

Programme-specific entry requirements for applicants with NZ foundation qualifications

The table below states the guaranteed entry requirements for admission to specific undergraduate degree programmes for applicants with NZ foundation qualifications. Please note that offers will be made subject to the availability of places.



| Programme | Additional programme entry requirements | Auckland University of Technology Certificate in Foundation Studies ¹ | University of Canterbury International College Foundation Studies Certificate | University of Otago Foundation Studies Certificate | University of Waikato Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies (Standard Programme) | University of Waikato Certificate of Attainment in Foundation Studies (Accelerated Programme) | Victoria University of Wellington Foundation Studies Programme (Standard Programme) | Victoria University of Wellington Foundation Studies Programme (Fast track Programme) | Massey University Certificate in Foundation Studies |
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| Arts | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Arts (BA) | | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Communication (BC) | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Bachelor of Global Studies (BGlobalSt) | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Business and Economics | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Commerce (BCom) | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Bachelor of Property (BProp) | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Creative Arts and Industries | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Architectural Studies (BAS) ^Δ | Subject to the qualitative evaluation of a portfolio of creative work and written statement. | 330 | B+ | B+ | B+ | A | 70% | 85% | B+ |
| Bachelor of Dance Studies (BDanceSt) ^Δ | Subject to the qualitative evaluation of a CV, written statement and an audition/interview. | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Design (BDes) | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Bachelor of Fine Arts (BFA) ^Δ | Subject to the qualitative evaluation of a portfolio of creative works and written statement. | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Music (BMus): Creative Practice in Classical, Jazz or Popular Music | Subject to the qualitative evaluation of an audition. | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Music (BMus): Music Studies, Creative Practice: Composition | | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Urban Planning (Honours) (BUrbPlan(Hons)) ^Δ | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Education and Social Work | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Early Childhood Studies (BECS) | | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Education (Teaching) (BE(Tchg)) ^Δ | Subject to a satisfactory interview, police check, safety checks, referees' reports. You will also be required to sit a literacy and numeracy assessment | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Education (Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (Bed (TESOL)) ^Δ | Subject to a satisfactory police check and safety check. | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |

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| Bachelor of Sport, Health & Physical Education (BSHPE)^Δ | | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Bachelor of Social Justice Studies (BSJS) [pending CUAP approval] | | 250 | C | C | C | B- | 55% | 65% | C |
| Engineering | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Engineering (Honours) (BE(Hons))[*] | | 350 including Physics and Calculus | A-including Physics and Mathematics | A- including Physics and Mathematics | A- including Calculus and Physics | A including Calculus and Physics | 80% including Calculus and Physics | 85% including Calculus and Physics | A- including Mathematics A and B and Physics |
| Law | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Laws – (LLB (Part I)) | Students must be offered a place in another bachelors degree. Entry will be based on the required scores for the other bachelors degree. Applicants to Part II will be selected on the basis of their results in Part I. | | | | | | | | |
| Medical and Health Sciences | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Health Sciences (BHSc)[◊] | | 350 including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A- including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A- including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A- including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | 80% including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | 85% including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A- including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics |
| Bachelor of Medical Imaging (Honours) (BMedImag(Hons))^{Δ*} | No direct entry. Applicants will be selected on the basis of year one results in specified courses in the BSc (Biomedical Science) programme, and an interview. | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB)^{Δ*} | No direct entry. Applicants will be selected on the basis of year one results in the BSc (Biomedical Science) or BHSc programme, UMAT score and an interview. | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Nursing (BNurs)^Δ | Subject to satisfactory interview | 310 including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | B including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | B including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | B including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | A- including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | 70% including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | 80% including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics | B including one of Biology, Chemistry, Physics |
| Bachelor of Optometry (BOptom)^{Δ*} | No direct entry. Applicants will be selected on the basis of year one results in specified courses in the BSc (Biomedical Science) programme, and an interview. | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Pharmacy (BPharm)^{Δ*} | No direct entry. Applicants will be selected on the basis of year one results in specified courses in the BSc or BHSc programmes, and an interview. | | | | | | | | |
| Science | | | | | | | | | |
| Bachelor of Science | | | | | | | | | |
| Biomedical Science^Δ | | 350 | A- | A- | A- | A | 80% | 85% | A- |
| Food Science & Nutrition | | 290 | B- | B- | B- | B+ | 65% | 75% | B- |
| Other majors/specialisations | | 260 | C+ | C+ | C+ | B | 60% | 70% | C+ |
| Bachelor of Advanced Science (Honours) (BAdvSci(Hons)) (all specialisations) | | 350 | A- | A- | A- | A | 80% | 85% | A- |
| Conjoint degrees (with Health Sciences)^Δ | See the additional requirements for both degree programmes | 350 | A- | A- | A- | A | 80% | 85% | A- |
| Conjoint degrees (with Engineering) | See the additional requirements for both degree programmes | 350 | A- | A- | A- | A | 80% | 85% | A- |
| Conjoint degrees (without Engineering, Health Sciences, or Nursing) | | 310 | B | B | B | A- | 70% | 80% | B |
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Notes:

Δ - Some programmes only have one intake per year, please refer to the relevant faculty for more information.

◇ - Applicants intending to apply for first year pathway to MBCHB should start in Semester One only. There is no admission to the BSc (Biomedical Science) in Semester 2.

● - There is no direct entry to MBChB, BMedImag (Hons), BOptom and BPharm. Applicants for the MBChB must first complete Year 1 of either the BHSc or the BSc in Biomedical Science, or have completed another degree approved by the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences. Applicants for the [BOptom](#) must complete at least one year of study as part of the University's [Bachelor of Science \(Biomedical Science\)](#), including the prescribed core courses, or have completed another degree approved by the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences. Applicants for the [BPharm](#) must complete an appropriate first year programme including the prescribed BPharm Part one courses (or equivalent) in either the [Bachelor of Health Sciences \(BHSc\)](#) or the [Bachelor of Science \(BSc\)](#) at the University of Auckland, or have completed another degree approved by the Faculty of Medical and Health Sciences.

□ - An audition portfolio can include evaluations of one or more recorded and/or live performance elements, please see [here](#) for more information.

* - The Faculty of Engineering will give consideration to students who missed out on admission to BE(Hons) who are able to demonstrate sufficient ability in engineering-related and approved study, in the BSc programme for admission in Semester 2. Please see [here](#) for more information. Admission into Semester 2 is by selection subject to availability.

1. AUT Certificate in Foundation Studies: must be completed with a minimum of 50% in eight courses. Score is the aggregate of the best four Academic subjects.