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ENTRY REQUIREMENT IN TO DEGREE PROGRAMMES 2024-2025 ACADEMIC YEAR ISSUED AUGUST 2024

Minimum admission entry requirements in to Degree Programmes

Sn	Category of applicants	Minimum admission entry qualifications
1.	Completed A Level studies before 2014	Two principal passes with a total of 4.0 points from Two Subjects defining the admission into the respective programme: where A = 5; B = 4; C = 3; D = 2; E = 1; S=0.5.
2.	Completed A Level studies in 2014 and 2015	Two principal passes (Two Cs) with a total of 4.0 points from Two Subjects defining the admission into the respective programme: where A = 5; B+ = 4; B = 3; C = 2; D = 1; E = 0.5.
3.	Completed A Level studies from 2016	Two principal passes with a total of 4.0 points from Two Subjects defining the admission into the respective programme: where A = 5; B = 4; C = 3; D = 2; E = 1; S = 0.5.
4	Ordinary Diploma, FTC and Equivalent Qualification Applicants	At least four passes ('D's and above) at O' Level or NVA Level III with less than four O' Level passes or equivalent foreign qualifications as translated by either NECTA or VETA; AND <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i) At least a GPA of 3.0 for Ordinary Diploma (NTA Level 6); OR ii) Average of "C" for Full Technician Certificate (FTC) (where A = 5, B = 4, C = 3, and D = 2 points); OR iii) Average of 'B' Grade for Diploma in Teacher Education; OR iv) Average of 'B+' Grade for Health related awards such as Clinical Medicine and others; OR v) A Distinction for unclassified Diplomas and certificates OR vi) Upper Second Class for classified non-NTA Diplomas
	Foundation Programme of the OUT	A GPA of 3.0 accumulated from six core subjects and at least a C grade from three subjects in respective cluster(Arts, Science and Business Studies) PLUS An Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education Examination with at least 1.5 from two subjects OR An Ordinary Diploma from the recognized institution with a GPA of at least 2.0 OR NTA level 5 /Professional Technician Level II Certificate

OPTION I: DIRECT ENTRY

Form six with two principal passes with a total of 4.0 points from Two Subjects defining the admission into the respective programme or Foundation certificate with A GPA of 3.0 accumulated from six core subjects and at least a C grade from three subjects in respective cluster (Arts, Science and Business Studies)

AND

At least four O-Level passes (“D”s and above) or NVA Level III with less than four O-Level Passes or equivalent foreign qualifications as established by either NECTA or VETA.

OPTION II: EQUIVALENT ENTRY

Minimum Entry Requirements for Equivalent Applicants – Diploma Holders with 3.0 GPA **AND**

At least four O-Level passes (“D”s and above) or NVA Level III with less than four O-Level Passes or equivalent foreign qualifications as established by either NECTA or VETA.

OPTION III

An applicant with degree or Advanced Diploma awards from other Institutions of Higher Learning will be considered on their own merit

ADDITIONAL ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS IN TO DEGREE PROGRAMMES FOR FORM 6 HOLDERS FOR 2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR

Open University of Tanzania (OUT), Dar es Salaam						
S/N	Programme	Code	Admission Requirements	Minimum Institutional Admission Points	Admission Capacity	Programme Duration (YRS)
1.	Bachelor of Arts with Education	OU001	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy or Advanced Mathematics.	4.0	300	3-6
2.	Bachelor of Arts in Journalism	OU003	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	100	3-6

3.	Bachelor of Arts in Mass Communication	OU004	Principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	150	3-6
4.	Bachelor of Arts in Sociology	OU005	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	350	3-6
5.	Bachelor of Arts in Social Work	OU006	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	200	3-6
6.	Bachelor of Arts in Tourism	OU007	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	100	3-6
7.	Bachelor of Business Administration with Education	OU008	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	60	3-6
8.	Bachelor of Education in Special Education	OU010	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6

9.	Bachelor of Science in Environmental Studies	OU011	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Agriculture, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Economics, History or Geography or Foundation Programme of the OUT with a minimum GPA of 3.0 accumulated from six core subjects and a minimum of C grade in three subjects, from Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, Economics, History or Geography.	4.0	200	3-6
10.	Bachelor of Laws	OU012	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy Physics, Chemistry, Biology or Advanced Mathematics.	4.0	300	3-6
11.	Bachelor of Science General	OU014	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Geography, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6
12.	Bachelor of Science with Education	OU015	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Geography, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6
13.	Bachelor of Science in ICT	OU016	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Geography, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6
14.	Bachelor of Business Administration (Accounting)	OU017	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	400	3-6
15.	Bachelor of Business Administration (Finance)	OU018	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6

16.	Bachelor of Business Administration (Marketing)	OU019	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	400	3-6
17.	Bachelor of Business Administration (Human Resource Management)	OU020	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	400	3-6
18.	Bachelor of Business Administration (International Business)	OU021	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	250	3-6
19.	Bachelor of Human Resource Management	OU022	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	450	3-6
20.	Bachelor of Education Teacher Educator	OU023	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	250	3-6
21.	Bachelor of Education in Adult and Distance Learning	OU024	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	200	3-6

22.	Bachelor of Education in Educational Policy and Management	OU025	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	400	3-6
23.	Bachelor of Arts in Economics	OU026	Two principal passes in Economics and in one of the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Commerce, Accountancy or Advanced Mathematics.	4.0	200	3-6
24.	Bachelor of Arts in English Language and Linguistics	OU027	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	100	3-6
25.	Bachelor of Arts in Kiswahili and Creative Studies	OU028	Two principal passes in Kiswahili and in one of the following subjects: History, Geography, English Language, Economics, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Commerce, Accountancy or Advanced Mathematics.	4.0	100	3-6
26.	Bachelor of Arts in Natural Resources Management	OU030	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	250	3-6
27.	Bachelor of Arts in Population and Development	OU031	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	200	3-6

28.	Bachelor of Arts in Public Administration	OU033	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	300	3-6
29.	Bachelor of Arts in International Relations	OU034	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition.	4.0	300	3-6
30.	Bachelor of Community Economic Development	OU035	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	250	3-6
31.	Bachelor of Library & Information Management	OU036	Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	100	3-6
32.	Bachelor of Science in Energy Resources	OU037	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geography, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition. If one of the principal passes is not Physics, an applicant must have a minimum of "D" grade in Physics at O-Level.	4.0	100	3-6
33.	Bachelor of Science in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics	OU038	Three principal passes in Chemistry, Biology and either Physics or Advanced Mathematics or Nutrition or Geography or Agriculture with a minimum of 6 points, whereby one must have at least a C grade in Chemistry or Nutrition or Agriculture or Biology.	4.0	150	3-6
34.	Bachelor of Science in Data Management	OU039	Two principal passes in the following subjects: Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geography, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science or Nutrition Studies.	4.0	250	3-6

35	Bachelor of Procurement and Supply Chain Management		Two principal passes in the following subjects: History, Geography, Kiswahili, English Language, French, Arabic, Fine Arts, Economics, Commerce, Accountancy, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Advanced Mathematics, Agriculture, Computer Science.	4.0	600	3-6
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