Standard Academic Entry Requirements for Undergraduate Programmes - 2027 entry

Qualification	CertHE	DipHE	BA (Hons)
A Level[1]	One A Level at E or above	Two A Levels at E or above	Three A Levels at E or above
Access to HE Diploma	45 Level 3 credits at Pass or above	45 Level 3 credits at Pass or above	45 Level 3 credits at Pass or above
BTEC Level 3 Nationals (first teaching from September 2016)[2]	• Foundation Diploma: P • 540 Diploma: P • Diploma: PP • Extended Diploma: PPP	• Diploma: PP • Extended Diploma: PPP	Extended Diploma: PPP
Cambridge Pre-U Diploma[3]	Either pass full Diploma or one principal subject at P3 or above	Either pass full Diploma or two principal subjects at P3 or above	Either pass full Diploma or three principal subjects at P3 or above

[1] Two AS Levels cannot be counted as one A Level.
[2] We do not accept the Level 3 National Certificate. Pearson BTEC Level 3 Nationals may be combined with A Levels to meet our entry requirements providing distinct subjects are taken. We accept the 540 Diploma or Foundation Diploma at P or above in lieu of one A Level. We accept the Diploma at PP or above in lieu of two A Levels.
[3] Individual Pre-U principal subjects may be combined with A Levels to meet our entry requirements providing distinct subjects are taken. We accept P3 or above in one principal subject in lieu of one A Level or P3 or above in two principal subjects in lieu of two A Levels.

Qualification	CertHE	DipHE	BA (Hons)
Cambridge Technicals Level 3 (2016 suite)[4]	• Extended Certificate: P • Introductory Diploma: P • Foundation Diploma: PP • Diploma: PP • Extended Diploma: PPP	• Diploma: PP • Extended Diploma: PPP	Extended Diploma: PPP
International Baccalaureate	Pass either Diploma (IBDP) or Career-related (IBCP) Programme with 4 or above in one Higher Level subject	Pass either Diploma (IBDP) or Career-related (IBCP) Programme with 3,4 or above in two Higher Level subjects	Pass either Diploma (IBDP) or Career-related (IBCP) Programme with 3,4,4 or above in three Higher Level subjects
Irish Leaving Certificate (Higher Level)	Two subjects at H6 (D3 pre-2017) or above	Four subjects at H6 (D3 pre-2017) or above	Five subjects with four at H6 (D3 pre-2017) or above and one at H5 (D1 pre-2017) or above
Scottish Higher and Advanced Higher	• Two Scottish Highers at D or above or • One Scottish Advanced Higher at D or above	Three Scottish Highers and/or Advanced Highers at D or above	Four Scottish Highers and/or Advanced Highers at D or above
T Level	Pass full T Level with D or E on the core	Pass full T Level with D or E on the core	Pass full T Level with D or E on the core
WJEC Level 3 Applied Diploma[5]	Applied Diploma at P or above	Applied Diploma at P or above plus one A Level at E or above	Applied Diploma at P or above plus two A Levels at E or above

- For mature students (those aged 21 and over), relevant work experience may be considered in lieu of formal academic qualifications.
- If an applicant holds a qualification that is not listed here, including qualifications from outside the UK or Ireland, before submitting an application they should contact the Admissions Office to see if we accept the qualification and, if so, the level required.

[4] We do not accept the Cambridge Technical Certificate or qualifications from the 2012 suite. Cambridge Technicals Level 3 may be combined with A Levels to meet our entry requirements providing distinct subjects are taken. We accept the Extended Certificate or Introductory Diploma at P or above or the Foundation Diploma at PP or above in lieu of one A Level. We accept the Diploma at PP or above in lieu of two A Levels.

[5] Distinct subjects must be taken for the Applied Diploma and A Levels. We do not accept the WJEC Level 3 Applied Certificate.