



Schedule of approved Faculty variations, above the University minimum requirements

In addition to the English language requirements set out below, applicants should also consult faculty and course resolutions for further information on admission requirements for their chosen course.

Faculty	Course	Requirements (above the University minimum)	Approval Date
Faculty of Agriculture and Environment			
Faculty of Architecture, Design and Planning	All postgraduate award courses	For students without a Bachelor's Degree from an English language university, and who have studied less than two years in an institution of English instruction, an IELTS score of a minimum average of 7.0 with no section below 6.0 must be provided.	18-Apr-07
Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences	Master of Applied Linguistics Graduate Diploma of Applied Linguistics Graduate Certificate of Applied Linguistics	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	18-Apr-12
	Master of Art Curating, Graduate Diploma in Art Curating, Graduate Certificate in Art Curating	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	17-Apr-13
	Master of China Studies, Graduate Diploma in China Studies, Graduate Certificate in China Studies, Master of China Public Administration	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	23-May-12
	Master of Creative Writing, Graduate Diploma in Creative Writing, Graduate Certificate in Creative Writing	IELTS overall 7.0 with a minimum of 7.0 in the Writing band and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	24-Feb-10
	Master of Crosscultural Communication	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	6-Oct-10
	Master of Cultural Studies, Graduate Diploma in Cultural Studies, Graduate Certificate in Cultural Studies	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	18-Apr-12
	Master of Development Studies, Graduate Diploma in Development Studies, Graduate Certificate in Development Studies	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	18-Apr-12



	Master of Digital Communication and Culture, Graduate Diploma in Digital Communication and Culture, Graduate Certificate in Digital Communication and Culture	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	18-Apr-12
	Master of Economic Analysis (and embedded sequences)	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.5 in each band	17 Aug 16
	Master of Economics (and embedded sequences)	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	6-Oct-10
	Master of English Studies, Graduate Diploma in English Studies, Graduate Certificate in English Studies	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	17-Apr-13
	Master of Health Communication, Graduate Diploma in Health Communication, Graduate Certificate in Health Communication	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	27-Aug-08
	Master of Health Security, Graduate Diploma in Health Security, Graduate Certificate in Health Security	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	1-Oct-14
	Master of Human Rights, Graduate Diploma in Human Rights, Graduate Certificate in Human Rights	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	8-Oct-08
	Master of International Relations, Graduate Diploma in International Relations, Graduate Certificate in International Relations, Graduate Certificate in Economics	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	22-May-13
	Master of International Security (and embedded sequences)	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	6-Oct-10
	Master of International Studies, Graduate Diploma in International	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	8-Oct-08



	Studies, Graduate Certificate in International Studies		
	Master of Media Practice, Graduate Diploma in Media Practice, Graduate Certificate in Media Practice	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	27-Aug-08
	Master of Museum and Heritage Studies, Graduate Diploma in Museum and Heritage Studies, Graduate Certificate in Museum and Heritage Studies	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	17-Apr-13
	Master of Peace and Conflict Studies, Graduate Diploma in Peace and Conflict Studies, Graduate Certificate in Peace and Conflict Studies	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	18-Apr-12
	Master of Political Economy, Graduate Diploma in Political Economy, Graduate Certificate in Political Economy	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	8-Oct-08
	Master of Public Policy, Graduate Diploma in Public Policy, Graduate Certificate in Public Policy	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	8-Oct-08
	Master of Publishing, Graduate Diploma in Publishing, Graduate Certificate in Publishing	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	27-Aug-08
	Master of Strategic Public Relations, Graduate Diploma in Strategic Public Relations, Graduate Certificate in Strategic Public Relations	IELTS overall 7.0 and a minimum of 6.0 in other bands	27-Aug-08
	Master of US Studies, Graduate Diploma in US Studies, Graduate Certificate in US Studies	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or above with a result of a minimum of 6.5 in Speaking and Writing and a minimum of 6.0 in Listening and Reading	27-Aug-08
University of Sydney Business School	Executive Master of Business Administration	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Commerce (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10



	Master of Human Resource Management and Industrial Relations (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Graduate Certificate in Innovation and Enterprise	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of International Business (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Logistics and Supply Chain Management (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – A minimum result of 7.0 overall and a minimum result of 6.0 in each band	
	Master of Logistics Management (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Management, Master of Management (CEMS)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Marketing (and embedded sequences),	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Professional Accounting	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	Master of Transport Management (and embedded sequences)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.0	6-Oct-10
	All research degrees	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with a section minimum of 6.5	26-Aug-09
Faculty of Dentistry	Doctor of Clinical Dentistry, Graduate Diploma in Clinical Dentistry, Graduate Certificate in Clinical Dentistry	IELTS 7 with no band below 7.0	28-Oct-15
	Doctor of Dental Medicine	IELTS 7.0 with no band below 7.0	2-Dec-15
Faculty of Education and Social Work	Master of Teaching	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.5 or better with minimum of 8.0 in speaking and listening modules and minimum of 7.0 in reading and writing modules	1-Jul-09
	Master of Social Work (Qualifying)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.5 or better with minimum of 7.0 in each band	26-May-10
Faculty of Engineering	Master of Complex Systems, Graduate Diploma in Complex Systems	IELTS – A minimum result of 7.0 overall and a minimum result of 6.0 in each band	
	Master of Professional Engineering	IELTS – A minimum result of 7.0 overall	29 Jun 16



Faculty of Health Sciences	Master of Diagnostic Radiography	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 6.5 for Speaking and for Writing on each band	4-Dec-13
	Master of Exercise Physiology	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7.0 in each of the components	15-Sep-04
	Master of Occupational Therapy	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7 in each of the components	28-Oct-15
	Master of Physiotherapy	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7 in each of the components	28-Oct-15
	Master of Speech Language Pathology	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7.0 in each of the components	15-Sep-04
Faculty of Law	Juris Doctor	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.5 or better with a minimum of 7.0 in each band	24-Feb-10
	All other postgraduate award courses	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 6.0 in each of the components	12-Feb-97
Faculty of Medicine	Doctor of Medicine	IELTS – overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum of 7.0 in each band	2-Dec-15
	Master of Clinical Trials Research, Graduate Diploma in Clinical Trials Research, Graduate Certificate in Clinical Trials Research	IELTS – overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum of 7.0 in each band	25-Aug-10
	Master of Genetic Counselling, Graduate Diploma of Genetic Counselling	IELTS – overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum of 6.5 in each band	30-Jun-10
	Master of Medicine (stream), Master of Medicine (Advanced) (stream), Master of Science in Medicine (stream), Master of Science in Medicine (Advanced) (stream), Master of Medicine (stream)/Master of Philosophy, Master of Science in Medicine (stream)/Master of Philosophy, Graduate Diploma in Medicine (stream), Graduate Diploma in Science in Medicine (stream), Graduate Certificate in Medicine (stream), Graduate Certificate	IELTS – overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum of 6.5 in each band	21-May-14



	in Science in Medicine (stream) This applies only to the following streams: Critical Care Medicine, HIV, STIs and Sexual Health, Metabolic Health. Paediatric Medicine, Psychiatry		
	Master of Qualitative Health Research, Graduate Certificate in Qualitative Health Research	IELTS – overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum of 6.5 in each band	7-Oct-09
Faculty of Nursing and Midwifery	All postgraduate award courses	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7.0 in each of the components completed in the two years prior to their application	17 Aug 16
Faculty of Pharmacy	All postgraduate award courses, with the exception of the Master of Philosophy and Doctor of Philosophy	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with no component being below 6.5	11-Oct-07 (effective from 1-Jan-08)
Faculty of Science	Master of Clinical Psychology Master of Clinical Psychology/Doctor of Philosophy	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 with no band less than 7.0 Additional English language requirements apply under the current Australian Health Practitioners Regulation Agency (AHPRA) standards for registration. Where these are inconsistent with University of Sydney standards, the higher standard will apply.	18-May-16
	Master of Science in Coaching Psychology; Graduate Diploma in Coaching Psychology; Graduate Certificate in Coaching Psychology	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.5 as a minimum on each band with no band falling below a score of 6.0	16-Mar-05 (effective from 1-Jan-05)
	Master of Environmental Science and Law Master of Environmental Law;	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 with no band less than 6.0	2-Nov-05
	Master of Nutrition and Dietetics	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.5 or better, with at least 6.5 in each of the components	14-Nov-05 (effective from 1-Jan-06)
Faculty of Veterinary Science	All postgraduate award courses	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 with no band falling below	16-Mar-05 (effective



	except those below	a score of 6.5.	from 1-Jan-05)
	Master of Veterinary Public Health Graduate Diploma in Veterinary Public Health Graduate Certificate in Veterinary Public Health	IELTS – A minimum result of 7.0 overall including a minimum result of 6.0 in Reading and Listening and 7.0 in Writing and Speaking	
	Master of Veterinary Public Health Management; Graduate Diploma in Veterinary Public Health Management; Graduate Certificate in Veterinary Public Health Management Master of Animal Science Graduate Diploma in Animal Science Graduate Certificate in Animal Science	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better, with at least 7.0 for Speaking and 7.0 for Writing on each band.	12-Nov-03 17-May-06
	Doctor of Veterinary Medicine	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 or better with a minimum score of 7.0 in each of the components.	17-Apr-13
Sydney Conservatorium of Music	All postgraduate award course except for those below	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 with no band less than 6.5	2-Nov-05
	Master of Music Studies (Composition)	IELTS – Overall band of 6.5 with no band less than 6.0	16-Apr-14
	Master of Music Studies (Opera Performance), Graduate Diploma in Music (Opera Performance)	IELTS – Overall band score of 7.0 with no band less than 6.0	4-Jul-12
	Graduate Diploma of Music (Performance) Master of Music Studies (Performance)	IELTS – Overall band of 6.0	2-Nov-05