

# ENTRY REQUIREMENTS LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

2019 / 2020

## General Entry Requirements

Candidates must fulfil requirements A, B & C

### A. MINIMUM GENERAL REQUIREMENT

#### a. For GCE 'O' Level

- i. Minimum FIVE (5) credits in GCE 'O' Level or its equivalent qualification (excluding Bahasa Melayu\*).
  1. At least a credit C6 in English Language at GCE 'O' Level Examination or a grade 'B' in IGCSE English (as a Second Language) or an IELTS score of 6.0\*
  2. At least a credit C6 in Mathematics D or Additional Mathematics
  3. At least a credit C6 in THREE (3) other relevant subjects.
- ii. Obtained between 5 to 26 points.  
*\*A credit in Bahasa Melayu is required for the Brunei Government Scholarship.*  
*\*A higher IELTS score of 6.5 is required for the Brunei Government Scholarship.*

#### b. For TVET Qualifications

- i. ND (Level 4 NQF\*) in related field with GPA  $\geq 2.0$  (based on a 3 points system)  
**OR**
- ii. Diploma (Level 4 NQF\*) in related field with GPA  $\geq 2.7$  (based on a 4 points system)  
**OR**
- iii. HNTec (Level 4 NQF\*) in related field with GPA  $\geq 2.7$  (based on a 4 points system)  
**OR**
- iv. Other qualifications accredited by BDNAC\*  
*\*NQF: National Qualification Framework*  
*\*BDNAC: Brunei Darussalam National Accreditation Council*

#### c. For Mature Applicants\* and/ Brunei Government In-Service Scheme\*

- i. Diploma in related field with GPA  $\geq 2.7$  (based on a 4 points system)  
**OR**
- ii. TWO (2) credits in GCE 'O' Level or its equivalent qualification  
**OR**
- iii. Technical Qualifications / Training WITH TWO (2) credits in GCE 'O' Level or its equivalent qualification  
**AND**
- iv. FIVE (5) years working experience in relevant field  
*\*Mature Applicants must have reached minimum age of 22 years and have left school for at least one year.*  
*\*For Brunei Government In-Service Scheme, application for departmental approval to study is the applicants' responsibility.*

### B. MINIMUM REQUIREMENT FOR EACH PROGRAMME

### C. PASS THE INTERVIEW AND / OR ENTRANCE TEST CONDUCTED BY POLITEKNIK BRUNEI WHERE APPLICABLE.

Applicants must note that fulfilling the specific entry requirements does not guarantee entry into Politeknik Brunei's programmes as admission to all programmes are competitive.

# SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (SBS)

## List of Programmes

- **Diploma in Business Accounting & Finance**
- **Diploma in Business Studies**
- **Diploma in Business Studies (Entrepreneurship)**
- **Diploma in Business Studies (Human Resources Management)**
- **Diploma in Business Studies (Marketing)**

**Duration: 3 Years @ Ong Sum Ping Campus**

## **PROGRAMME REQUIREMENTS**

### **Diploma in Business Accounting & Finance**

#### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- **Meet minimum general requirements**
- **At least a credit C6 in Principles of Accounts**
- **At least a credit C6 in any TWO (2) of the following relevant subjects:**

Additional Mathematics  
Business Studies  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Commercial Studies  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
English Literature  
Economics  
Geography  
History  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Mathematics D  
Physics  
Sociology  
Statistics

## **For TVET Qualifications**

Relevant Business related courses that can be considered by the school.  
Satisfy any test or any other requirements as per required by the programme, if deemed necessary.

## **Diploma in Business Studies**

### **Diploma in Business Studies (Entrepreneurship)**

### **Diploma in Business Studies (Human Resources Management)**

### **Diploma in Business Studies (Marketing)**

## **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in any **THREE (3)** of the following most relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Business Studies  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Commercial Studies  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
English Literature  
Economics  
Geography  
History  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Mathematics D  
Physics  
Principles of Accounts  
Sociology  
Statistics

## **For TVET Qualifications**

Relevant Business related courses that can be considered by the school.  
Satisfy any test or any other requirements as per required by the programme, if deemed necessary.

# SCHOOL OF INFORMATION COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY (SICT)

## List of Programmes

- Diploma in Digital Media
- Diploma in IT Network
- Diploma in Information Systems
- Diploma in Library Informatics & Computing
- Diploma in Web Development

Duration: 3 Years @ Ong Sum Ping Campus

## PROGRAMME REQUIREMENTS

### Diploma in Digital Media

#### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in any **THREE (3)** of the following relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Art  
Art & Design  
Biology  
Business Studies  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Commercial Studies

Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Design and Technology  
Economics  
English Literature  
Geography  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Mathematics D  
Physics  
Statistics

#### **For TVET Qualifications**

Relevant courses that can be considered by the school.

Satisfy any test or any other requirements as per required by the programme, if deemed necessary.

## **Diploma in Library Informatics & Computing**

#### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in any **THREE (3)** of the following relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Business Studies  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Commercial Studies  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Economics  
English Literature  
Geography  
History  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Mathematics D  
Physics  
Sociology  
Statistics  
Travel and Tourism

#### **For TVET Qualifications**

Relevant courses that can be considered by the school. Satisfy any test or any other requirements as per required by the programme, if deemed necessary.

## **Diploma in IT Network**

## **Diploma in Information Systems**

## **Diploma in Web Development**

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:

Computer Studies  
Computer Science  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Physics  
Biology  
Chemistry

- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Business Studies  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Commercial Studies  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Economics  
English Literature  
Geography  
Information and  
Communication Technology (ICT)  
Mathematics D  
Physics  
Statistics

# SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING (SSE)

## List of programmes

- Diploma in Architecture
- Diploma in Civil Engineering
- Diploma in Electrical and Electronics Engineering
- Diploma in Interior Design
- Diploma in Mechanical Engineering
- Diploma in Petroleum Engineering
- Diploma in Science Technology (Chemical Laboratory Technology)
- Diploma in Telecommunications and Systems Engineering

Duration: 3 Years @ Ong Sum Ping Campus

## PROGRAMME REQUIREMENTS

### Diploma in Architecture

#### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must produce a digital *Portfolio*
- To sit and satisfy drawing test conducted by the school
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** or **TWO (2)** of the following most relevant subjects:
  - Art
  - Art and Design
  - Biology

Chemistry  
Design and Technology  
Fine Art  
Physics

- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** or **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Art  
Art and Design  
Business Studies  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
English Literature  
Fine Art  
Geography  
History  
Mathematics D  
Principles of Account

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Animation and Multimedia Design  
Building Services Engineering  
Construction Engineering  
Design and Draughting  
Geomatics  
Graphic Design Technology  
Interactive and Multimedia Design  
Interior Design  
Multimedia Advertising and Broadcasting  
Planning Development

## **Diploma in Civil Engineering**

**For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must satisfy an interview conducted by the school
- At least a credit **C6** in Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Combined Science (grade **B4**)  
Mathematics D (grade **B4**)  
Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies



Design and Technology  
English Literature  
Geography

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Building Services Engineering  
Construction  
Construction Engineering  
Geomatics

## Diploma in Electrical and Electronics Engineering

### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must **PASS** Color Blind Test conducted by relevant authority
- At least a credit **C6** in Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Combined Science (grade **B4**)  
Mathematics D (grade **B4**)  
Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Design and Technology  
English Literature  
Geography

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (Avionics)  
Audio and Video Systems Engineering  
Computer Networks Engineering  
Electrical and Electronics Engineering  
Electronic and Communications Engineering  
Electronic and Media Technology  
Telecommunications Engineering

## Diploma in Interior Design

### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must produce a digital *Portfolio*
- To sit and satisfy drawing test conducted by the school
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** or **TWO (2)** of the following most relevant subjects:

Art  
Art and Design  
Biology

Chemistry  
Design and Technology  
Fine Art  
Physics

- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** or **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Additional Mathematics  
Art  
Art and Design  
Business Studies  
Combined Science  
Commerce  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
English Literature  
Fine Art  
Geography  
History  
Mathematics D  
Principles of Account

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Animation and Multimedia Design  
Building Services Engineering  
Construction Engineering  
Design and Draughting  
Geomatics  
Graphic Design Technology  
Interactive and Multimedia Design  
Interior Design  
Multimedia Advertising and Broadcasting  
Planning Development

**Diploma in Mechanical Engineering**

**For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must satisfy an interview conducted by the school
- At least a credit **C6** in Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

Combined Science (grade B4)  
Mathematics D (grade B4)  
Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Computer Science

Computer Studies  
Design and Technology  
English Literature  
Geography

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (Avionics)  
Automobile Engineering  
Manufacturing Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering  
Mechatronics Engineering  
Plant Engineering

## Diploma in Petroleum Engineering

### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must satisfy an interview conducted by the school
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:
  - Physics
  - Chemistry
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:
  - Combined Science (grade **B4**)
  - Mathematics D (grade **B4**)
  - Additional Mathematics
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Computer Science
  - Computer Studies
  - Design and Technology
  - English Literature
  - Geography
  - Physics

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

Electrical and Electronics Engineering  
Completion Well Intervention Technician  
Instrumentation and Control Engineering  
Mechanical Engineering  
Plant Engineering

## Diploma in Science Technology (Chemical Laboratory Technology)

### For GCE 'O' Level

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:
  - Biology

**Chemistry**  
**Combined Science (grade B4)**

- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

**Combined Science (grade B4)**  
**Mathematics D**  
**Additional Mathematics**  
**Biology**  
**Chemistry**  
**Computer Science**  
**Computer Studies**  
**Design and Technology**  
**English Literature**  
**Food and Nutrition**  
**Geography**  
**Physics**

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

**Agrotechnology**  
**Laboratory Science**  
**Pharmacy Technician**

## **Diploma in Telecommunications and Systems Engineering**

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- Must **PASS** Color Blind Test conducted by relevant authority
- At least a credit **C6** in Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:

**Combined Science (grade B4)**  
**Mathematics D (grade B4)**  
**Additional Mathematics**  
**Biology**  
**Chemistry**  
**Computer Science**  
**Computer Studies**  
**Design and Technology**  
**English Literature**  
**Geography**

**Relevant TVET Courses include:**

**Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (Avionics)**  
**Audio and Video Systems Engineering**  
**Computer Networks Engineering**  
**Electrical and Electronics Engineering**  
**Electronic and Communications Engineering**  
**Electronic and Media Technology**  
**Telecommunications Engineering**

# SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES (SHS)

## List of Programmes

**Diploma in Health Sciences (Midwifery)**

**Diploma in Health Sciences (Nursing)**

**Diploma in Health Sciences (Paramedic)**

**(NEW) Diploma in Dental Hygiene and Therapy**

**Duration: 3 Years @ Ong Sum Ping Campus**

## PROGRAMME REQUIREMENTS

### **Diploma in Health Sciences (Midwifery)**

**Open to FEMALE candidates only**

**Must PASS Medical Fitness Test**

Candidates must be certified by a medical practitioner as fit to be accepted into the programme and not having any of the following medical/ physical conditions:

- HbsAg Positive or Hepatitis B Carrier
- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or HIV positive
- Epilepsy
- Active Tuberculosis
- Psychiatric conditions

- Blindness
- Profound Deafness
- Other conditions as per medical recommendations.

### **Must CLEAR Criminal Record Screening**

Candidates must not have prior criminal records. Candidates may also be required to obtain police clearance.

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:  
Combined Science (**grade B4**)  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:  
Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Design and Technology  
English Literature  
Geography  
Mathematics D  
Physics

### **For TVET Qualifications**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery.

### **For Mature Applicants and Brunei Government In-Service Scheme**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery and working experience of **NOT LESS** than **TWO (2)** years with recommendation from relevant authority.

## **Diploma in Health Sciences (Paramedic)**

Open to candidates with **PHYSICAL HEIGHT** of at least 1.5m (5feet) only.

### **Must PASS Medical Fitness Test**

Candidates must be certified by a medical practitioner as fit to be accepted into the programme and not having any of the following medical/ physical conditions:

- HbsAg Positive or Hepatitis B Carrier
- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or HIV positive

- Epilepsy
- Active Tuberculosis
- Psychiatric conditions
- Blindness
- Profound Deafness
- Other conditions as per medical recommendations.

### **Must CLEAR Criminal Record Screening**

Candidates must not have prior criminal records. Candidates may also be required to obtain police clearance.

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:  
Combined Science (grade **B4**)  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:  
Additional Mathematics  
Biology  
Chemistry  
Combined Science  
Computer Science  
Computer Studies  
Design and Technology  
English Literature  
Geography  
Mathematics D  
Physics

### **For TVET Qualifications**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery.

### **For Mature Applicants and Brunei Government In-Service Scheme**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery and working experience of **NOT LESS** than **TWO (2)** years with recommendation from relevant authority.

## **Diploma in Health Sciences (Nursing)**

### **Must PASS Medical Fitness Test**

Candidates must be certified by a medical practitioner as fit to be accepted into the programme and not having any of the following medical/ physical conditions:

- HbsAg Positive or Hepatitis B Carrier
- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or HIV positive

- Epilepsy
- Active Tuberculosis
- Psychiatric conditions
- Blindness
- Profound Deafness
- Other conditions as per medical recommendations.

### **Must CLEAR Criminal Record Screening**

Candidates must not have prior criminal records. Candidates may also be required to obtain police clearance.

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:
  - Combined Science (grade **B4**)
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:
  - Additional Mathematics
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Combined Science
  - Computer Science
  - Computer Studies
  - Design and Technology
  - English Literature
  - Geography
  - Mathematics D
  - Physics

### **For TVET Qualifications**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery.

### **For Mature Applicants and Brunei Government In-Service Scheme**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery and working experience of **NOT LESS** than **TWO (2)** years with recommendation from relevant authority.

## **(NEW) Diploma in Health Sciences (Dental Hygiene and Therapy)**

Open to **LOCAL** candidates **ONLY**. This programme is only offered **ONCE** in two years.

### **Must PASS Medical Fitness Test**

Candidates must be certified by a medical practitioner as fit to be accepted into the programme and not having any of the following medical/ physical conditions:



- HbsAg Positive or Hepatitis B Carrier
- Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome or HIV positive
- Epilepsy
- Active Tuberculosis
- Psychiatric conditions
- Blindness
- Profound Deafness
- Other conditions as per medical recommendations.

### **Must CLEAR Criminal Record Screening**

Candidates must not have prior criminal records. Candidates may also be required to obtain police clearance.

### **For GCE 'O' Level**

- Meet minimum general requirements
- At least a credit **C6** in either **ONE (1)** of the following most relevant subjects:
  - Combined Science (**grade B4**)
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Physics
- At least a credit **C6** in any **TWO (2)** of the following relevant subjects:
  - Additional Mathematics
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Combined Science
  - Computer Science
  - Computer Studies
  - Design and Technology
  - English Literature
  - Geography
  - Mathematics D
  - Physics

### **For TVET Qualifications**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery.

### **For Mature Applicants and Brunei Government In-Service Scheme**

Must possess a recognised Certificate for Assistant Nurse or NTec in Nursing / Midwifery and working experience of **NOT LESS** than **TWO (2)** years with recommendation from relevant authority.