and Maths and Life Sci and Phys Sci 4 (Choices 1 -3 only)	48-30	4 yrs
B Sport Science	KN-W-BRT	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and Maths/Maths Lit 3	48-30	3 yrs

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## COLLEGE OF LAW AND MANAGEMENT STUDIES

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Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
Bachelor of Commerce in Accounting	KN-P-BCN KN-W-BCN	NSC Deg with Maths 5, Engl and LO 4	48-32	3 yrs
Bachelor of Commerce (General) <b>Students will major in two of the following disciplines:</b> Retail and Marketing Management, Supply Chain Management, Information Systems and Technology, Human Resources Management, Management, Finance, Economics, Accountancy and Public Administration	KN-P-BC1 KN-W-BC1	NSC Deg with Engl, LO and Maths 4	48-30	3 yrs
Bachelor of Commerce Extended Curriculum (Accounting) - Quintile 1-3 Schools	KN-P-BCO KN-W-BCO	NSC Deg with Engl, LO and Maths 4	48-28	4 yrs
Bachelor of Commerce Extended Curriculum (General) - Quintile 1-3 Schools	KN-P-BCG KN-W-BCG	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and Maths 3	48-26	4 yrs
Bachelor of Administration	KN-W-BAD	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and Maths 3	48-28	3 yrs
Bachelor of Business Administration (evening classes)	KN-P-BBA KN-W-BBA		48-26	3 yrs
Bachelor of Business Science in Finance	KN-W-B5F	NSC Deg with Maths 6 and Engl and LO 4	48-33	4 yrs
Bachelor of Business Science in Investment Science	KN-W-B5I		48-33	4 yrs
Bachelor of Laws	KN-H-BL1 KN-P-BL1	NSC Deg with Engl HL 5/FAL 6 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 5 and LO 4	48-32	4 yrs
Bachelor of Laws (part-time)	KN-H-BLZ		48-32	6 yrs

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### Undergraduate Degree Requirements Guide

## GREAT REASONS TO STUDY AT UKZN

Approximately 20 531 universities are ranked globally by the Center for World University Rankings (CWUR) where UKZN was placed in the top 2.4% of global universities - one of only four African universities to be rated this high.

UKZN is one of the seven African universities rated among the top 600 universities in the world according to the Academic Rankings of the World Universities (ARWU). The University has formal links, exchange programmes and collaborative teaching and research programmes with many other universities around the globe.

UKZN is the only University in South Africa to offer a degree in Agricultural (Bioresources) Engineering that is fully accredited by the Engineering Council of South Africa.

The multi-million rand KwaZulu-Natal Research Institute for Tuberculosis and HIV/AIDS (K-RITH) and international centre of scientific research is located on the Medical School campus. K-RITH is a groundbreaking partnership between UKZN and the Howard Hughes Medical Institute in the United States.

## A CHOICE OF FIVE CAMPUSES

The **Edgewood Campus** is in Pinetown. It is the University's primary site for teacher education. With easy access to the N3 highway and approximately 20 minutes' drive from Durban, the campus offers sophisticated and attractive facilities.

The **Howard College Campus** is situated in Glenwood in Durban, with spectacular views of the Durban harbour. The Howard College campus offers degree options in the fields of Engineering, Law, Humanities (including Music) and Social Sciences (including Social Work), Nursing and Architecture.

The **Nelson R Mandela School of Medicine** in Umbilo, Durban, offers hands-on, problem-based, practical and relevant training to those interested in pursuing the MBChB programme.

The **Pietermaritzburg Campus** is in Scottsville and offers a relaxed atmosphere with a great vibe. Pietermaritzburg is located in the KwaZulu-Natal Midlands, close to numerous nature reserves and parks. It is an hour away from Durban. Unique to the Pietermaritzburg campus are the disciplines of Agriculture, Theology and Visual Arts.

The **Westville Campus** is in the suburb of Westville, about eight kilometres from the CBD of Durban and Pinetown. The Westville campus offers programmes in Science, Management Studies and Health Sciences.

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COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE


COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE				
Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
B Sc Eng: Agricultural	KN-P-BEA	NSC-Deg with Maths & Physics (65%), Engl & LO 4 and three other subjects with at least two from the designated list	48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Chemical	KN-H-BEC		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Civil	KN-H-BEV KN-P-BEV		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Computer	KN-H-BEK KN-P-BEK		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Electrical	KN-H-BEE KN-P-BEE		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Electronic	KN-H-BEF KN-P-BEF		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Eng: Mechanical	KN-H-BEM KN-P-BEM		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Land Surveying	KN-H-BSL		48-33	4 yrs
B Sc Crop and Horticultural Science	KN-P-SIH		48-28	3 yrs
B Agric (Extension and Rural Resource Management)	KN-P-BAC	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO, Maths and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	3 yrs
B Sc. Agric. Agricultural Economics	KN-P-SAE		48-28	4 yrs
B Agricultural Management	KN-P-BAQ		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Agric. Agricultural Plant Sciences	KN-P-SAP	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO, Maths and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	4 yrs
B Sc Agric	KN-P-BSA		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Agric. Agribusiness	KN-P-BSB	NSC-Deg with Maths and Engl, LO and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	4 yrs
B Sc Agric. Animal and Poultry Science	KN-P-SAA		48-28	4 yrs
B Sc Agric. Plant Pathology	KN-P-BSP	NSC-Deg with Maths, Engl, LO and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	4 yrs
B Sc Agric. Soil Science	KN-P-BSI		48-28	4 yrs

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE, ENGINEERING AND SCIENCE				
Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
B Sc Stream M (Mathematics)	KN-P-BS3 KN-W-BS3	NSC-Deg with Maths 5, Eng & LO 4 and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-30	3 yrs
B Sc Computer Science and Information Technology	KN-P-BSU KN-W-BSU		48-30	3 yrs
B Sc Geographic Information Systems and Earth Observation (GIS-EO)	KN-P-BSG		48-30	3 yrs
B Sc Geological Science	KN-W-BSG	NSC-Deg with Maths, Engl, LO and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 4	48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Environmental Science	KN-P-BSS KN-W-BSS		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Environmental and Earth Science	KN-P-EES		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Applied Chemistry	KN-W-BSR		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Chemistry and Chemical Technology	KN-P-SIK		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Stream (LES) Life and Earth Sciences	KN-P-BS2 KN-W-BS2		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Biological Sciences	KN-P-BSN KN-W-BSN		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Marine Biology	KN-W-BSM		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Industrial and Applied Biotechnology	KN-P-SII		48-28	3 yrs
B Sc Augmented Programme (Quintile 1 - 3 Schools)	KN-P-BS4 KN-W-BS4	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO 4, Maths and Agric Sci or Life Sci or Phys Sci 3	48-26	4 yrs
BSc Engineering Access Programme (Quintile 1 - 3 Schools)	KN-H-UNT	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO 4, Maths and Phys Sci 4	N/A	5 yrs

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COLLEGE OF HUMANITIES

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Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
B Ed (Foundation Phase) Grade R - 3	KN-E-BFP	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and any other official SA language HL/FAL 4 and Maths 3/Maths Lit 4  Matric exemption NQF Level 4 National Certificate (Vocational) with an endorsement of a Bachelors grade pass may be considered through the selection criteria process	48-28  32	4 yrs
B Ed (Intermediate Phase) Grade 4 - 6	KN-E-BIP	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and LO 4 and Level 5 in two of Maths, Maths Lit, Info Tech, Elec Tech, Mech Tech, Comp App Tech, Agric Tech, Civil Tech, Eng Graph & Des or any other NSC subjects - the NS-TECH stream student can have Math or Math Lit at level 5 and the Math stream requires Pure Math at level 5  Matric Exemption NQF Level 4 National Certificate (Vocational) with endorsement of a Bachelors grade pass may be considered through the selection criteria process	48-28  32	4 yrs
B Ed (Senior Phase/ Further Education & Training) Grade 7 - 12	KN-E-SN/ FET	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL and LO 4 and level 5 in any other 2 NSC subjects relevant to the package selected (Senior/FET packages currently offered are: Accounting FET, Computer Science FET, Drama FET, English FET, History FET, Information Systems FET, Life Sciences FET, Life Orientation FET, Mathematics FET, Physical Sciences)  Matric Exemption NQF Level 4 National Certificate (Vocational) with an endorsement of a Bachelors grade pass may be considered through the selection criteria process	48-28  32	4 yrs
B Social Work	KN-H-BSX	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO 4 and one of: Bus Stud, Cons Stud, Dram Arts, Econ, Geog, Hist, Info Tech, Life Sci, Maths/Maths Lit 2, Music, Religion Stud, Vis Arts, any lang HL/FAL 5.	48-28	4 yrs
BA (General Studies)	KN-H-BA2 KN-P-BA2		48-28	3 yrs
B Soc Sc (General Studies)	KN-H-SO2 KN-P-SO2		48-28	3 yrs
BA Cultural & Heritage Tourism	KN-H-ABT		48-28	3 yrs
B Soc Sc Geography & Environmental Management	KN-H-SGE KN-P-SGE		48-28	3 yrs
B Architectural Studies	KN-H-BAR	NSC-Deg with Maths 5. Architectural Studies applicants who meet the minimum requirements will be requested to submit a portfolio of original creative work. For more information, contact Subalutchmee Naicker: Naickersu@ukzn.ac.za/ 031 260 2693 or visit https://sobeds.ukzn.ac.za/course/architectural-studies/	48-30	3 yrs

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Programme Name	CAO Code	Entry Requirements	APS Range	Duration
BA Philosophy, Politics and Law	KN-H-ABP KN-P-ABP	NSC-Deg with Engl, LO 4 and one of: Bus Stud, Cons Stud, Dram Arts, Econ, Geog, Hist, Info Tech, Life Sci, Maths/Maths Lit 2, Music, Religion Stud, Vis Arts, any lang HL/FAL 5	48-30	3 yrs
BA International Studies	KN-P-ABI		48-28	3 yrs
BA Visual Art	KN-P-AAV		48-28	3 yrs
B Soc Sc Government, Business and Ethics	KN-P-SOG		48-28	3 yrs
B Theology	KN-P-BTH		48-28	3 yrs
B Soc Sc Housing	KN-H-SOR	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and one of: Bus Stud, Cons Stud, Dram Arts, Econ, Geog, Hist, Info Tech, Life Sci, Maths, Maths Lit, Music, Religion Stud, Vis Arts, any lang HL/FAL 5	48-28	3 yrs
B A in Music Extended Curriculum	KN-H-BMX	NSC Deg with Engl HL/FAL 4 and LO 4	48-22	4 yrs
B A Music	KN-H-BAM	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and one of: Bus Stud, Cons Stud, Dram Arts, Econ, Geog, Hist, Info tech, Life Sci, Maths, Maths Lit, Music, Religion Stud, Vis Arts, any lang HL/FAL 5	48-28	3 yrs
B Soc Sc Extended Curriculum (4 yrs)	KN-H-SO4 KN-P-SO4	NSC Deg with Engl and LO 4 and one of: Bus Stud, Cons Stud, Dram Arts, Econ, Geog, Hist, Info tech, Life Sci, Maths/Maths Lit 2, Music, Religion Stud, Vis Arts, any lang HL/FAL 5	48-20	4 yrs
Additional notes for B A in Music Extended Curriculum: A practical audition before an accepted panel of music staff. A series of diagnostic pre-entrance tests in theory and oral, live/video audition, after passing all modules in the foundation year, candidates continue with the standard BA in Music curriculum				
Additional notes for B A in Music: For practical (instrumental/vocal) course contact (031) 260 2380/3133 to arrange an audition				
Additional notes for B Soc Sc Extended Curriculum: Students must be from schools with quintiles 1-3. Students who have attended the university or any other tertiary institution whether in a degree or access programme of any kind for a complete semester will not be admitted to this programme. Semester will not be considered.				

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