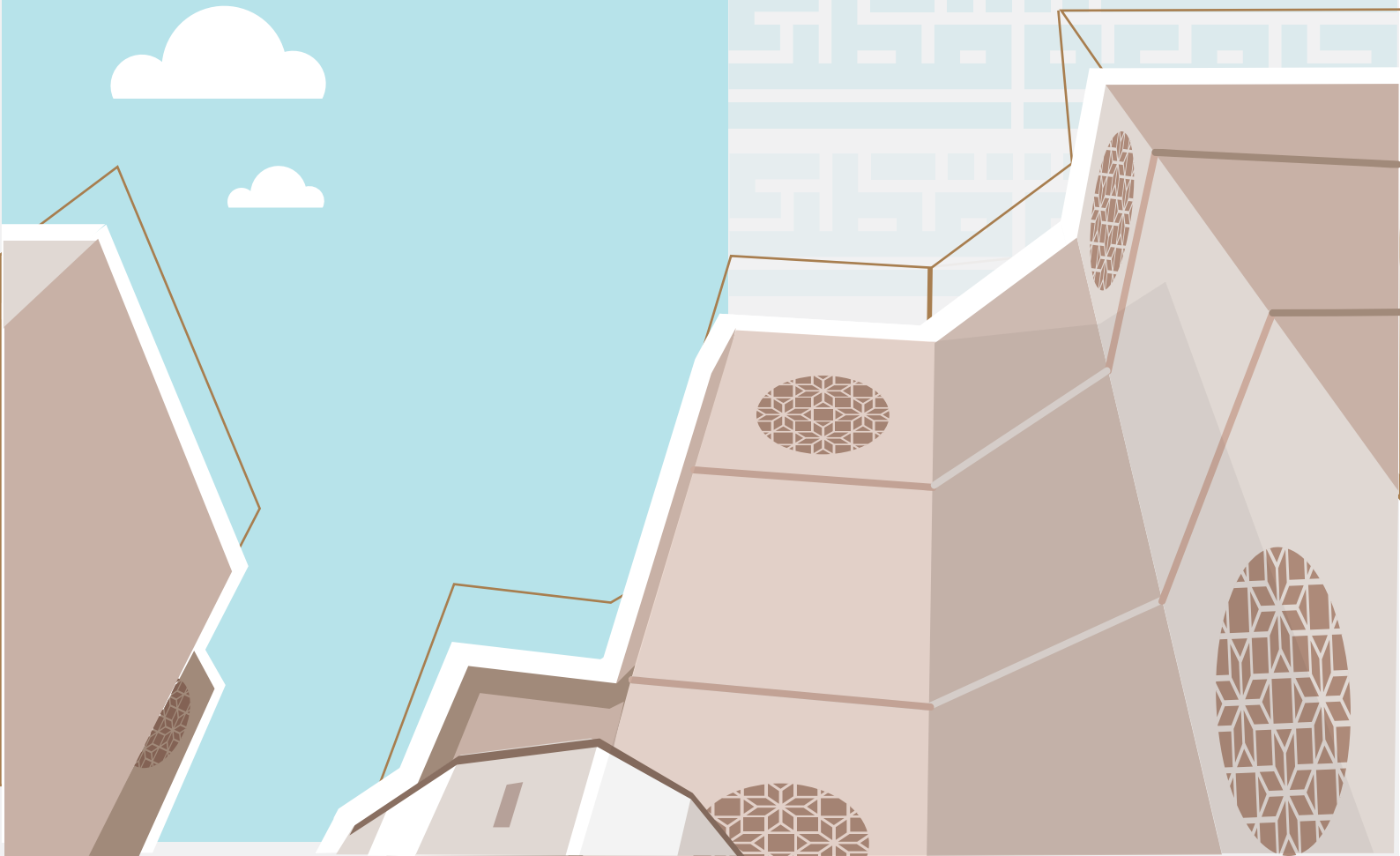


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# STUDENT GUIDE FOR ADMISSION

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Colleges

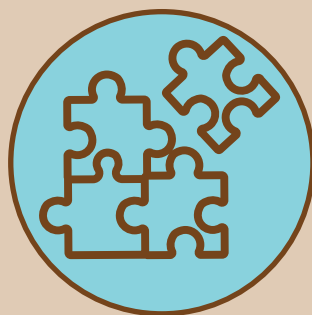
**86**  
Programs

**20k**  
Students

**45k**  
Alumnis



# 01 STAGES FOR APPLYING TO QATAR UNIVERSITY



# STAGES FOR APPLYING TO QATAR UNIVERSITY :

01

Complete Online Admission Application



A. Create a personal account  
B. Save the application to complete it later on  
C. Find out how to apply through the application guide  
D. Pay Application Fee

02

Submit Required Documents



Students have to submit Official, final, and certified certificate to Qatar University

03

Confirmation Letter



Once your admission application is received by the Admissions Department, a confirmation letter will be sent to the e-mail address you provided on your application

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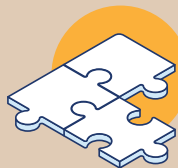
Check your Admissions Application Status



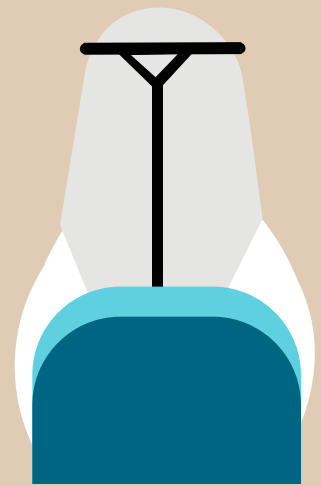
Receive online notification of the program's admission decision

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Complete the Online Orientation Program



Students should finished and complete the Online Orientation Program

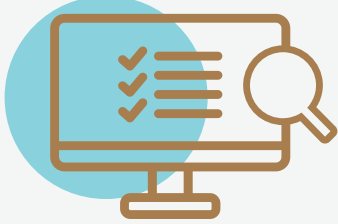


# 02 HOW APPLY TO QATAR UNIVERSITY



## HOW APPLY TO QATAR UNIVERSITY :

Complete Online Admission Application



Submit Required Documents



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## 2.1. Complete Online Admission Application



All undergraduate applicants to Qatar University are required to apply to their intended college of study using the QU online admission application.

Note: The QU online admission application allows you to complete your application or save your application to complete at a later time, review and submit your admissions application from the convenience of your personal computer with in the announced deadline.



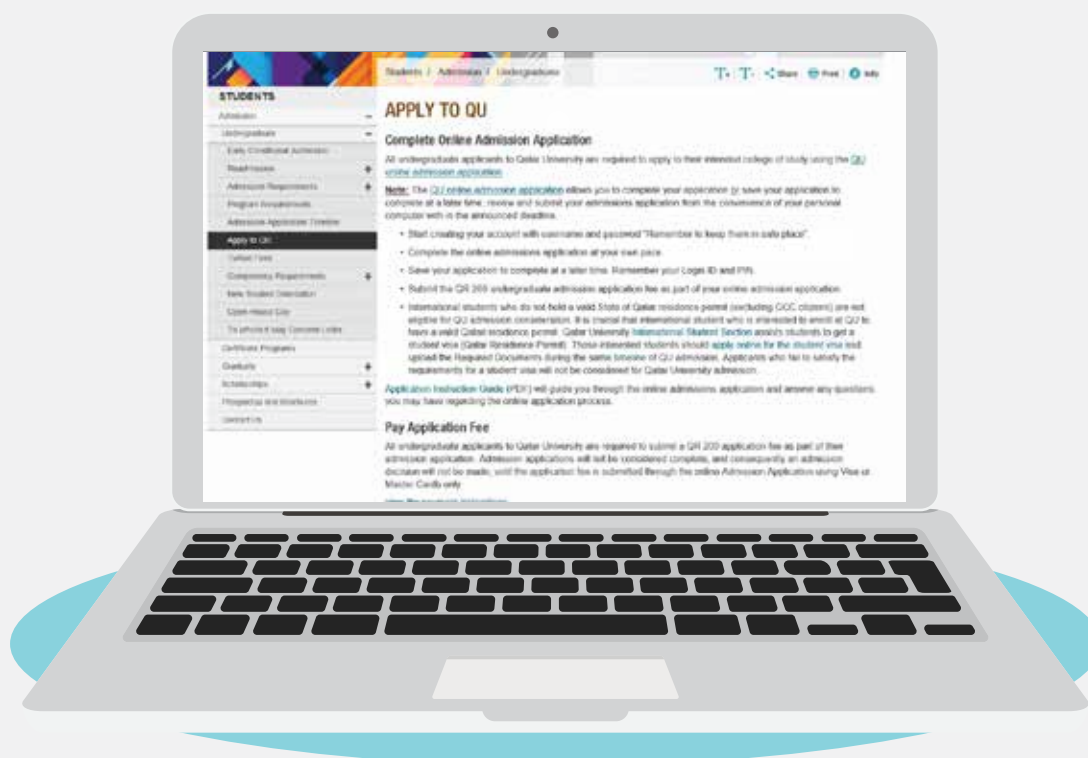
Complete Online Admissions Application with an e-payment of QR 200



Save the application to complete it later on.



Find out how to apply through the application guide.





## 2.2. Submit Required Documents



1

Final, official and certified high school transcript

2

Health Certificate issued inside Qatar (International students please refer to International Students Website)

3

Two (2) recent identical passport size photographs (size 4 x 6 cm) with white background

4

Photocopy of the applicant's Qatar ID card. (Non-Qatari applicants must also provide a copy of their passport; international students please refer to International Students website)

5

Official test score reports for applicants to Colleges that require Foundation Program (if available) to be submitted to the Foundation Program Testing Center in order to be exempted from the Foundation Program.



Male: Male Activity Building (B02) first floor, from Sunday to Thursday, 10am to 1 pm.

Female: Admission and Enrollment Building (C12), Ground floor, from Sunday to Thursday, 10am to 1 pm



# 03 COLLEGES REQUIREMENTS AT QATAR UNIVERSITY





كلية التربية  
College of Education  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر

## College of Education (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Primary Education with Concentration Area in: (Arabic Studies - Early Childhood- Math and Science) (educational subjects are taught in Arabic whereas the minor subjects are taught in English)	Arabic	Female	120
Primary Education with Concentration Area in English	English	Female	120
Secondary Education with Concentration Area in (Arabic - Islamic Studies - Social Studies)	Arabic	Female	120
Secondary Education with Concentration Area in (Biology - Chemistry - Physics - Math) (male students can only apply for Chemistry)	English	Male-Female	120
Secondary Education with Concentration Area in English	English	Male-Female	120
Physical Education	Arabic	Male-Female	120
Special Education with Concentration Area in (Early Childhood - Schools - Severe Disabilities)	Arabic	Male-Female	120
Art Education	Arabic	Male-Female	120

### College Requirements:

- Minimum 70% high school
- Secondary Education with concentration area in (Biology - Chemistry - Physics - Math) program requires to pass the English and Mathematics placement tests
- Secondary Education with concentration area in English program requires to pass the English placement test

For more information, please visit the website

<http://www.qu.edu.qa/education/>





كلية الشريعة والدراسات الإسلامية  
College of Shariaa and Islamic Studies  
جامعة قطر QATAR UNIVERSITY

## College of Sharia and Islamic Studies (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Quran and Sunnah	Arabic	Male-Female	126
Doctrine and Dawa	Arabic	Male-Female	132
Islamic Studies	Arabic	Male-Female	132
Fiqh and Usul Al Fiqh	Arabic	Male-Female	132

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/ar/sharia>





كلية الآداب والعلوم  
College of Arts and Sciences  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر

## College of Arts and Sciences – Art Majors (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Arabic Language	Arabic	Male-Female	120
English Literature and Linguistics	English	Female	120
History	Arabic	Male-Female	120
International Affairs	Arabic	Male-Female	120
Mass Communication	Arabic	Male-Female	126
Policies, Planning and Development	Arabic	Male-Female	120
Sociology	Arabic	Female	120
Social Work	Arabic	Male-Female	120
Psychology	Arabic	Female	120

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school
- Students must pass the English placement test in order to enter available programs in English

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/artssciences/>

## College of Arts and Sciences – Science Majors (70%)

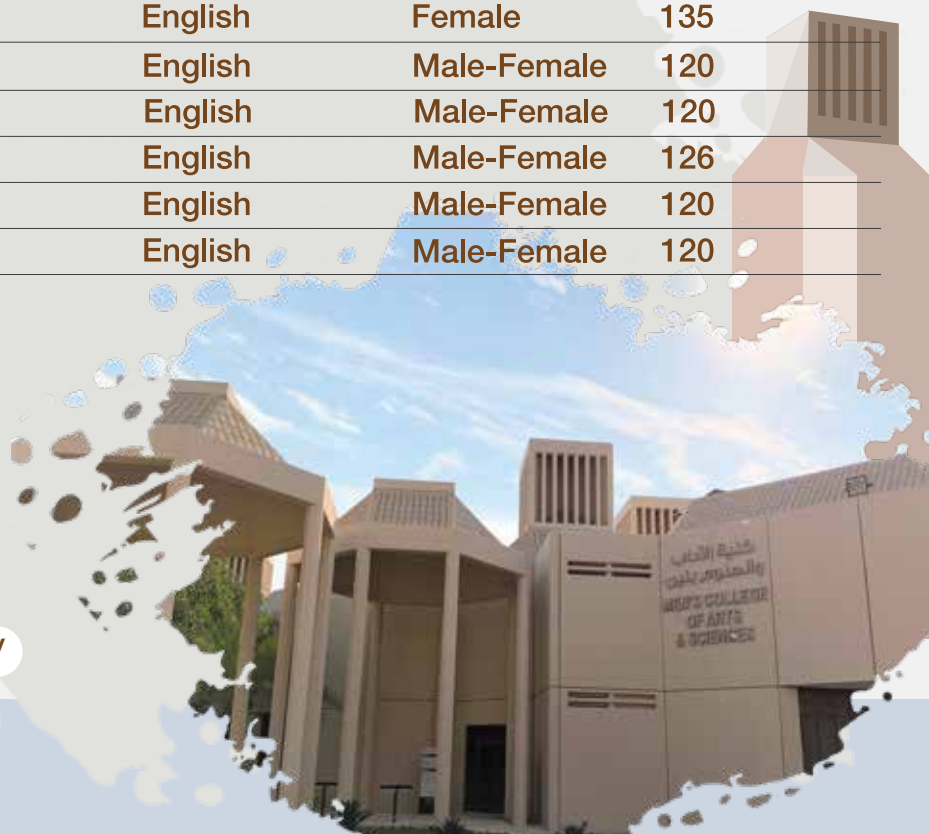
Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Biology	English	Female	135
Chemistry	English	Male-Female	120
Physics	English	Male-Female	120
Environmental Sciences	English	Male-Female	126
Statistics	English	Male-Female	120
Mathematics	English	Male-Female	120

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school
- Pass the Foundation Program requirement (English and mathematics)

For more information, please visit the website

<http://www.qu.edu.qa/artssciences/>





كلية الطب  
College of Medicine  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر  
عضو في الصحة HEALTH

## College of Medicine (90%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Medicine	English	Male-Female	6 years

### College Requirments:

- Minimum high school GPA of 85%
- Pass the Foundation Program requirement (English and mathematics)
- Completed 2 out of 3 science subject classes in high school (biology, chemistry and/or physics).
- Personal statement (around 350 words in English) describing the applicant's motivation to study medicine.
- Supporting evidence of previous volunteering experience in the healthcare sector, medical or scientific internships, or community work (recommended).
- Passing a personal interview with the College Admission Committee
- BMAT score ( will be defined late based on the test run )

For more information, please visit the website

<http://www.qu.edu.qa/medicine/>





كلية طب الأسنان  
College of Dental Medicine  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر  
Member of HEALTH الصحة

## College of Dental Medicine (90%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Dental Medicine	English	Male-Female	6 years

### College Requirments:

- Minimum high school GPA of 85%
- Pass the Foundation Program requirement (English and mathematics)
- Completed 2 out of 3 science subject classes in high school (biology, chemistry and/or physics).
- Personal statement (around 350 words in English) describing the applicant's motivation to study medicine.
- Supporting evidence of previous volunteering experience in the healthcare sector, medical or scientific internships, or community work (recommended).
- Passing a personal interview with the College Admission Committee

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/dentistry>





كلية العلوم الصحية  
College of Health Sciences  
QATAR UNIVERSITY قطر  
جامعة قطر  
عضو في الصحة HEALTH

## College of Health Sciences (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Biomedical Sciences	English	Female	120
Human Nutrition	English	Female	132
Public Health	English	Female	120
Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Sciences	English	Female	132

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school
- Pass the Foundation Program requirement (English and mathematics)
- Completed 2 out of 3 science subject classes in high school (biology, chemistry and/or physics)

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/chs/>







كلية الصيدلة  
College of Pharmacy  
QATAR UNIVERSITY قطر  
جامعة قطر  
Member of HEALTH الصحة  
عضو في

## College of Pharmacy (80%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Pharmacy	English	Male-Female	173

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 80% high school
- Pass the foundation program requirement (English and Mathematics)
- Completed 2 out of 3 science subject classes in high school (biology, chemistry and/or physics)
- Passing a personal interview with the College Admission Committee
- Pass the PCAT exam
- Personal statement
- Two reference letters

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/pharmacy/>





كلية الإدارة والاقتصاد  
College of Business and Economics  
QATAR UNIVERSIT جامعة قطر

## College of Business and Economics (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Accounting	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125
Finance	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125
Management	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125
Marketing	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125
Economics	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125
Management Information Systems	Arabic-English	Male-Female	125

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school

Students must pass the English placement test in order to enter available programs in English

For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/business/>





كلية القانون  
College of Law  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر

## College of Law (70%)

### Academic Programs

Law

### Available in

Arabic

### Available to

Male-Female

### Credit Hours

123

### College Requirments:

- Minimum 70% high school

For more information, please visit  
the website

<http://www.qu.edu.qa/law/>





كلية الهندسة  
College of Engineering  
QATAR UNIVERSITY جامعة قطر

## College of Engineering (70%)

Academic Programs	Available in	Available to	Credit Hours
Architecture	English	Female	160
Chemical Engineering	English	Male-Female	131
Civil Engineering	English	Male	131
Computer Engineering	English	Male-Female	128
Computer Science	English	Male-Female	120
Electrical Engineering	English	Male-Female	131
Industrial and Systems Engineering	English	Female	128
Mechanical Engineering	English	Male	131
Mechatronics Engineering	English	Male Female	131

### College Requirements:

- Minimum 70% high school
- Pass the Foundation Program requirement (English and mathematics)

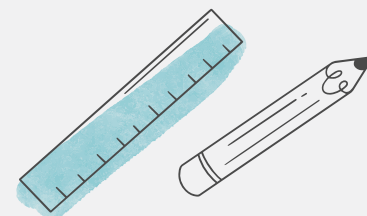
For more information, please visit the website <http://www.qu.edu.qa/engineering/>



# 04 HIGH SCHOOL REQUIREMENTS



## High School Requirements



All applicants to Qatar University must complete a minimum of 12 years of formal education and their transcript results must be certified by the appropriate educational agency. The high school grade requirements mentioned in this section are minimum scores, they do not guarantee admission. Admission to Qatar University is extremely competitive and satisfying the minimum academic requirements does not guarantee admission according to the strength of the applicant pool and the available capacity within each college and major.

### Qatari Secondary School Certificate

- All applicants to Qatar University must complete a minimum 12 years of formal education.
- Transcript results must be certified by the appropriate educational agency
- Achieve minimum required scores for admission.

### Grade Point Average (GPA) System

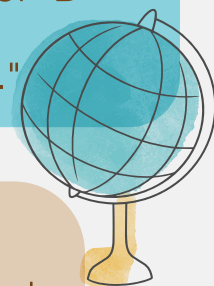
- Awarded a High School Diploma in a General Studies Curriculum with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.00 on a 4.00 scale (C) and satisfies the minimum high school percentage requirement during the final year of high school.
- Passed at least six different subjects including at least one science (biology, physics, chemistry), one mathematics (algebra, trigonometry, geometry), and one English language course during the junior or senior year.

### British Secondary School System

- Earned at least five IGSCE (O Level) subjects with a minimum grade of "D" and a minimum of two subjects at the Advanced (A) or (AS) level or a combination of (A) and (AS) level subjects with a minimum grade of "D."

### International Baccalaureate (IB) System

- Completion of the full IB Diploma with at least two subjects at the HL and the other four subjects at SL level.
- The student should have attained a total grade point score of 24 out 42, excluding grades for Theory of Knowledge (TOK) and Extended Essay.



## College & Tracks Requirements

College	High school percentage	Scientific track	Technological track	Arts and Humanities track
1 College of Arts and Sciences (Art Majors)	70%	✓	✓	✓
2 College of Arts and Sciences (Science Majors)	70%	✓	✓ Student accepted after passing the college requirements	✗
3 College of Business and economics	70%	✓	✓	✓
4 College of Education	70%	✓	✓ Student accepted after passing the college requirements	✓ Student accepted after passing the college requirements
5 College of Engineering	70%	✓	✓ For all majors except chemical engineering	✗
6 College of Law	70%	✓	✓	✓
7 College Sharia and Islamic Studies	70%	✓	✓	✓
8 College of Health Sciences	70%	✓	✗	✗
9 College of Pharmacy	80%	✓	✗	✗
10 College of Medicine	90%	✓	✗	✗
11 College of Dental Medicine	85%	✓	✗	✗

- High schools graduates will be accepted based on the educational tracks starting from Fall 2021.
- High school graduates from Qatar Technical School will be accepted on colleges that accept the Scientific track.
- High school graduates from Qatar Banking Studies and Business Administration will be accepted on colleges that accept the Arts and Humanities track.



## High School Percentage Exception

All applicants who do not satisfy the initial high school percentage requirements listed above may still apply to the college and major of their choice by completing 12 years of formal education and satisfying the minimum competency requirements based on the college they apply to as follows:

### Applicants to the Colleges of Arts, Business and Economics, Education, Law and Sharia:

#### **Mathematics**

- A minimum score of 24 in ACT Math OR
- A minimum score of 550 in SAT (General Math Component- old version) OR
- A minimum score of 570 in SAT (General Math component- new version)

### Applicants to the Colleges of Engineering, Dental Medicine, Medicine, Pharmacy, Science and Health Sciences:

#### **English**

- A minimum score of 5.5 in IELTS OR
- A minimum score of 61 in TOEFL iBT

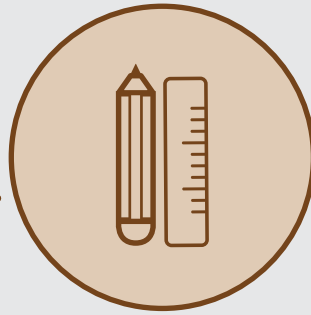
#### **Mathematics**

- A minimum score of 24 in ACT Math OR
- A minimum score of 550 in SAT (General Math Component- old version) OR
- A minimum score of 570 in SAT (General Math component- new version)

The college dean will consider such requests against the quality and depth of the applicant pool, the available capacity within the applicant's intended major and high school subject grades.



# 05 FOUNDATION PROGRAM



## Foundation Program

All students are expected to possess minimum basic skills to be eligible for enrollment in their desired academic programs. In order to be considered for undergraduate admission to Qatar University, all applicants applying to the following colleges must demonstrate proficiency in English and mathematics by satisfying the following minimum competency requirements as set by the university or pass the Foundation Program.

### Exemption rules from Foundation Program:

#### Satisfy the minimum competency scores for English and mathematics for the following colleges:

- College of Arts and Sciences (Science track only)
- College of Education (Secondary education with concentrations in mathematics and sciences only)
- College of Engineering
- College of Health Sciences
- College of Pharmacy
- College of Medicine
- College of Dental Medicine

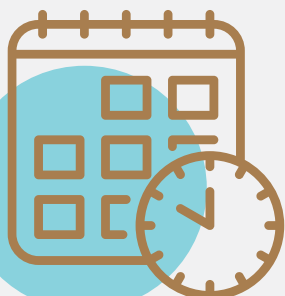
#### English Competency:

Standardized Test		Foundation English Courses not required
IELTS		≥ 5.5
TOEFL iBT		≥ 61
ACCUPLACER ESL	Aggregate Score	400
	ESL Reading Skills	100
	ESL Language in Use	100

#### Mathematics Competency

Tests	Foundation math course not required	Pre-Calculus course not required
ACT*	23 – 21	≥ 24
SAT (Old)**	549 – 500	≥ 550
SAT (New)**	569 – 530	≥ 570
QU-Placer Math Scores	234 - 200	≥ 235

## Test Registration Information



### Test schedule

The most up-to-date available test dates are on QU Testing Center website, you can also find specific information about the registration date by visit the website:

<http://www.qu.edu.qa/testing-center/test-schedules>

### Required documents:

- Qatari applicants (Qatar National ID card/ pass-port)
- Non-Qatari applicants (passport)



### How to register?

You can know more about registration guidelines and steps by visit the website:  
<http://www.qu.edu.qa/testing-center/rules>



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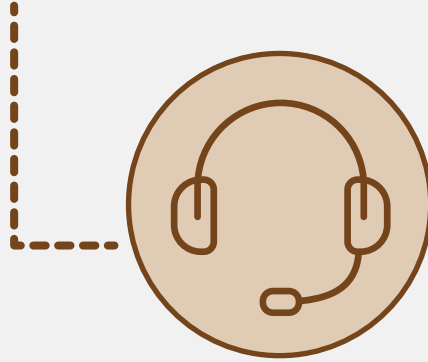
A candidate must bring the original required ID. Candidates are not allowed to take the test without presenting their valid original ID as per test requirements. Photocopies of the ID are not considered valid for a test.



### Further information:

For more inquiries about test registration status, please contact us at this number: 44035522  
Or email us at: [QUTCsupport@qu.edu.qa](mailto:QUTCsupport@qu.edu.qa)

## 06 IMPORTANT LINKS & HOW TO CONTACT US



## Important Links



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### Contact us:

Admissions Department  
Qatar University  
Phone: (+974) 4403-4444  
Email: [studentrecruitment@qu.edu.qa](mailto:studentrecruitment@qu.edu.qa)

### Working Hours:

Sunday – Thursday  
7:30 am – 2:30 pm

