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POLITEKNIK BRUNEI

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

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HOW TO APPLY

BRUNEI IC HOLDERS - YELLOW, PURPLE/RED AND GREEN EXCLUDING IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME (*SKIM LATIHAN DALAM PERKHIDMATAN (LDP)*)

- Apply online through **BOTH HECAS** on www.hecas.moe.gov.bn
AND
- **Politeknik Brunei Admission System (PBAS)** on <https://pbas.pb.edu.bn>

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT ANY APPLICATIONS NOT SUBMITTED THROUGH HECAS AND PBAS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED

IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME (*SKIM LATIHAN DALAM PERKHIDMATAN (LDP)*)

- Apply online through **Politeknik Brunei Admission System (PBAS)** on <https://pbas.pb.edu.bn>
AND
- Submit **Borang A (Section A & Section B)** via email to admission@pb.edu.bn
 - **DOWNLOAD LINK:** <https://pb.edu.bn/politeknik-brunei/admission/>

ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS

All documents below are required to be uploaded with your PBAS:

- Applicant passport sized photo
 - **FORMAT:** JPEG format (*.jpeg, *.jpg, *.png)
 - **MINIMUM RESOLUTION:** 500px (Width) x 644px (Height)
 - **MAXIMUM FILE SIZE:** 1MB
- Identity Card (IC)
 - **FORMAT:** As coloured image (*.jpeg, *.jpg, *.png) or PDF (*.pdf)
 - Include images of **both front and back of the IC as ONE page**
 - **NOT black/white or photocopy**
 - **MAXIMUM FILE SIZE:** 10MB
- Certified copies of academic certificates (O Level, A Level, Diploma, National Diploma, HNTec, or any other equivalent qualifications accredited by BDNAC), including transcript (where applicable)
 - **FORMAT:** As image (*.jpeg, *.jpg, *.png) and compiled into PDF (*.pdf) for multiple pages
 - **MAXIMUM FILE SIZE:** 10MB
- English proficiency qualification (IELTS/TOEFL) (if applicable)

ALL APPLICANTS

Must **CLEAR** Criminal Record Screening:

- All candidates will be subjected to undergo clearance process from National Security Department, Royal Brunei Police Force, Narcotics Control Bureau and Religious Enforcement Unit before being registered as students of Politeknik Brunei

PROGRAMMES OFFERED

School	Programme	Category	Duration	Campus Location	Programme Cost
School of Business (SBS)	Level 5 Diploma in Entrepreneurship and Marketing Strategies	Non-Laboratory	2.5 Years	Lifelong Learning Centre, Lambak & Main Campus, Ong Sum Ping Condominium	For Local Self-Funding / Permanent Resident / In-Service Training Students <u>Non-Laboratory Programme</u> BND 9,000.00 for 2.5 Years <u>Laboratory Programme</u> BND 10,250.00 for 2.5 Years
	Level 5 Diploma in Human Capital Management				
School of Information and Communication Technology (SICT)	Level 5 Diploma in Cloud and Networking				
	Level 5 Diploma in Cybersecurity				
	Level 5 Diploma in Data Analytics				
	Level 5 Diploma in Digital Arts and Media				
	Level 5 Diploma in Digital Solutions				
School of Science and Engineering (SSE)	Level 5 Diploma in Architecture	Laboratory		Lumut Campus	----- For International Students <u>Non-Laboratory Programme</u> BND 12,500.00 for 2.5 Years <u>Laboratory Programme</u> BND 15,000.00 for 2.5 Years
	Level 5 Diploma in Civil Engineering				
	Level 5 Diploma in Electrical Engineering				
	Level 5 Diploma in Mechanical Engineering				
School of Petrochemical (SPC)	Level 5 Diploma in Applied Science Technology				

IMPORTANT NOTE:

- ✓ Applicants must note that **FULFILLING THE SPECIFIC ENTRY REQUIREMENTS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ENTRY** into Politeknik Brunei's programmes as admission to all programmes are competitive.
- ✓ You may apply up to two (2) programmes at Politeknik Brunei, with your **FIRST CHOICE GIVEN PRIORITY**.
- ✓ Admission offers for each programme are subject to quota availability and determined through a ranking system. Rankings are based on a points system calculated from the applicants' academic results.

MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- ✓ O LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT
- ✓ TECHNICAL & VOCATIONAL EDUCATION & TRAINING (TVET) OR ITS EQUIVALENT
- ✓ IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS



MINIMUM ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT

Minimum **FIVE (5)** credits (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in **English medium** subjects

GENERAL SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS		PROGRAMME-SPECIFIC SUBJECT REQUIREMENTS
All applicants must fulfil the following: English ➤ Credit in English Language OR ➤ Credit in English as a Second Language OR ➤ An IELTS score of at least 6.0 Mathematics* ➤ Credit in Mathematics D OR ➤ Credit in Mathematics OR ➤ Credit in Additional Mathematics *Selected engineering programmes require a minimum grade of B4 in Mathematics, as specified in the specific entry requirements	AND	Other THREE (3) English medium subjects as specified in the specific entry requirements of the programme

TECHNICAL AND VOCATIONAL EDUCATION AND TRAINING (TVET) OR ITS EQUIVALENT

ND (Level 4 NQF*) in relevant field with CGPA ≥ 2.0 (based on a 3 points system) **OR**

Diploma (Level 4 NQF*) in relevant field with CGPA ≥ 2.7 (based on a 4 points system) **OR**

HNTec (Level 4 NQF*) in relevant field with CGPA ≥ 2.7 (based on a 4 points system) **OR**

Other qualifications accredited by BDNAC*

Note: Please refer to the specific entry requirements for the relevant field of each programme

IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME (SKIM LATIHAN DALAM PERKHIDMATAN) / MATURE APPLICANTS

- At least three (3) years working experience in related field
- TWO (2)** credits in GCE 'O' level or its equivalent
OR
ONE (1) GCE 'O' level or its equivalent, with relevant TVET Qualification
- Applicants must have at least Grade C6 in English Language at GCE 'O' Level Examination or its equivalent
OR
an IELTS of minimum score of 6.0
OR
A TOEFL of minimum score of 550
OR
Pass English entrance test administered by PB
- Mature applicants must be at least 22 years old and have left school for at least one year
(*Note: Please refer to the specific entry requirements for the relevant field of each programme*)
- In-service applicants must meet other requirements set by the relevant authority of their respective organization



LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA

2.5 years

- Entrepreneurship and Marketing Strategies
- Human Capital Management

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND MARKETING STRATEGIES

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Business Studies • Chemistry • Combined Science • Commerce • Commercial Studies • Computer Science • Computer Studies • Economics • Enterprise • English Literature • Food and Nutrition • Geography • History • ICT • Physics • POA/Accounting • Sociology • Statistics • Travel and Tourism AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Agrotechnology • Business Administration • Business and Finance • Business Management • Culinary Operations • Digital Marketing • Hospitality Operations • Interior Design • Office Administration • Real Estate Management and Agency • Tourism Operations • Travel and Tourism
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN HUMAN CAPITAL MANAGEMENT

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Business Studies • Chemistry • Combined Science • Commerce • Commercial Studies • Computer Science • Computer Studies • Economics • English Literature • Food and Nutrition • Geography • History • ICT • Physics • POA/Accounting • Sociology • Statistics • Travel and Tourism AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Business Administration • Business and Finance • Business Management • Hospitality Operations • Office Administration • Travel and Tourism
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	



LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA

2.5 years

- Cloud and Networking
- Cybersecurity
- Data Analytics
- Digital Arts and Media
- Digital Solutions

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN CLOUD AND NETWORKING

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Chemistry • Computer Science • Computer Studies • ICT • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Apprenticeship in Telecommunication Network Engineering • Application Development • Computer Networking • Electronic and Communication Engineering • Information Technology
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN CYBERSECURITY

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Chemistry • Computer Science • Computer Studies • ICT • Physics • Statistics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Application Development • Computer Networking • Information Technology
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN DATA ANALYTICS

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Chemistry • Computer Science • Computer Studies • Design and Technology • Economics • ICT • Physics • POA/Accounting • Statistics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Application Development • Business and Finance • Business Management • Information and Library Studies • Information Technology
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN DIGITAL ARTS AND MEDIA

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Art • Art & Design • Computer Science • Computer Studies • Design and Technology • ICT AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Animation and Multimedia Design • Digital Marketing • Electronics and Media Technology • Graphic Design Technology • Information Technology • Interactive and Multimedia Design
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN DIGITAL SOLUTIONS

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Additional Mathematics • Biology • Chemistry • Computer Science • Computer Studies • Design and Technology • ICT • Physics • Statistics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Application Development • Computer Networking • Information Technology
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	



LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA

2.5 years

- Diploma in Architecture
- Diploma in Civil Engineering
- Diploma in Electrical Engineering
- Diploma in Mechanical Engineering

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN ARCHITECTURE

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Art • Design and Technology • Geography • Art and Design • Fine Art • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Animation and Multimedia Design • Building Services Engineering • Construction and Draughting (Dual TVET) • Graphic Design Technology • Geomatics • Interactive and Multimedia Design • Interior Design
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN CIVIL ENGINEERING

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Mathematics ➤ Grade 1-4 in Mathematics D OR ➤ Grade A-B in Mathematics OR ➤ Grade 1-6 in Additional Mathematics	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in the following subject: • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Building Services Engineering • Construction and Draughting (Dual TVET) • Geomatics
Other Requirements	
PASS the Mathematics Entrance Test conducted by Politeknik Brunei where applicable	
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Mathematics ➤ Grade 1-4 in Mathematics D OR ➤ Grade A-B in Mathematics OR ➤ Grade 1-6 in Additional Mathematics	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in the following subject: • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Electrical Engineering • Electrical and Electronics Engineering • Electronic Engineering • Electronic and Communication Engineering • Instrumentation and Control Engineering
Other Requirements	
PASS the Mathematics Entrance Test conducted by Politeknik Brunei where applicable	
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Mathematics ➤ Grade 1-4 in Mathematics D OR ➤ Grade A-B in Mathematics OR ➤ Grade 1-6 in Additional Mathematics	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in the following subject: • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Aircraft Maintenance Engineering (Airframe and Engine) • Apprenticeship in Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Services • Automobile Technology • Automotive Engineering (RBAF) • Mechanical Engineering • Mechanical Engineering (Armament) • Plant Engineering
Other Requirements	
PASS the Mathematics Entrance Test conducted by Politeknik Brunei where applicable	
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	



LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA

2.5 years

- Applied Science Technology

LEVEL 5 DIPLOMA IN APPLIED SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY

'O' LEVEL QUALIFICATION OR ITS EQUIVALENT	
Meets the General Subject Requirements and Programme-Specific Subject Requirements	
Programme-Specific Subjects	1. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in at least ONE (1) of the following: • Biology • Chemistry • Combined Science (minimum B4) • Physics AND 2. Credit (Grade 1-6 or A-C) in TWO (2) additional English medium subjects

TVET OR ITS EQUIVALENT IN-SERVICE TRAINING SCHEME / MATURE APPLICANTS	
Meets the minimum entry requirements in relevant field	
Relevant field	• Agrotechnology • Laboratory Science • Pharmacy Technician
Additional Advantages	
Meeting the O level General Subject Requirements will be an advantage and grades obtained will be included in the calculation of ranking points for admission ranking.	

FEES AND FUNDING

- ✓ GENERAL FEES
- ✓ TUITION FEES
- ✓ LOCAL BRUNEI GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP



GENERAL FEES

Upon receiving an offer to study at Politeknik Brunei, students who accept the admission offer **must** pay the general fees.

Programme Duration	Local Brunei Government Scholarship Students	Local Self-funding/ Permanent Resident/ In-Service Training Students	International Students
2.5 years	BND 250.00	BND 600.00	
3 years	BND 275.00	BND 625.00	

TUITION FEES

Tuition fees are **fully waived** for students under the **Local Brunei Government Scholarship**.

Non-laboratory Programmes		
Programme Duration	Local Self-funding/ Permanent Resident/ In-Service Training Students	International Students
2.5 years	BND 9,000.00	BND 12,500.00
3 years	BND 10,800.00	BND 15,000.00
Laboratory Programmes		
Programme Duration	Local Self-funding/ Permanent Resident/ In-Service Training Students	International Students
2.5 years	BND 10,250.00	BND 15,000.00
3 years	BND 12,300.00	BND 18,000.00

For further inquiries on fees, please contact the Finance Division:

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 finance@pb.edu.bn

LOCAL BRUNEI GOVERNMENT SCHOLARSHIP

The award of the Local Brunei Government Scholarship is subject to approval by the Ministry of Education, Brunei Darussalam.

To be eligible, applicants must meet **ALL** of the following criteria:

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Citizen of Brunei Darussalam
(Yellow IC holder) | 

Credit of at least C6 in
O level Bahasa Melayu | 

Do not exceed 26 years old on
1 st September 2026 |
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REFERENCES

BDQF LEVELS	SCHOOL SECTOR QUALIFICATIONS	TECHNICAL & VOCATIONAL EDUCATION SECTOR QUALIFICATIONS	HIGHER EDUCATION SECTOR QUALIFICATION
8			• Doctoral Degree
7			• Master's Degree • Post Graduate Diploma • Post Graduate Certificate
6			• Bachelor's Degree
5		• Advanced Diploma • Higher National Diploma (HND)	• Foundation Degree • Advanced Diploma • Higher National Diploma (HND)
4	• GCE 'A' Level • IGCSE 'A' Level • IB Diploma • STPU	• Diploma • Higher National Technical Education Certificate (HNTec)	
3	• GCE 'O' Level (Grade A-C) • IGCSE & GCSE 'O' Level (Grade A*-C) • BTEC Level 2 Diploma	• Skills Certificate 3 (SC3) • National Technical Education Certificate (NTec)	
2	• GCE 'O' Level (Grade D-E) • IGCSE & GCSE 'O' Level (Grade D-E) • BTEC Level 2 Extended Certificate	• Skills Certificate 2 (SC2) • Industrial Skills Qualifications (ISQ)	
1	• BTEC Level Introductory Certificate	• Skills Certificate 1 (SC1)	
Source: Brunei Darussalam Qualification Framework, Ministry of Education, Brunei Darussalam, November 2014			

All programmes administered by Politeknik Brunei, meets the criteria established by BDNAC and recognised as equivalent to a Level 5 Higher National Diploma under the Brunei Darussalam Qualifications Framework.

IMPORTANT NOTES

*NQF: National Qualification Framework

*BDNAC: Brunei Darussalam National Accreditation Council



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