

UNDERGRADUATE APPLICATION GUIDE FOR APPLICANTS PRESENTING INTERNATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Applicants presenting an international qualification from an overseas educational institute, who have completed at least 12 years of formal education may apply for admission.

Applying to SIT

Thank you

SIT has only one intake per year. SIT's annual admissions period is held from January to March each year. Applicants are required to present actual results by application closing in March.

Exceptions:

- (i) If you are sitting for the May IB exam, you may submit your application with forecasted results before application closing date on 19 March, and provide the actual IB results to SIT upon release in early July. Refer to this [link](#) for further details;
- (ii) If you are a graduating applicant and your final Year 12 results are not yet available by the application deadline (but will be released before early July), you may still apply during this year's application window. In this case, you should submit your Year 12 Semester 1 results along with your Year 10 and Year 11 school results as part of your application.

Applicants presenting international qualifications should submit the following when applying to SIT.

- 'A' Level/ Year 12 examination results (Entry Qualification)
- 'O' Level/ Year 10 examination results
- High school transcript with explanation of grading system
- For applicants whose language of instruction in high school is not English, an acceptable English language test score (e.g. IELTS, TOEFL) should be submitted. Refer to Table 2.
- Additional test results where required (e.g. SAT, SAT Subject tests). Refer to Table 1 and Table 3.
- Documents that are not in English should be accompanied by a certified English translation.

In the online application form, you will be required to select your Entry Qualification, which is usually your 'A' Level/ High School Year 12 qualification if you have obtained your qualification overseas. You may provide information on additional qualifications/ test results (e.g. Degree, TOEFL / IELTS, AST, SAT, SAT Subject Test or other certificates) under the Supplementary Qualification section.

Applications are assessed holistically taking into consideration academic results (e.g. A Level, High School Certificate), additional qualifications or test results submitted (e.g. SAT, SAT Subject Tests, Advanced Placement, IELTS, TOEFL, AST), relevant work experience / internship / competitions / awards, and personal statement. Admission is competitive, and shortlisted applicants will be required to attend an admission interview.

Please refer to Table 1 for more information on the academic results and test scores required.

Table 1:

High School (Year 12) Qualification	Application Details	Additional Test Scores required
A-Level (AQA, Brunei, Cambridge, Edexcel, Hong Kong, Sri Lanka, OCR)	'A' Level results Applicants are required to obtain a good pass in at least three 'Advanced' Level subjects.	¹ English Language test* <i>*Applicant without a pass in General English Test is required to submit an acceptable English language test score. Refer to Table 2.</i>
Australian High School	High School Certificate (Year 12) with ATAR/OP score	-
Canadian High School Diploma	High School Diploma transcript	-
European Baccalaureate Diploma	European Baccalaureate results	¹ English Language test* <i>*Applicant is required to submit an acceptable English language test score if English is not taken as an exam subject. Refer to Table 2.</i>
French Baccalaureate Diploma	French Baccalaureate results	¹ English Language test
Gao Kao (National College Entrance Examination) (China)	Gao Kao results	¹ English Language test
German Abitur	German Abitur exam results	¹ English Language test
Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education	HKDSE results	
Indian Standard 12 (CBSE/ ISC/ State and Other Boards)	Year 12 exam results	² SAT/SAT Subject Tests are recommended for applicant presenting Indian Standard 12 (State and Other Boards)
Indonesian SMA UAN	SMA UAN exam results	¹ English Language test ² SAT/SAT Subject Tests are recommended.
International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB)	IB Diploma results Applicants in their final year may apply with predicted/forecasted IB result before closing date. You must submit your appeal first, and then submit your actual IB results once they are released to complete your application. Refer to this link for further details.	-

High School (Year 12) Qualification	Application Details	Additional Test Scores required
New Zealand National Certificate of Achievement (NCEA) Level 3	Record of Achievement with NCEA Level 3/ University Entrance	-
Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM)	STPM exam results	¹ English Language test
Unified Examination Certificate (UEC) (Malaysia)	UEC results	¹ English Language test
Vietnamese High School Graduation Examination	National High School graduation exam results	¹ English Language test ² SAT/SAT Subject Tests are recommended.
All other international qualifications not listed	High School Transcript	¹ English Language test* <i>*Applicant is required to submit an acceptable English language test score if English is not taken as an exam subject. Refer to Table 2.</i> ² SAT/SAT Subject Tests

¹English Language Requirement

Applicants presenting an international qualification where the language of instruction is not English are required to submit an acceptable English language test score (refer to Table 2).

There are programme-specific English language requirements for some programmes, and applicants are required to fulfil whichever is the higher requirement. For programme-specific requirements, please refer to the [respective programme web pages](#).

Applicants who do not meet the English Language Requirements may be invited to complete an English Test conducted by SIT.

Table 2:

English Language Test	Acceptable Score
IELTS (Academic)	6.5
TOEFL (Internet-based Test)	90
Aptitude Scholastic Test (AST) English Test	200
Cambridge 'O' Level English/ EL1119	C6
Cambridge English C1 Advanced or C2 Proficiency	C1 Advanced or C2 Proficiency

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²SAT/ SAT Subject Tests

SAT

Applicants may submit either SAT or ACT with Writing.

The following scores are provided as a guide.

Table 3:

SAT	600 for Evidence-Based Reading and Writing 650 for Mathematics
ACT with Writing	Composite score of 29

SAT Subject Tests

Applicants are required to submit three [SAT Subject Test scores](#), including Math Level 2. The other two subjects should be chosen with respect to relevancy to the programme(s) applied for.

Alternatively, applicants may submit [Advanced Placement \(AP\)](#) scores in three subjects, including Calculus. The other two AP subjects should be relevant to the programme(s) applied for.

For more information on applying to SIT, please refer to

<https://www.singaporetech.edu.sg/applying-toSIT/admissions-overview>