THE UNIVERSITY OF ZAMBIA

UNDERGRADUATE ENTRY QUALIFICATIONS

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

1. BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH EDUCATION
2. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION)
3. BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH EDUCATION IN ZAMBIAN CULTURES AND CEREMONIES
4. BACHELOR OF ARTS WITH LIBRARY AND INFORMATION STUDIES
5. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SPECIAL EDUCATION): 1ST YEAR ENTRY

Admission Requirements: Either five ‘O’ levels as follows: English Language and any four subjects from the following: History, Geography, French, Literature in English, Mathematics, a Zambian Language, Civic Education, Religious Education, Wood Work, Metal Work, Geometric and Mechanical Drawing, Home Economics, Art and Design, Computer Science, Economics, Commerce, Additional Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Physics and any other acceptable subject OR a University of Zambia Diploma or its equivalent from a recognized institution.

6. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SPECIAL EDUCATION): 3RD YEAR ENTRY

Admission Requirements: UNZA Diploma in Special Education OR TVTC Diploma in Guidance and Counseling OR an equivalent qualification from a recognized institution.

7. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SOCIAL SCIENCES)

Admission Requirements: University of Zambia Secondary Teachers’ Diploma in the following social science subjects: English, History, Geography, French, Mathematics, Zambian Languages, Civic Education and Religious Studies or an equivalent qualification from a recognized institution.

8. BACHELOR OF ADULT EDUCATION

Admission Requirements: Either five ‘O’ levels as follows: English Language and any four subjects from the following: History, Geography, French, Literature in English, Mathematics, a Zambian Language, Civic Education, Religious Education, Wood Work, Metal Work, Geometric and Mechanical Drawing, Home Economics, Art and Design, Computer Science, Economics, Commerce, Additional Mathematics, Biology, Chemistry, Physics and any other acceptable subject OR Diploma in Adult Education of the University of Zambia or of any recognized institution of higher learning or its equivalent OR Diploma or First Degree or any degree of the University of Zambia or of any university recognized by the University of Zambia OR Diploma of the University of Zambia obtained through Extension Studies.

9. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION-SECONDARY (MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCE) (BEDMAS)

Admission Requirements: Grade 4 or better in ‘O’ level Mathematics PLUS UNZA Secondary Teachers’ Diploma in Mathematics or Science OR an equivalent qualification from a recognized institution.

10. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE WITH EDUCATION (BSC.ED)

Admission Requirements: Grade 6 or better in English Language; Grade 4 or better in O’ level Mathematics PLUS Grade 6 or better in Biology (or Agricultural Science), Chemistry and Physics OR Grade 6 or better in Science, Biology (or Agricultural Science) and any other acceptable subject.
11. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION IN PRIMARY EDUCATION (B.ED, PRIMARY)

**Admission Requirements:** Primary Teaching Qualification (e.g. PTC, APC or equivalent) PLUS Grade 6 or better in English language and in **FOUR** other subjects OR Primary Teachers’ Diploma or an equivalent qualification from a recognized institution.

12. BACHELOR OF TEACHER EDUCATION
   *(For serving Lecturers in Colleges of Education, School Managers, Curriculum Specialists, Teachers and Resource Centre Coordinators)*
   
   A minimum of a Diploma qualification

13. BACHELOR OF EDUCATION IN EDUCATIONAL ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

**Admission Requirements**

i) For School Leavers – Five (5) ‘O’ Levels in Zambian School Certificate including English language or its equivalent.

ii) For In-service applicants – Relevant University Diploma in Education or in any Social Science from a recognized institution.

iii) For Third year entrants – University Diploma in Educational Leadership and Management or its equivalent, or a relevant degree in education.

14. DIPLOMA IN SPORTS STUDIES

**Admission Requirements:** a full Zambian School certificate of Education or equivalent with **FIVE (5) RELEVANT** subjects passed at **CREDIT** level or better. One of the five subjects must be English Language.

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

15. BACHELOR OF ARTS – NON QUOTA, B.A.NQS

For those who want to specialize in any of the following subject areas:

- History
- French
- Sociology
- Economics
- Development Studies
- English Language
- Political Science
- Public Administration
- Linguistics and African Languages
- Psychology
- Philosophy

**Admission Requirements:**

(a) Grade 6 or better in English Language

(b) Grade 6 or better in ANY THREE subjects chosen from the following category: History, Geography, Mathematics, Economics or Commerce or Principles of Accounts or Business Studies, English Literature or Zambian language or French or Religious Education or Computer Studies, Food and Nutrition or Home Management or Home Economics, Art or Music or Design and Communication or Art and Design, Development Studies or Civic Education and Additional mathematics:

(c) Grade 6 or better in any One subject chosen from the following category: Human and Social Biology, Biology, Science, Physics, Chemistry, Combined Science, Physical Science, Agricultural Science, Agriculture, Zoology, Geology, Geometrical and Building Drawing, Geometrical and Mechanical Drawing, Technical Drawing, Surveying, Metal Work, Wood Work, Design and Technology.
SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

16. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN NURSING

Admission Requirements:
(a) Completed and cleared first year in the School of Natural Sciences
Or
(b) Advanced levels (“A levels”) with-
   (i) Passes in Biology, Mathematics and either Chemistry or Physics and
   (ii) Credits or better in at least 5 relevant subjects which should include English language,
        Biology/Science, and Mathematics

Post Basic

(a) Credits or better in at least 5 relevant subjects which should include English language,
    Biology/Science, and Mathematics
    Diploma in Nursing (Registered Nurse)

SCHOOL OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

17. DIPLOMA IN LIVESTOCK HEALTH MANAGEMENT AND PRODUCTION IN TROPICS
   (Formerly known as Diploma in Bovine Herd Management and Production in Tropics)

Admission Requirements: An applicant must possess a full grade 12 Certificate or equivalent
with any of the following qualifications;
- Certificate in Agriculture
- Certificate in Veterinary Medicine
- Full grade 12 certificate with a minimum of a credit in English Language and all Science
  Subjects

18. DIPLOMA IN LABORATORY DIAGNOSTICS

Admission Requirements: An applicant must possess a full grade 12 Certificate or equivalent
with any of the following qualifications;
- Certificate in Animal Health, Laboratory Science or any other related qualifications
- Applicants working in a research Institution or a Diagnostic Laboratory with a minimum
  of two years work experience are eligible to apply.

SCHOOL OF LAW

19. BACHELOR OF LAWS

Admission Requirements

(a) Five ‘O’ levels as follows: English Language and any four subjects and
(b) Hold a first degree in any field of study from a recognized institution Or
(c) Hold a professional qualification that is equivalent to a first degree
Hold at least three ‘A’ Level passes of which one should be English from any recognized institution

20. BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

a) Full Grade Twelve certificate with five ‘O’ levels with a minimum of a credit in English and Mathematics; and EITHER

b) Diploma in accounting and/or finance and any other business related qualifications offered by a reputable institution; OR

c) Holder of a professional accounting qualification.

EXEMPTION

Exemptions shall be given as per exemption policy i.e. course by course basis.

21. DIPLOMA IN COMPUTER SCIENCE AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Entry Requirements:
A full School Certificate with five (5) ‘O’ level credits, including English Language and Mathematics.

22. CERTIFICATE IN COMPUTER APPLICATIONS, REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE

Entry Requirements:
A full School Certificate with a minimum of credit in Mathematics and English.

Application forms can be obtained from our Jesmondine accounts office in Lusaka OR from our provincial centers: Choma Secondary School, Livingstone, Mongu, Solwezi, Kabwe, Kitwe and Kasama OR you can download the form from our website, www.ide.unza.zm. A non-refundable processing fee of K150 should be deposited in our ZANACO UNZA/IDE Account No. 0382200300177, Cairo Business Centre Branch, Lusaka and send deposit slips together with application form before the stated closing date.

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