



**MZUZU UNIVERSITY**

## **APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSION**

Mzuzu University is inviting applications from suitably qualified male and female candidates to pursue the face-to-face Bachelors Programme in the 2021/2022 Academic Year in its various Faculties under Economic Fees Category as detailed below:

### **A. FACULTY OF EDUCATION**

<b>S#</b>	<b>Programme</b>	<b>Programme Code</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Entry Requirements</b>
1	Bachelor of Education (Science)	BEDS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits including English, Biology, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Chemistry and Physics.
2	Bachelor of Education (Information and Communication Technology)	BEDICT	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits including English, Mathematics and in any two of the following subjects: Computer Studies, Physical Science or Physics and Chemistry, Biology, Geography, Technical Drawing, Woodwork, Home Economics, Business studies, and Accounting.
3	Bachelor of Education (Languages)	BEDL	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with at least six credits including English, Chichewa or French, and in any two of the following subjects: Geography, History, Bible Knowledge, and Social and Development Studies.

### **B. FACULTY OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND INNOVATION**

<b>S#</b>	<b>Programme</b>	<b>Programme Code</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Entry requirements</b>
4	Bachelor of Science in Renewable Energy Technologies	BRET	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects. The applicant should have strong credits (maximum of 4 points) in Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Physics or Chemistry, English and at least credits in any three of the following subjects; Geography, Agriculture, Computer studies, Home Economics, Business Studies, Social and Development Studies and Biology.
5	Bachelor of Science in Biodiversity Conservation and Management (Honours)	BCM	5 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including Biology, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Physics or Chemistry, English and Geography or Social and Development Studies.
6	Bachelor of Science in Parasitology and Disease Vector Control (Honours)	PDVC	5 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including Biology, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Chemistry or Physics and English.

**C. FACULTY OF TOURISM, HOSPITALITY AND MANAGEMENT**

S#	Programme	Programme Code	Duration	Entry requirements
7	Bachelor of Science (Tourism)	BSTO	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and Mathematics.
8	Bachelor of Science (Hospitality Management)	BSHM	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and Mathematics.

**D. FACULTY OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES**

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9	Bachelor of Science (Forestry)	BSCF	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including Biology, Mathematics, English and any other three credits in science-based courses such as Physical Science, Physics, Chemistry, Agriculture, Geography, Computer Studies and Home Economics.
10	Bachelor of Science in Value Chain Agriculture	BSVCA	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English (Language or Literature), Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Biology, Physical Science, or Chemistry or Physics, Agriculture, and any one of the following: Social and Development Studies, Home Economics, Business Studies and Computer Studies.
11	Bachelor of Science in Land Management (Land Surveying)	BLSL	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including Mathematics, or Additional Mathematics, Geography, Agriculture, English and any other two of the following subjects; Physical Science, Home Economics, Social and Development Studies, Business Studies and Computer Studies.
12	Bachelor of Science (Water Resources Management and Development)	BSWRMD	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects, including Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Physics or Chemistry, English and at least credits in any other three subjects from the following; Social and Development studies, Home Economics, Business Studies, Computer Studies and Geography.
13	Bachelor of Science in Transformative Community Development	BSTCD	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects, including English (Language or Literature), Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Biology, Physical Science or Chemistry or Physics, Social and Development Studies and any one of the following: Agriculture, Geography, Business Studies, Home Economics and Computer Studies.

**E. FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES**

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14	Bachelor of Science in Nursing and Midwifery	BSNM	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Chemistry and Physics and Biology.
15	Bachelor of Science in Biomedical Sciences	BSBS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Chemistry and Physics and Biology.
16	Bachelor of Science in Optometry (Honours)	BSOPT	5 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English, Mathematics or Additional Mathematics, Physical Science or Chemistry and Physics and Biology.

## F. FACULTY OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

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17	Bachelor of Arts (Politics and Governance)	BPOL	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English (Language), Mathematics and in any <u>two</u> of the following subjects: Geography, History, Bible Knowledge, Social and Development Studies and Business Studies.
18	Bachelor of Arts (International Relations and Diplomacy)	BIRD	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English, Mathematics and in any two of the following subjects: Geography, History, Bible Knowledge, Art and Social and Development Studies and Business Studies.
19	Bachelor of Arts (Development Studies)	BDEV	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English, Mathematics and in any <u>two</u> of the following subjects: Business Studies, Geography, History, and Social and Development Studies, Computer Studies.
20	Bachelor of Arts (History and Heritage Studies)	BHHS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and History and any <u>two</u> of the following: Geography, Bible Knowledge, Social studies, and Life Skills.
21	Bachelor of Arts (Theology and Religious Studies)	BTRS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and Bible Knowledge or History and in any one of the following: Social and Development Studies, Geography, Chichewa and French.
22	Bachelor of Arts in Communication Studies	BACOS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and any other two subjects from the following; Bible knowledge, Chichewa, French, Geography, History, Social and Development Studies, Life Skills plus at least a pass in Mathematics
23	Bachelor of Library and Information Science	BLIS	4 years	MSCE or its equivalent with six credits and an aggregate of not more than 30 points in the best six subjects including English and any two subjects from the following: History, Geography, Chichewa, French, Development Studies, Computer studies, Bible Knowledge and Life Skills.

## G. ELIGIBILITY:

The eligible applicants must have completed:

- MSCE, IGCSE or O Level equivalent in the past three years (2018, 2019 and 2020); Or
- Advanced Subsidiary (AS) certificate or a National Senior Certificate (NSC) obtained in the past three years (2018, 2019 and 2020); Or
- Advanced Level, International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma or A Level equivalent in the past three years (2018, 2019 and 2020).

## H. INTERPRETATION OF INTERNATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Qualifications comparable to O-Level/IGCSE shall be interpreted as follows for purposes of admission: A\*(90-100) = 1; A (80-89) = 1; B(70-79) = 2; C (60-69)= 3; D (55-59)= 4; E (49-54)= 5; F(40-48) = 6; G(34-39) = 7; H(0-33)= 8.

OR

Candidates with A-level qualifications must have a minimum of three principal passes with an aggregate of at least 9 points obtained in 2018, 2019 or 2020. For purposes of selection, A-level grades are interpreted as follows: E =1; D =2; C= 3; B =4; A=5; A\*=6 (**Please note the difference in the interpretation for the O-level grades**). Furthermore, candidates must have passed the subjects relevant to their desired programme either at O level or Advanced Subsidiary (AS) Level.

### I. TUITION FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

1. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Education is **K1,591,824** per academic year.
2. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Science, Technology and Innovation is **K2,006,371** per academic year.
3. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Tourism, Hospitality and Management is **K1,903,026** per academic year.
4. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Environmental Sciences is **K2,063,039** per academic year.
5. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Health Sciences is **K2,720,490** per academic year.
6. Fees for all programmes in the Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences is **K1,845,768**

**Please note that fees are subject to revision as may be determined by Council from time to time, with or without notice.**

7. **Fees for Non-Malawian students per academic year**

<u>SADC</u>	<u>Non-SADC</u>
<b>USD 3,500</b>	<b>USD 4,500</b>

All candidates will be admitted on self-sponsored category. Candidates will be expected to provide for their own board and lodge. Candidates selected for studies in education (science), fisheries, biomedical sciences, optometry, tourism, and in hospitality management have additional requirements such as protective clothing and upkeep during practical/attachment period. Most programmes also require students to do research projects and other academic related requirements. Candidates should therefore prepare for these additional costs. Detailed costs will be available to the successful students at a later stage.

## J. APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Applications should be sent by post or delivered by hand at Mzuzu University Campus in the Registry.

All applicants should complete a Mzuzu University **2021/2022 (EF) Admission Application Form** and attach applicable copies of the following documents:

- a) MSCE or equivalent certificates,
- b) Copy of National ID (for Malawian nationals), and
- c) A copy of the application fee bank deposit slip

Application forms can be obtained from the Porters Lodge or Registry at Mzuzu University Campus or downloaded from the website [www.mzuni.ac.mw](http://www.mzuni.ac.mw)

Completed applications should be returned with a non-refundable admission application fee of **K10,000** for Malawian applicants and **US\$ 150** for international applicants. Applications submitted without the admission application fee will be disqualified.

### Payment of Admission Application Fee

The application fee should be paid by depositing the amount of K10,000 into the following bank account:

Name of the Bank : NBS Bank  
Account Name : Mzuzu University Admission Account  
Account Number : 21430908  
Branch : Mzuzu Branch  
Swift code (for international transfers): NBSTMWMM

Applicants must attach the **bank deposit slip** to the admission application form. The application fee is non-refundable.

Applications can be delivered by hand or sent to the following address:

[...name of programme being applied for...] **2021/22 (EF) Admissions**  
**University Registrar**  
**Mzuzu University**  
**Private Bag 201**  
**Luwinga**  
**Mzuzu 2**

**To reach the Registrar's Office not later than Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> November 2021.**

All other enquiries should be directed to the relevant Faculties on the following contacts:

Faculty of Education	: (265) 1 320 656, or email to <a href="mailto:deanofed@mzuni.ac.mw">deanofed@mzuni.ac.mw</a>
Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality Management	: (265) 1 930 421, or email to <a href="mailto:deanofth@mzuni.ac.mw">deanofth@mzuni.ac.mw</a>
Faculty of Environmental Sciences	: (265) 1 320 575, ext 235 or email to <a href="mailto:deanofes@mzuni.ac.mw">deanofes@mzuni.ac.mw</a>
Faculty of Health Sciences	: (265) 1 930 804, or email to <a href="mailto:deanofhs@mzuni.ac.mw">deanofhs@mzuni.ac.mw</a>
Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	: (265) 1 320 575 or email to <a href="mailto:deanofhss@mzuni.ac.mw">deanofhss@mzuni.ac.mw</a>
Faculty of Science, Technology and Innovation	: (265) 1 320 575