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This page is the Prospectus of CUT.

Undergraduate and Graduate Programmes 2025

CUT's Grade 9 -12 subject choice guide (https://cms.cut.ac.za/Files/Froala/98dbd744-3e0a-4e80-9939-2dfc1f510f78.pdf) for your chosen career (PDF)

Subject codes for tables below			
M	Mathematics	E	English
ML	Mathematic Literacy	LO	Life Orientation
PS	Physical Sciences	L	Languages

LS	Life Sciences	A	Accounting
AS	Agricultural Sciences	IT	Information Technology
E	Economics	CS	Consumer Sciences
BS	Business Studies	HS	Hospitality Studies

Tips for reading the CUT programme page

The page has all the faculties in one place! You can browse through our entire selection of programmes.

The tables have 3 elements:

The programmes (what NQF level it is, and the qualification type). How long you will spend studying this and with what type of qualification you will graduate.

Minimum points (APS). Next, it is the minimum points needed to study the programme. Minimum points to study at CUT are 27. Some programmes need more than the minimum. Between 24 and 26 you may be eligible for the selection test but if the programme is full of applicants who meet the minimum and above, you are not going to be given the opportunity. Try to have more than the minimum. It should not be your target number.

Next, we tell you the minimum level of achievement you need per school subject. In the table above the faculties, each subject is given M – Maths, E – English. The points you get for the percentage earned in a subject is at the top of the table. Add those numbers 4 + 3 + 4 to get your APS.

Engineering	Hydrology and Water Resources Management
Computer Networking	Information Technology
Construction	Quantity Surveying
Health and Safety Management	Renewable Energy Technologies

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING, BUILT ENVIRONMENT AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

NQF 5 - 1 year full-time
NQF 6 - 2 years full-time
NQF 7 - 3 years full-time

For prospective students with NC(V) or N4, N5 and N6 qualifications (https://www.cut.ac.za/fet-students)

Programme		Mi Po
NQF 5 (HCert)	NQF 6 (Dip)	27
Information Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/information-technology-2)	Information Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/Programmes/information-technology)	
NQF 6 (Dip)		27
Computer networking (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/computer-networking)		
NQF 5 (HCert)		27
Construction (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/construction)		
NQF 5 (HCert)		27
Renewable Energy Technologies (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/renewable-energy-technologies)		
NQF 7 (BCon)		32
Construction Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/construction-management)		
NQF 7 (Bachelor)		32
Health and Safety Management (Construction) (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/health-and-safety-management)		

NQF 6 (Dip)	NQF 7 (Bachelor)	**32**
Civil Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/civil-engineering)	Civil Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/civil-engineering-0)	
NQF 7 (Bachelor)		**32**
Quantity Surveying (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/quantity-surveying)		
NQF 7 (Bachelor)		**28**
Hydrology and Water Resources Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/hydrology-and-water-resources-management)		
NQF 6 (Dip)		**27**
Electrical Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/dp-engineering-technology-in-electrical-engineer)		
NQF 7 (Bachelor)		**32**
Electrical Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/engineering-technology-in-electrical-engineer)		
NQF 6 (Dip)		**27**
Mechanical Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/engineering-technology-mechanical)		
NQF 7 (Bachelor)		**32**
Mechanical Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/engineering-technology-mechanical-0)		
NQF 5 (HCert)		**27**
Mathematics for Engineering Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/hc-mathematics-for-engineering-technology)		

Agricultural Management
Clinical Technology
Dental Assisting

Environmental Health
Medical Laboratory
Somatology

FACULTY OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

NQF 5 - 1 year full-time
NQF 6 - 2 years full-time
NQF 7 - 3 years full-time
NQF 8 - 4 years full-time

For prospective students with NC(V) or N4, N5 and N6 qualifications (https://www.cut.ac.za/fet-students)

Programme	Minimum Points	Minimum Level of Achievement i Subject 1 (0-29%) | 2(30-39%) | 3 (40 -49%) | 4 (50-59%) | 5 (60-69%) | 6 (70-79%) | 7 (80-100%) Life Orientation will be given a score c 1 point. See Admission Point (https://cms.cut.ac.za/admission-points ap)									
		M	ML	PS	LS	E	LO	L	A	A
NQF 5 (HCert)	27				4	4	4			
Dental Assisting (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/dental-assisting)										
NQF 6 (Dip)	27	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Agricultural Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/dip-agricultural-management)										

Programme	Points	C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6	C7	C8
NQF 6 (Dip)	27			4	4	4	4		
Somatology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/somatology)									
NQF 8 (Bachelor)	30	4		4	4	4	4		
Health Sciences in Clinical Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/bachelor-health-sciences-clinical-tech)									
NQF 8 (Bachelor)	30	4		4	4	4	4		
Medical Laboratory Sciences (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/bachelor-health-sciences-medical-lab-science)									
NQF 8 (Bachelor)	30	4	4	4	4	4	4		
Environmental Health (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/environmental-health-0)									

Teaching	Design and Studio Art
	Language Practice and Media Studies

FACULTY OF HUMANITIES

NQF 5 - 1 year full-time
NQF 6 - 2 years full-time
NQF 7 - 3 years full-time
NQF 8 - 4 years full-time

For prospective students with NC(V) or N4, N5 and N6 qualifications (https://www.cut.ac.za/fet-students)

Programme	Minimum Points	Minimum Level of Achievement in Subject 1 (0-29%) | 2(30-39%) | 3 (40 -49%) | 4 (50-59%) | 5 (60-69%) | 6 (70-79%) | 7 (80-100%) Life Orientation will be given a score of 1 point. See Admission Points (https://cms.cut.ac.za/admission-points-ap)							
		M	ML	PS	LS	E	LO	L	A
NQF 6 (Dip) Design and Studio Art (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/design-and-studio-art)	27					4	4		
NQF 6 (Dip) Language Practice and Media Studies (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/language-practice-and-media-studies-1)	27					5	4	5	
NQF 7 (Bachelor) Foundation Phase Teaching (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/foundation-phase-teaching)	27					4		4	
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Computer Science (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/computer-science)	27	4	4			4	4		6

Programme	APS							
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Economic and Management Sciences (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/economic-and-management-sciences)	27	4	4			4	4		6
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Language Education (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/language-education)	27					4	4	4	
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Mathematics (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/mathematics)	27	4		4		4			
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Natural Sciences (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/natural-sciences)	27	4		4		4	4		
NQF 7 (Bachelor) (SP & FET): Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/technology-0)	27	4	4			4	4		

Accountancy
Community Development Work
Hospitality Management
Human Resources Management
Internal Auditing

Marketing
Office Management and Technology
Public Management
Tourism Management

FACULTY OF MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

NQF 5 - 1 year full-time

NQF 6 - 2 years full-time

NQF 7 - 3 years full-time

NQF 8 - 4 years full-time

For prospective students with NC(V) or N4, N5 and N6 qualifications (https://www.cut.ac.za/fet-students)

Programme	Minimum Points	Minimum Level of Achievement in Subject 1 (0-29%) | 2(30-39%) | 3 (40 -49%) | 4 (50-59%) | 5 (60-69%) | 6 (70-79%) | 7 (80-100%) Life Orientation will be given a score of 1 point. See Admission Points (https://cms.cut.ac.za/admission-points-ap)							
		M	ML	LO	L	A	AS	E	BS
NQF 5 (HCert) Community Development Work (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/community-development-work)	27							4	
NQF 6 (Dip) Human Resources Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/human-resources-management)	27	4		4				4	
NQF 6 (Dip) Marketing (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/marketing-2)	27	4		4				4	

NQF 6 (Dip) Office Management and Technology (https://cms.cut.ac.za/Department/business-support-studies)	27	4	4						
NQF 6 (Dip) Public Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/public-management)	27							4	
NQF 6 (Dip Hospitality Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/hospitality-management)	27	4	4						
NQF 8 (Bachelor) Accountancy (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/management-sciences-in-accountancy)	30	3	4			5		4	
NQF 8 (Bachelor) Internal Auditing (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/internal-auditing-1)	30	3	5			6		4	
NQF 6 (Dip) Tourism Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/tourism-management)	28	4							

Postgraduate Programmes

Note: NSFAS (https://www.cut.ac.za/nsfas) does not fund postgraduate programmes.

Programmes below require an NQF 6 and above.

NQF 7 – 1 year full-time

NQF 8 - 1 year full-time; 2 years part-time

NQF 9 - 1 year (minimum - full-time); 2 years (minimum - part-time)

NQF 10 - 2 years (minimum - full-time); 3 years (minimum - part-time)

Faculty of Engineering, Built Environment and Information Technolog

NQF 7 (AdvDip)	NQF 8 (PGDip, Honours)
Information Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/information-technology-1)	Information Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-information-technology)
Computer Networking (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/computer-networking-1)	
	Construction Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgraduate-diploma-construction-management)
	Health and Safety Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-health-and-safety-management)
	Quantity Surveying (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgraduate-diploma-in-construction-quantity)
	Urban Development (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgraduate-diploma-in-construction-urban-de)

	Civil Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/hon-civil-engineering)
Logistics and Transportation Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/logistics-and-transportation-management)	
	Mechanical Engineering (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/honours-mechanical-engineering)

Faculty of Health Environmental Sciences

NQF 7 (AdvDip)	NQF 8 (PGDip, Honours)
Agricultural Extension (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/agricultural-extension)	
Agricultural Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/adv-agricultural-management)	Agricultural Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-agricultural-management)
Health Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/health-management)	
	Radiography in Diagnostics (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/radiography-in-diagnostics)
Therapeutic Services (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/adv-dip-therapeutic-services)	

Faculty of Humanities

NQF 7 (AdvDip, PGCE)	NQF 8 (PGDip, Honours)
Language Practice (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/advanced-diploma-language-practice)	Language Practice (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/language-practice-and-media-studies-1)
Media Studies (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/advanced-diploma-media-studies)	Media Studies (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/media-studies)
Design Technology (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/design-technology)	
Studio Art (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/studio-art-0)	
	Educational Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/educational-management)
	Higher Education (Teaching and Learning) (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/higher-education)
Postgraduate Certificate In Education (PGCE) (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgraduate-certificate-in-education-pgce)	

Faculty of Management Sciences

NQF 7 (AdvDip, PGCE)	NQF 8 (PGDip, Honours)

Human Resources Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/human-resources-management-2)	Human Resources Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pg-human-resources-management)
Marketing (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/marketing-3)	Marketing (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-marketing)
Applied Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/advanced-diploma-applied-management)	
	Project Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgrad-diploma-project-management)
Monitoring and Evaluation (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/advdip-monitoring-evaluation)	
	Entrepreneurial Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/postgrad-diploma-entrepreneurial-management)
Public Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/public-management-2)	Public Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/public-management_pd)
Hospitality Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/hospitality-management-1)	Hospitality Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-hospitality-management)
Tourism Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/ad-tourism-management)	Tourism Management (https://www.cut.ac.za/programmes/pd-tourism-management)