

## 2020 - 2021 Sabancı University List of Acceptable International/Local Examinations and Diplomas for International Students

\*Percentage value is determined by dividing the sum total of grades on the diploma/exam result by the number of courses the student has taken. The final ratio should meet the minimum requirement.

\*\*In addition to the requirements below, applicants will also need to fulfill necessary requirements for an equivalency certificate to be able to fully register at Sabancı University ([please click here for more information](#)). Applicants are expected to bring their equivalency certificates with them when they arrive on campus for registrations. Please note that meeting the admission requirements below do not mean that applicants also fulfill equivalency certificate requirements.

Applicants, whose cumulative grade point average (CGPA) is not stated on their final diploma/transcript, must submit a letter from their high school administration to declare their graduation cumulative grade point average.

	International & Local Examinations	Minimum Requirements
International	Turkish High School Diploma (taken in Turkey or outside of Turkey)	A minimum 70% diploma score*
International	SAT Reasoning	A minimum grade of 1100 out of 1600 (Sabancı University SAT Code: 7100) <i>SAT results are valid for 2 years from the date it is taken. Results older than 2 years and Superscore results will not be accepted.</i>
International	SAT II Mathematics 2 Subject Test	A minimum score of 600 out of 800
International	ACT (American College Testing)	A minimum score of 23 out of 36 in Composite
International	GCE (General Certificate Education)	A minimum of two C passes at "A Level" (Advanced Level) OR A minimum of two C passes at "AS Level" (Advanced Subsidiary) OR A minimum of one C pass at "A Level" and a minimum of one C pass at "AS Level"***
International	Abitur	A minimum score between 1 to 3
International	Advanced Placement (AP)	A minimum score of 3 out of 5 out of minimum two subjects
International	IB (International Baccalaureate)	A minimum diploma score of 28 out of 45
International	French Baccalaureate	A minimum diploma score of 12 out of 20
International	Matura (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
International	International Science Olympiads	Gold, Silver or Bronze medal holders in International Science Olympiads recognized or participated by TÜBİTAK (The Scientific and Technical Research Council of Turkey)
International	West African Examination Council (WAEC) or West African Senior School Certificate Examination (WASSCE)	Nigeria: Minimum B3 passes in each 3 subjects Ghana: Minimum B3=Good in each 3 subjects Gambia: Minimum B3 passes in each 3 subjects Liberia: Minimum 3=Good in each 3 subjects Sierra Leone: Minimum B3 passes in each 3 subjects

International	American High School Diploma (taken in Turkey or in other countries)	A minimum average of 70% diploma score* or minimum 2.8 out of 4
International	Attestat (Azerbaijan, Russia, Ukraine, Moldova, Belarus, Kazakhstan, Kyrgyzstan, Georgia, Tajikistan, Uzbekistan, Turkmenistan, Mongolia)	A minimum average of 70% diploma score*
Afghanistan	Nationwide University Entrance exam of Afghanistan (Concours - KONKURS - Kankor General State Examination)	A minimum average of 80% certificate score*
Albania	Diplomë e Maturës Shtetërore (Diploma of State Matura)	A minimum certificate/diploma score of 7 out of 10
Algeria	Baccalauréat d'Enseignement Secondaire	A minimum diploma score of 12 out of 20
Angola	Ensino Geral Certificado de Habilitações / Certificado de Habilitações	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Argentina	Título de Bachiller	A minimum diploma score of 7 out of 10
Australia	Secondary School Graduation Certificate or Higher School Certificate (HSC)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Austria	Reifeprüfung / Matura	A minimum certificate/diploma score of 3 out of 5
Azerbaijan	Azerbaijan National Test (DIM)	A minimum score of 490 out of 700
Bahrain	Tawjihi (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) or Higher Secondary School Certificate (HSSC)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Belarus	Belarussian Central Testing	A minimum score of 420 out of 600
Belgium	Abschlusszeugnis der Oberstufe des Sekundarunterrichts or Diploma van secundair onderwijs or Certificat d'enseignement secondaire supérieur	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Benin	Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Diploma o položenom maturalnom ispitu (RS) or Diploma o završenoj srednjoj školi (FiBH) (Secondary School Leaving Diploma)	A minimum 3,5 out of 5 diploma score
Botswana	Botswana General Certificate of Secondary Education (BGCSE)	An average grade above 6 from all subjects taken
Brazil	ENEM or Vestibular Exams	A minimum average of 70% exam score*
	Certificado de Conclusão de Ensino Médio	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Bulgaria	Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie (Certificate of Completed Secondary Education)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Burkina Faso	Baccalauréat or Bachelier du second degré	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Burundi	Diplôme des Humanités Complètes	A minimum average of 80% diploma score*

Cameroon	French system: Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire	A minimum score of 12 out of 20
	General Certificate of Education, Advanced Level	At least 2 GCE A levels with minimum C passes
Canada	Provincial High School Graduation Diplomas	A minimum average of 70% diploma score* (Along with an official letter from the high school stating the official diploma percentage if it is not written on the diploma)
Central African Republic	Baccalauréat	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Chad	The Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement du Second Degré	A minimum score of 12 out of 20
Chile	The Nota de Enseñanza Media (NEM) (High School Certificate)	A minimum diploma score of 5 out of 7
	Prueba de Selección Universitaria (PSU)	A minimum score of 600 out of 850 (with Language and Communications, and Mathematics subjects as mandatory)
China	Chinese National University Entrance Exam (Gaokao)	A minimum average of 70% from the overall exam score*
	Senior Middle School Graduation Certificate or General secondary education certificate (gaozhong)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Colombia	Saber 11 <sup>o</sup>	A maximum Puesto score of 300 out of 1000, a minimum Puntaje score of 70 out of 100
	Decreto 1290	A minimum level of Desempeno Alto (very good)
Comoros	Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement du Second Degré	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Congo	Baccalauréat	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Croatia	Svjedodžba o Maturi (Matura Certificate) or Svjedodžba o državnoj maturi (Certificate of State Maturity)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score* or minimum 3 out of 5
Czech Republic	Vysvědčení o maturitní zkoušce (Secondary School Leaving Certificate)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score* or minimum 3 out of 5
Dominican Republic	Secondary Level National Examinations (Pruebas Nacionales del Nivel Medio)	A minimum average of 85% exam score*
Democratic Republic of Congo	Examen d'Etat (State Examination) and Diplôme d'Etat d'Etudes Secondaires du Cycle Long	A minimum average of 70% exam/diploma score*
Denmark	Bevis for Studentereksamen (Secondary Education Graduation Certificate) or Bevis for Højere Forberedelseseksamen (HF) (Higher Preparatory Examination Certificate)	A minimum diploma score of 7 out of 12
Djibouti	Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire	A minimum score of 12 out of 20

Ecuador	Examen Nacional Para La Educacion Superior (ENES)	A minimum average of 70% exam score*
	Bachillerato (Baccalaureate)	A minimum diploma score of 7 out of 10 or 70%*
Egypt	General Secondary School Certificate Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya-Al-Amma	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Estonia	Gümnaasiumi Lõputunnistus (Secondary School Leaving Certificate) or Gümnaasiumi lõputunnistus with the Riigieksamitunnistus (Secondary School Leaving Certificate with the State Examination Certificate)	A minimum diploma score of 3,5 out of 5 or minimum 70%*
Eswatini	Eswatini General Certificate of Secondary Education (EGCSE) or Swaziland General Certificate of Secondary Education (SGCSE)	A minimum C grade from at least 4 subjects
Ethiopia	Ethiopian Higher Education Entrance Examination / Ethiopian University Entrance Examination	A minimum average of 80% exam score*
	Ethiopian School Leaving Certificate	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Finland	Ylioppilastutkinto/studenteksamen (National Matriculation Examination)	A minimum score of 5 out of 7
France	French Baccalauréat	A minimum score of 12 out of 20
Gabon	Baccalauréat	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Greece	Apolytirion of Lykeo or Gymnasio (Secondary School Leaving Certificate )	A minimum score of 15 out of 20
Guinea	Baccalauréat Unique	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Guyana	Caribbean Advanced Proficiency Examination (CAPE)	A maximum score of 3 out of 7
	GCE (General Certificate Education) A Levels	At least 2 GCE A levels with minimum C passes
Haiti	Diplome D'Etudes Secondaries	A minimum average of 85% transcript/diploma score*
Hong Kong	Hong Kong Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) or Hong Kong Advanced Level Examination (HKALE) - Advanced Level	A minimum diploma score of 3 out of 5 or minimum C pass in minimum two subjects in HKALE
Hungary	Matura - Érettségi Bizonyítvány (Secondary Education Graduation Certificate)	A minimum score of 3,5 out of 5
Iceland	Lokaprof af hönnunarbraut (Certificate of Graduation ) or Stúdentspróf (from Gymnasium) (Matriculation Certificate)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
India	A Standard XII diploma (academic stream) Intermediate Examination Certificate / Higher Secondary School Certificate/All India Senior School Certificate/ Indian School Certificate	A minimum 70% success in 5 subjects (Corresponding to letter grades A-E)

Indonesia	UAN (Ujian Akhir Nasional) / Ujian Nasional	A minimum score of 70 out of 100
	Ijazah - Sekolah Menengah Atas/Madrasah Aliyah (SMA/MA) (Certificate of Graduation from Academic/Islamic Secondary School)	A minimum average of 71-85% (Baik / Good)*
Iran	Diplome Dabiristan (High School Diploma) or Pishdaneshgahi	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Iraq	General Secondary Education Exam (El Aledadiyah) or High School Leaving Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Ireland	Irish Leaving Certificate	Passes in minimum 6 subjects with at least 2 of them from Higher Level subjects (Minimum C1 or H4 for Higher Level subjects and C3 or H5 for other subjects)
Israel	Te'udat Bagrut (Matriculation Certificate) / Mechina	A minimum average of 70% diploma score*
Italy	Diploma di Esame di Stato conclusivo dei Corsi di Istruzione Secondaria Superiore or Diploma di Maturità	A minimum score of 70 out of 100
Ivory Coast	Baccalauréat	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Japan	Kotogakko Sotsugyo Shomeisho (Upper Secondary School Leaving Certificate)	A minimum diploma score of 3,5 out of 5 or 70%*
Jamaica	The Carribbean Secondary Education Certificate (CSEC)	A minimum of 85% final score*
Jordan	Tawjihi(General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Kazakhstan	Kazakhstan National Test (ENT)	A minimum score of 100 out of 140
Kenya	Kenya KCSE (Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education)	A minimum grade of C+ in each subjects or minimum 40 points in total
Kosovo	Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se mesme te pergjithshme or Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se mesme te larte	A minimum score of 3 out of 5
Kuwait	Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya Al-Amma (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Kyrgyzstan	National University Entrance Examination (ORT)	A minimum score of 180 out of 250
Latvia	Atestats par visparejo videjo izglitibu (Certificate of General Secondary Education)	A minimum score of B2 or 70% *
Lebanon	Baccalauréat Libenais (General Secondary School Certificate)	A minimum score of 12 out of 20
Le Sotho	Lesotho General Certificate of Secondary Education (LGCSE)	A minimum grade of C from at least 3 subjects
Liberia	Liberia Senior High School Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Libya	General Secondary Education Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Lithuania	Brandos Atestatas (Certificate of Maturity)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Luxembourg	Diplome de Fin d'Etudes Secondaire	A minimum score of 45 out of 60

Macedonia	Matura	A minimum score of 3,5 out of 5
Madagascar	Baccalauréat	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Malawi	Malawi School Certificate of Education	A minimum of grade of 4 from at least 6 subjects
Malaysia	STPM (Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia) (Malaysia Higher School Certificate) or Matrikulasi (Matriculation Certificate)	A minimum average of 2.33 = C+ = Principal pass (lulus penuh) diploma/certificate grade
Mali	Baccalauréat	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Malta	Matriculation - Advanced Matriculation	A minimum score between A and C (out of A)
Mauritania	Baccalauréat	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Mauritius	Cambridge Overseas School Certificate	A minimum of 2 A levels with minimum C passes
Mexico	Bachillerato	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Moldova	Diplomă de Bacalaureat (Baccalaureate Diploma)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Mongolia	Central University Entrance Exam	A minimum average of 80% certificate score*
Morocco	Diplôme du Baccalauréat	A minimum diploma score of 12 out of 20
Mozambique	Certificado de Habilitações Literarias	A minimum diploma score of 14 out of 20
Namibia	Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (NSSC)	A minimum grade of 3 from 2 Higher Level Subjects
Nepal	Higher Secondary Education Board Examination (HSC)	A minimum score of 75 out of 100
Netherlands	Voorbereidend wetenschappelijk onderwijs (VWO) or hoger beroepsonderwijs (HBO) propedeuse	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
New Zealand	University Entrance Certificate with New Zealand Bursaries Certificate	A New Zealand Bursary at 'A' or 'B' level
	National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3	A minimum of 42 credits on NCEA Level 3, three subjects (including 14 credits in each of two subjects from an approved list of subjects and 14 more from a maximum of two subjects) with a result of Literacy 10 credits at Level 2 and Numeracy 10 credits at Level 1 or A minimum of 80 credits at NCEA Level 3, 60 of which must have been achieved at Level 3 and 20 at Level 2 or above
Niger	Baccalauréat	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Nigeria	Joint Admissions and Matriculation Board (JAMB)	A minimum score of 200
	NECO (National Examination Council)	A minimum grade of B3 from at least 3 subjects

Norway	Norwegian Upper Secondary School Leaving Certificate - Vitnemal fra den Videregaende Skole.	A minimum score of 4,5 out of 6 including Maths
Oman	Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya Al-Amma (General Secondary Education Certificate) or General Education Diploma	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Pakistan	Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) or Higher Secondary School Certificate (HSSC)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Palestine	Tawjihi (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Paraguay	Bachillerato (Baccalaureate)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Peru	Certificado de Educacion Secundaria Comun Completa	A minimum score of 14 out of 20
Philippines	Diploma (Katibayan) or Certificate of Graduation (Katunayan)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Poland	Świadectwo Dojrzałości (Certificate of Maturity) or Świadectwo Ukończenia Gimnazjum (Certificate of Completion from a Gymnasium) or Świadectwo Ukończenia Liceum Ogólnokształcącego (Certificate of Completion from a General Lyceum)	A minimum diploma score of 4 out of 6
Portugal	Certificado de fim de Estudos Secundários / Certidão do Décimo Segundo Ano	A minimum score of 16 out of 20
Qatar	Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya Al-Amma (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Romania	Diploma de Bacalaureat	A minimum score of 7,5 out of 10 (good)
Rwanda	Advanced General Certificate of Secondary Education	A minimum grade of C in at least 3 subjects
Saudi Arabia	General Secondary Education Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
	Kudrat Examination taken within last 2 years	A minimum average of 70% exam score*
Scotland	Scottish Certificate of Education (SCE)	A or B pass in 4 Higher Level subjects
	Scottish Qualifications Certificate (SQC)	A or B pass in Higher Level subjects
Senegal	Baccalaureate Grade (Diplôme de Bachelier de l'Enseignement du Second Degré, also known as the Diplôme de Bachelier de l'Enseignement secondaire)	A minimum score of 15 out of 20
Serbia	General Secondary Education Certificate / Diploma o položenom maturalnom ispitu	A minimum score of 3,5 out of 5
Singapore	Singapore-Cambridge General Certificate of Education (Advanced Level)	Minimum two subjects with C passes in H2 level
Slovakia	Maturitná Skúška	A minimum 2 diploma grade out of 1
Slovenia	Maturitná Skúška / Vysvědčenie o maturitnej skúške	A minimum score of 3,5 out of 5

Somalia	Secondary Certificate, Secondary School Leaving Certificate (Shahaadada Dugsiga Sare)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
Somaliland	Somaliland Certificate of Secondary Education Examination	A minimum overall grade of B-
South Africa	National Senior Certificate	A minimum average of 50% exam score in minimum 4 subjects*
South Korea	College Scholastic Aptitude Test (CSAT)	A minimum score of 500 out of 800
	High School Diploma	A minimum grade of C (70-79 %)
Spain	Título de Bachiller	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Sudan	Sudan School Certificate	A minimum score of B or 70-79% in minimum five subjects*
Surinam	Voorbereidend wetenschappelijk onderwijs (VWO) (University Preparatory Education)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Sweden	Avgångsbetyg / Slutbetyg från Gymnasieskola (Upper secondary school leaving certificate)	A minimum score of 15 or VG (Very Good) or C pass overall including Maths
Switzerland	Certificat de Maturité / Certificat de Maturité Cantonal reconnu par la Confédération	A minimum diploma score of 3 out of 5 or A minimum diploma score of 4 out of 6 or A minimum diploma score of 7 out of 10
	or	
	Attestato di Maturità / Attestato di Maturità Cantonale riconosciuto dalla Confederazione	
	or	
Eidgenössisch anerkanntes kantonales Maturitätszeugnis yada Maturitätsausweis		
Syria	Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya Al-Amma (General Secondary Education Certificate)	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Tanzania	Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education (ACSE)	A minimum score of C from at least 2 subjects
Thailand	GAT (General Aptitude Test), or Professional and Academic Aptitude Test, or Ordinary National Education Test (ONET)	A minimum average of 70% certificate/diploma score*
	Certificate of Secondary Education / Maw 6	A minimum score of 70 out of 100 ; 3 out of 4 = B
Tunisia	Baccalauréat de l'enseignement secondaire	A minimum diploma score of 12 out of 20, with a mandatory minimum Mathematics grade of 12
Uganda	Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education (UACE)	A minimum score of C from at least 5 subjects
Ukraine	Ukrainian External Independent Testing	A minimum score of 160 out of 200 in relevant three subjects
United Arab Emirates	General Secondary Education Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Uruguay	Bachillerato (Baccalaureate)	A minimum score of 8 out of 12
USA	High School Diploma	A minimum average of 70% diploma score* or minimum 2.8 out of 4
Venezuela	Título de Bachiller / Título de Educación Media General	A minimum score of 14 out of 20



Vietnam	The school leaving examination (Ky Thi Tot Nghiep Pho Thong Trung Hoc) (12 years of education)	A minimum score of 7 out of 10
Yemen	General Secondary Education Certificate	A minimum average of 80% certificate/diploma score*
Zambia	School Certificate / General Certificate of Education	A minimum grade of 5 across all subjects
Zimbabwe	Zimbabwe General Certificate of Education and Zimbabwe General Certificate of Education at Advanced Level	A minimum of 5 C grades at the Ordinary Level on ZGCE or a minimum of 2 C grades from the ZGCE Advanced Level