



ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The following is required to be considered for admission:

Minimum Admission Requirements	English	Notes	
Minimum Admission Requirements	NSC: Bachelor's Degree pass with	30%	A minimum of 30% in LoLT on NSC/ SC(a) OR with a min. of 33.3% on SC.
	NC(V): Bachelor's Degree pass with	50%	
	SC: Endorsement pass with	33.3%	
	SC(a): Degree pass		
<u>International:</u>			
An USAf Exemption Certificate is required and meeting the English requirements.			
	A cognate Higher Certificate OR cognate 240 credit Diploma OR an Advanced Certificate OR 360 credit Diploma or Degree may satisfy the minimum admission requirements to degree studies.	If discipline not cognate at least 20% of credits must be academic literacy or numeracy related.	
Senate Discretionary Admissions			
Mature Age Category 1: Mature Age Admission for applicants with SC with Endorsement, or NSC/NC(V)/SC(a) with Degree Admission		Candidates 23 years and older at point of registration, with an endorsed Senior Certificate or a National Senior Certificate with Bachelor's Degree pass or National Certificate (Vocational) with Bachelor's degree Pass or Senior Certificate (amended) with Bachelor's Degree pass can be accepted on a senate discretionary mature age admission if they do not meet the additional admission requirements. Their academic progress will be tracked and reported at Senate. A USAf Exemption Certificate is not required.	
Mature Age Category 2: Mature Age Admission for applicants with SC with Endorsement, or NSC/NC(V)/SC(a) with Degree Admission		Candidates having attained the age of 23 before or during the first year of registration with a Senior Certificate, with a minimum of 40% in at least four higher or standard grade subjects at least three of which shall have been passed simultaneously and one of which shall be a recognised higher grade subject. A USAf Exemption Certificate is required.	
Mature Age Category 3: Mature Age Exemption - NSC/NC(V)/SC(a) with Diploma Admission		Candidates having attained the age of 23 before or during the first year of registration with a Senior Certificate (Amended), National Senior Certificate or National Senior Certificate (Vocational) with a minimum of 40% in at least four higher or standard grade or 20-credit subjects (or equivalent), at least three of which shall have been passed simultaneously and in the case of a Senior Certificate (Amended), at least one of which shall be a recognised higher grade subject.	



	<p>A Diploma Pass on these certificates would imply that the candidate qualifies.</p> <p>Senate Discretionary Admission - Mature Age NSC/NC(V)/SC(a) Hold must be selected so that the USAf Exemption Certificate may be applied for by the Office of the Registrar.</p>
Mature Age Category 4: Mature Age Exemption - 45 years and older	<p>Candidates must have attained the age of 45 before or during the first year of registration.</p> <p>A USAf Exemption Certificate is required.</p>
Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)	<p>Where candidates do not satisfy the formal admission requirements for this qualification, The IIE may consider an admission application in terms of the Qualification Completion, Credit Accumulation and Transfer, Articulation and Recognition of Prior Learning Policy (IIE010).</p> <p>If applicant does not meet minimum admission requirements and there is no alternative (such as completion of NQP modules) but they have relevant experience, the following must be requested to consider admission via RPL:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Certificates for all formal (Accredited Higher Education qualifications) and/or informal qualifications/modules (SLP's, Microcredentials etc). SAQA certificates must be provided for any international qualifications. 2. CV to determine whether the following are related to the qualification that the applicant is applying for: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Formal (Accredited Higher Education qualifications) and/or informal qualifications/modules (SLP's, Microcredentials etc) b. Relevant work experience
USAf approved cognate foundation programme	<p>Candidates who have completed an USAf approved cognate foundation programme from a registered and accredited provider may be admitted.</p> <p>An USAf Exemption Certificate is required - the Office of the Registrar will facilitate, on behalf of the student, an application for degree admission to USAf, once the student has provided proof of payment to USAf.</p>
Transfer students	<p>Candidates who have successfully completed at least 120 credits on the first year of a cognate degree may be admitted. However, if a student completed less than 120 credits, the admission criteria on the NSC or equivalent apply.</p>
OQSF qualifications	<p>Candidates with an OQSF Level 5 cognate qualification may be admitted, provided the OQSF qualification has at least 120 credits at NQF Level 5.</p> <p>An USAf Exemption Certificate is required - the Office of the Registrar will facilitate, on behalf of the</p>



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One Module Outstanding	<p>Candidates who have one module outstanding to complete an IIE Higher Certificate which is appropriate for admission to a degree, may register for the degree on the condition that they will register for the outstanding Higher Certificate module along with the first year of the degree.</p> <p>If a student does not pass the module, they will be allowed to register again* for this module and any modules failed in the first year of the degree; however, they will NOT be allowed to register for the second year of the Degree, or any subsequent year, until they have passed the Higher Certificate module.</p> <p>*Registration is also subject to the maximum completion times rule in IIE010.</p>
IIE International Secondary Certificate	<p>Candidates must have achieved Bachelor's Degree pass and meet the additional admission criteria (where applicable).</p> <p>The OoR will apply to USAf for Exemption based on Senate Discretion.</p>