University of Ghana

Comprehensive Undergraduate Admissions Guide

Prepared for use in a Student Admissions Chatbot Knowledge Base (RAG System).

This document consolidates official admissions requirements, procedures, eligibility rules, and common applicant questions.

1. General Entry Requirements (WASSCE / SSSCE)

All applicants must obtain credit passes in at least six (6) subjects.

- English Language (Core)
- Core Mathematics
- Integrated Science (or Core Science)
- Social Studies
- Three (3) relevant elective subjects

Accepted Grades:

- WASSCE: A1 – C6
- SSSCE: A – D

Aggregate Calculation:

- Based on 6 subjects: 4 core + 2 relevant electives
- Typical regular admission target: Aggregate ≤ 24
- Distance/less competitive routes: Aggregate ≤ 30

2. Programme-Specific Subject Requirements

Science & Technology Programmes

- Strong Mathematics
- Two or more of Physics, Chemistry, Biology
- Credit in English Language

Engineering Programmes

- Mathematics (compulsory)
- Any two of Physics, Chemistry, Biology
- English Language

Computer Science / IT Programmes

- Mathematics (very important)
- Physics preferred
- English Language

Doctor of Veterinary Medicine

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Mathematics
- English Language
- Physics recommended

Agriculture Programmes

- Chemistry
- Two of Physics, Biology, Geography, Mathematics
- English Language
- Mathematics

Arts / Humanities / Business

- Relevant electives (e.g., Literature for English, French for French, Economics/Math for Business)
- English Language

- Core Mathematics

3. Special Admission Categories

Mature Applicants

- Typically 25 years and above
- May take entrance exams/interviews
- Must satisfy UG mature entry conditions

International Applicants

- A■Levels, IB, or equivalent foreign qualifications accepted
- Certificates are evaluated for equivalence
- English proficiency may be required

Diploma/HND to Degree Applicants

- Recognized diploma or HND
- Minimum FGPA requirements apply
- May enter at Level 200 or Level 300

4. Step■by■Step Application Process

- Visit https://admissions.ug.edu.gh
- Create an account with valid email
- Purchase e■voucher or enter voucher PIN
- Complete online application form carefully
- Upload supporting documents
- Review and submit before deadline

Important: Incorrect or false information may lead to disqualification.

5. Supporting Documents Checklist

- Passport-size photograph
- Academic results/certificates
- Birth certificate or National ID
- Proof of name change (if applicable)
- Referee details where required

6. After Admission (Next Steps)

- Check admission status on the portal
- Download admission letter
- Accept offer
- Pay required fees
- Complete course registration
- Attend orientation

7. Fees & Payments

- Tuition fees
- Residential fees (if hostel)
- Miscellaneous/departmental charges

Always refer to the official UG fee schedule for the latest amounts.

8. Frequently Asked Questions

- How do I check my admission status? → Login to admissions portal
- Can I change programme? → Subject to approval and availability
- What if I miss deadline? → Contact admissions office immediately
- Are foreign certificates accepted? → Yes, subject to equivalence review

9. Official Links

- Admissions Portal: https://admissions.ug.edu.gh
- Entry Requirements
- How to Apply
- Deadlines
- Fees Schedule
- FAQs