



# UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

Admission Information Booklet

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## **Quality Policy Statement**

The University of Nairobi is committed to consistently offer quality educational and related services to its customers.

In pursuit of this commitment, the University shall:

1. Be guided by its strategic plan in developing and implementing the quality management system;
2. Derive its quality objectives from the applicable university strategic plan with focus on quality;
3. Meet the applicable customer, regulatory and statutory requirements;
4. Regularly monitor and review its performance for continual improvement; and
5. Implement a quality management system based on ISO 9001:2015 Standard

## **Vision**

A world class University committed to scholarly excellence.

## **Mission**

To provide quality university education and training and to embody the aspirations of the Kenyan people and the global community through creation, preservation, integration, transmission and utilization of knowledge

## **Core Values**

In our quest for timely provision of quality service, we shall be guided by the following Core Values;

- Freedom of thought and expression
- Innovativeness and creativity
- Good corporate governance
- Team spirit and teamwork
- Professionalism
- Quality customer service
- Responsible corporate citizenship and strong social responsibility
- Respect for and conservation of the environment.

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## 1. Introduction

The University of Nairobi has responded to national, regional and Africa's high level manpower training needs by developing and evolving, diversified academic programmes and specializations in sciences, applied sciences, technology, humanities, social sciences and the arts. Through self-sponsored programmes, invaluable opportunity has been opened to thousands of Kenyans and non-Kenyans, who meet University admission requirements. The location of the University in the capital city and its environs is an advantage that has seen the university increasingly become a busy hub and citadel of academic activity at all times. In addition to the regular, evening and weekend programmes, classes are conducted at the university's campuses in Mombasa and Kisumu.

This booklet contains information about the entry requirements into the various undergraduate degree programmes and diplomas courses offered at the University of Nairobi, the mode of study and various contacts. Please note that the entry requirements conform to the Commission for University Education guidelines.

Website: <http://www.uonbi.ac.ke>.

The Academic Registrar

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University of Nairobi, Main Campus Administration Block, 1st Floor, Room 116.

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### University Intakes

#### 1. **September /October–**

All the courses

#### 2. **December/January**

Bachelor of Education (Arts), Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Arts International Studies, Bachelor of Arts Gender and Development Studies, Bachelor of Commerce, Bachelor of Hospitality Management, Bachelor of Travel and Tourism and Bachelor of Project Planning and Management

The advertisements for the intakes are placed in the local press and university website at least three months before the commencement date of the programme.

## 2. Procedure for online Application

Step 1: Visit the application website <http://application.uonbi.ac.ke>

Step 2: Registration and Creation of User Account

To register, you need an email address and phone number that will be validated during registration. *Every applicant must create their own personal user account.*

Step 3: Profile Management

Key-in your personal details and upload scanned copies of academic certificates and a passport size photograph. Only when your profile is complete can you apply for the programme you wish to undertake.

Step 4: Programme Selection

Select and apply for the course you are interested in. You will be issued with a REFERENCE NUMBER and directed to pay the prescribed application fee through the following Available Payment options:

- i. Credit/Debit Card
- ii. M-Pesa Pay Bill
- iii. Direct Cash Deposit at any Kenya Commercial Bank(KCB) branch

Upon payment, you will receive a confirmation of the payment on the email address and phone number registered in step 2.

Step 5: Application Tracking

Track the status of your application online through the system. Alerts will be sent to your registered email address and phone number.

For any assistance and clarification please contact any of the following:

Academic Registrar  
Admissions office  
Tel:+254020 020 491 3199 / 3067/3068  
(For undergraduate courses)  
Email:admissions@uonbi.ac.ke

E-mail: [admissions@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:admissions@uonbi.ac.ke).

## 3. Proficiency in English

Applicants from non-English speaking countries will be required to produce a certificate of proficiency in English such as Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL).

More information on these programmes may be obtained from the School of Business, School of the Arts& Design and School of Nursing.

## 4. General Admissions Requirements

### i) Diploma Courses

Admission to diploma courses will be based on any of the following minimum qualifications:

- KCSE mean grade C.
- KCSE mean grade C- or equivalent plus a Certificate (*Certificates must be from institutions recognized by the University of Nairobi Senate*)
- 'O' level qualification with a minimum Division III or equivalent.
- 'A' level qualification with a minimum of two subsidiary passes or equivalent.

### ii) Degree Programmes

Admission to Bachelor's degree programmes will be based on any one of the following minimum qualifications:

- KCSE mean grade C+
- KCSE mean grade C plain and a Diploma
- KCSE mean grade C- plus a Certificate and Diploma
- 'O' Level Division II or equivalent plus a Diploma
- 'O' Level Division III or equivalent plus a Certificate and Diploma
- 'O' Level Division III or equivalent, plus a three-year Diploma from a post-secondary institution
- 'A' Level with two principal passes or equivalent in relevant subjects. Only applicants whose results are available at the time of application will be considered.
- CPAII/CPSII/CIPS or equivalent for Bachelor of Commerce and Bachelor of Arts, and with minimum KCSE mean grade C or 'O' level Division III
- P1 from a two-year post-secondary training institution for entry into Bachelor of Education with minimum KCSE mean Grade C or 'O' Level Division III.
- Higher National Diploma in relevant fields and should have attained KCSE mean grade C
- A degree from a recognized university

Kindly note that Certificates, Diplomas or equivalent qualifications listed above should be from institutions recognized by the University of Nairobi Senate.

## 1. FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE

- Bachelor of Science in Agriculture
- Bachelor of Science in Management of Agro ecosystems and Environment
- Bachelor of Science in Food Science and Technology
- Bachelor of Science in Food, Nutrition and Dietetics
- Bachelor of Science in Range Management
- Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness Management
- Bachelor of Agricultural Education and Extension
- Bachelor of Science in Horticulture
- Bachelor of Science in Dry Land Economics and Agro-Ecosystem Management

### Minimum Admission Requirements for Degree courses:

1. KCSE mean grade C+ with grade C in Biology and any of the following subjects: Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Agriculture or Geography.
2. Advanced Level Certificate: Two principal passes in Biology and Chemistry; and at least a subsidiary pass in Mathematics or a credit pass in Mathematics or Physics at 'O' level.
3. Relevant Ordinary Diploma from a recognized Agricultural or Veterinary college with a credit.
4. A relevant Higher National Diploma from a recognized post-secondary institution.

Mode of learning: Full time

Fees Structure for All the Programmes in the Faculty of Agriculture; Bachelor of Science – Agriculture, B.Sc. Agricultural Education and Extension, B.Sc. Management of Agro Ecosystems and Environment, B.Sc. Horticulture, B.Sc. Range Management, B.Sc. Food Nutrition and Dietetics, B.Sc. Food Science and Technology, B.Sc. Agribusiness Management and B.Sc. Dryland Economics and Agro-Ecosystem Management.

Annual fees

Ksh.324,000

The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.

**For more information contact: Dean Faculty of Agriculture, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; Tel: 020 491 6003; E-mail: [dean-fagri@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-fagri@uonbi.ac.ke)**

## 2. FACULTY OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

- **Bachelor of Arts**
- **Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Media Studies** (Options in Public Relations, Print Journalism, Broadcast Journalism, Development Communication)
- **Bachelor of Information Science**
- **Bachelor of Arts in Gender and Development Studies**
- **Bachelor of Arts in Anthropology**
- **Bachelor of Economics**
- **Bachelor of Economics and Statistics**
- **Bachelor of Arts in International Studies**

### Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of Arts in Journalism and Media Studies and Bachelor Arts in Broadcast Production

1. KCSE (mean grade of C+) and a C+ in English or Kiswahili.
2. EACE or KCE Division II or KCSE with Mean grade of C (plain) plus a Diploma or C- and a certificate and diploma from a recognized institution, and must have a minimum of C+ English or Kiswahili.
3. Advanced level certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two principal passes and 1 subsidiary pass or equivalent.
4. And any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Fee Structure for BA-Journalism	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 240,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

### Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of Arts (B.A.), Bachelor of Information Science and B.A. in Gender and Development Studies and B.A. in Anthropology

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ or its equivalent.
2. KCSE mean grade of C plain, plus Diploma from a recognized institution.
3. KCSE mean grade of C- plus certificate and Diploma from a recognized institution.
4. 'O' level Division III, EACE or KCE and a Diploma from a recognized institution.
5. Advanced Level Certificate EAACE/KACE with at least two Principal passes.



- **Bachelor of Arts:**

A student pursuing the Bachelor of Arts degree must register in any three (3) of the following programmes in the first two years of study:

**Bachelor of Arts options:**

Arabic, Swahili, Archeology, Language and Communication, Economics, French Studies, Geography and Environmental Studies, German, Chinese, Armed Conflict and Peace Studies, Political Science, Public Administration, History, Linguistics, Literature, Mathematics, Philosophy, Psychology (Counseling), Religion Studies, Social Work, Sociology , Tourism, Korean Studies, Criminology and Criminal Justice and Performing Arts.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Arts	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 144,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

*For more information contact: Dean Faculty of Arts, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; E-mail: [dean-arts@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-arts@uonbi.ac.ke)*

- **Bachelor of Economics**

**Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of Economics and Bachelor of Economics and Statistics**

KCSE mean grade of C+ or equivalent with minimum grade C+ in Mathematics.

KCE Div. II with a Credit Pass in Mathematics or KCSE C, grade C+ in Mathematics and Diploma.

KACE or EAACE certificate with two principal passes or equivalent.

And any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

**Mode of learning:** Part time from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm on weekdays and from 8.00 am to 5.00 pm. on Saturdays.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Economics and Bachelor of Economics and Statistics	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh.216,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- **Bachelor of Arts in International Studies**

#### Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of International Studies

1. KCSE (Mean grade of C+); and a minimum grade C in English.
2. EACE/KCE Division II, or KCSE with Mean grade of C (plain) plus a Diploma, or C- and a certificate and diploma.
3. Advanced level certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two principals.

In each of the above, applicants must have a minimum of grade C in English

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Arts in International Studies	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 180,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

#### Diplomas under Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences

- Diploma in International Studies
- Diploma in Social Work and Social Development
- Diploma in Psychology
- Diploma in Criminology and Social Order
- Diploma in International Studies

#### Minimum Admission Requirements for Diploma in International Studies

1. KCSE Mean grade of C or equivalent with minimum C in English
2. KCE (Div. II) with a Pass in English or KCSE with a C- and a certificate
3. KACE with at least one principal pass or equivalent qualification.
4. And any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

**Mode of learning:** Part Time from 5:30 to 8:30 pm on Weekdays and from 8 am to 5pm Saturdays

#### Minimum Admission Requirements for Diplomas above.

1. KCSE Mean grade of C or equivalent
2. KCE (Div. II) or KCSE with a C- and a certificate
3. KCE/EACE Division III and any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions.

<b>Fee Structure for Diplomas in International Studies, Social Work and Social Development, Psychology, Criminology and Social Order.</b>
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<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 120,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

*For more information contact: Dean Faculty of Social Sciences, E-mail: [dean-fss@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-fss@uonbi.ac.ke)*

### **3. FACULTY OF THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT AND DESIGN**

- Bachelor of Arts in Design
- Bachelor of Interior Design
- Bachelor of Architectural Studies/Bachelor of Architecture
- Bachelor of Real Estate
- Bachelor of Arts in Planning
- Bachelor of Quantity Surveying
- Bachelor of Construction Management

#### **Bachelor of Arts in Design**

##### **Minimum Admission Requirements:**

1. KCSE mean grade C+ with a minimum of C+ in mathematics, English or Kiswahili , Biology or Physics or Chemistry and Any subject from Group III (Hist., Geo or CRE, Islamic or Hindu),or Group IV (Home Sc., Art & Design, Agriculture, Computer Tech., Aviation Technology) or Group V(French, German, Arabic, Music, Business Studies, ComputerStudies).
2. Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (KACE) or equivalent: holders of 2 Principal passes, one in Art, if Art is not one of the two principal passes, candidates must have obtained credit pass at KCSE or equivalent examination in Art.
3. Diploma holders of Kenya National Examination Council (KNEC) in Art, Design, Computer Aided Design or Design related Digital Technology or equivalent, with a credit pass at KCSE or equivalent examination in Art.
4. Degree from a recognized university and any other relevant field of Social Sciences and Engineering.

**Mode of learning:**Full time

<b>Fees Structure for Bachelor of Arts &amp; Design</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.240,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

## Bachelor of Interior Design

### Minimum Admission Requirements:

1. KCSE mean grade C+ with a minimum of C+ in Mathematics, English or Kiswahili, Biology or Physics or Chemistry and any subject from Cluster III (Hist. & Govt, Geo or CRE Islamic or Hindu) or Group IV (Home Sc., Art & Design, Woodwork, Metalwork, Building and Construction, Drawing and Design, Agriculture) or Cluster IV, (History and Government, Geography, CRE, Social Education and Ethics, French, German, Arabic, Music).
2. K.C.S.E. mean grade C- or equivalent plus a Certificate and Diploma in a relevant discipline from a recognized institution.
3. O-Level Division III or equivalent plus a Certificate and Diploma in a relevant discipline from a recognized institution.
4. K.C.S.E Mean grade C and a Diploma from University of Nairobi or any other recognized institution.
5. A-Level with two principal passes or IB or equivalent in relevant subjects.
6. Degree from a recognized university.

Mode of learning: Full time

Fees Structure for Bachelor of Interior Design- structure	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.240,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

### Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of Architectural Studies, Real Estate, Planning, Quantity Surveying and Construction Management

1. KCSE mean grade C+ or its equivalent with a minimum of C+ in the following cluster subjects:
  - B. Architectural Studies/B. Architecture: English or Kiswahili, Mathematics, Physics or Chemistry or Biology or and Art & Design or Drawing & Design or Building Construction or Music or Economics or Geography or Social Ed.& Ethics or History.
  - B. Real Estate/B.A. Planning: C+ in each of the following four subject clusters: Mathematics, English or Kiswahili, Physics or Chemistry or Biology or Account or Business Studies or Geography or History or Agriculture or Building Construction.

- B.A. Quantity Surveying/B. Construction: C+ in the following cluster subjects: English/Kiswahili, Mathematics, Physics, Geography or Chemistry or Biology or Accounts or Business Studies or Building Construction or Drawing or Art and Design.
2. KACE (A LEVEL) Applicants or Equivalent: Two Principal Passes with a minimum principal 'D' pass in either Mathematics or Physics and in any one of the following subjects: Economics, Geography and Chemistry and a credit pass in the English at KCE level or equivalent.
  3. Diploma Holders: a minimum KCE Division II or mean grade C in KCSE in addition to a credit pass or equivalent of the KNEC Diploma or its equivalent in: Building Construction, Architectural Studies, Civil Engineering and Applied Sciences.
  4. Degree Holder: A holder of a University degree or its equivalent from a recognized university in the following areas: Architecture, Engineering, Design, Economics, Commerce, Land Economics, Planning or any other relevant equivalent..

Mode of learning: Full time

Fee Structure: Bachelor of Architecture Part (1)	
Annual fees	Ksh.360,000
Fee Structure Bachelor of Architecture Part (2)	
Annual fees	Ksh.432,000
Fee Structure of Real Estate, B. Arts (Planning) and Bachelor of Construction Management	
Annual fees	Ksh.360,000
Fee structure of Bachelor of Quantity Surveying	
Annual Fees	Ksh.360,000
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

For more information contact: Dean Faculty of The Built Environment and Design, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; E-mail: [dean-fbe@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-fbe@uonbi.ac.ke)

#### 4. FACULTY OF BUSINESS AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

(Offered in Nairobi, Mombasa and Kisumu Campuses)

- **Bachelor of Commerce (B. Com.)** Specialization Options: Finance, Accounting, Marketing, Insurance, Human Resource Management, Procurement and Supplies Chain Management, Business Information Systems and Operations Management.

- **Bachelor of Science Finance and Accounting**

**Minimum Admission Requirements:**

1. Holder of KCSE mean grade of C+ and minimum C in Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
2. Holder of a Diploma from a recognized institution and mean grade of Cat KCSE or ‘O’-Level Division III.
3. Holder of KCSE mean grade C- plus a Certificate and a Diploma from a recognized institution.
4. Holder of KACE certificate with a minimum of two principal passes and a minimum of a credit pass in mathematics at KCE.
5. Holder of CPA/CPS Part II or equivalent with minimum of KCSE mean grade of C or ‘O’-Level Division III.

**Mode of learning:** Full time from 8.00 am to 4.00 pm weekdays, part time, from 5:30 - 8:30 pm on weekdays and from 8.00 am to 5.00 pm on Saturdays.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Commerce and BSc. Finance & Accounting	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh.216,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- **Bachelor of Arts Project Planning and Management**

**Minimum Admission Requirements**

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ and a minimum of grade C in Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
2. KCSE mean grade C-minus, a certificate and a diploma from recognized Institutions.
3. KCSE mean grade C or ‘O’ level Div. III and a diploma from institutions recognized.
4. KACE/EAACE Certificate with at least 2 minimum Principal passes and credit (6) pass in mathematics at KCE/EACE.
5. KCE/EACE DIV III/Ordinary (GCE) or equivalent plus a Diploma from recognized institutions.
6. KACE/EAACE Certificate with 2 Principal passes plus a Diploma from recognized institutions.
7. International Baccalaureate Diploma or CPA/CPS Part II or equivalent qualification.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Project Planning and Management	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 240,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

## Diploma Courses:

### **Diploma in: Business Management, Public Relations, Human Resource Management, Purchasing and Supplies Management and Project Planning and Management.**

#### Minimum Requirements

1. KCSE Mean grade C with C- in Mathematics or Commerce or Accounting or Economics or Business Studies and C- in English or Kiswahili.
2. KCE Division III with a pass in Mathematics or Commerce or Accounting or Economics and a pass in English/Kiswahili.
3. KACE/EACE with one Principal pass and Subsidiary.
4. KCSE mean grade C- (minus) or KCE or EACE Division III with a professional certificate from a recognized Institution.
5. University Degree in any field.

**Mode of learning:** Full Time and Part Time: From 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm on Weekdays and from 8.00 am to 5.00 pm. on Saturdays.

<b>Fee Structure for Diplomas in: Business Management, Human Resource Management, Purchasing and Supplies Management.</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 144,000</b>
<b>Fee Structure for Diplomas in: Public Relations and Project Planning and Management</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 156,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

**For more information contact: Dean Faculty of Business and Management Science, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; E-mail: [dean-business@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-business@uonbi.ac.ke)**

## **5. FACULTY OF EDUCATION**

- Bachelor of Education **Minimum Admission for Bachelor of Education**

1. KCSE mean grade of C+, or equivalent.
2. KACE 2 principal passes or equivalent.
3. Professional qualifications such as Diploma in Education, Diplomain Early Childhood. Teachers Certificate (SI) or their equivalents from recognized institutions.
4. A trained primary school teacher of PI grade and minimum KCSE Mean grade of C.
5. A degree from a recognized university.

6. Applicants for B.Ed Science and B.Ed ICT should in addition to the minimum admission criteria have a minimum grade C+ in at least 2 Science subjects.
7. Diploma in ECE with P1 certificate should have attained a mean grade of C- (Minus) or equivalent qualification at KCSE level.
8. Any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

<b>Fee Structure for Bachelor of Education (Arts)</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 216,000</b>
<b>Fees: Structure for Bachelor of Education (Science)</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 288,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

**For more information contact: Dean Faculty Education, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; E-mail: [dean-fed@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-fed@uonbi.ac.ke)**

## 6. FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

- Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Electrical Electronic Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Geospatial Engineering
- Bachelor of Science in Biosystems Engineering

### Minimum Admission Requirements:

1. KCSE mean grade C+ with C+ passes in the following cluster subjects: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and Biology or any subjects from Group III, IV and V.
2. Advanced Level Certificate: Two principal passes in Mathematics and Physics with a subsidiary pass in Chemistry. For B.Sc. in Geospatial Engineering, a subsidiary pass in Geography is acceptable in lieu of Chemistry.
3. Higher National Diploma /Ordinary Diploma from a recognized institution with passes in relevant subjects.
4. Technical/Science Diploma from a recognized institution with credit passes in Mathematics and Chemistry from a recognized institution.
5. B.Sc. or B.Ed (Science) from a recognized institution; or other appropriate technical qualification at degree level.



Mode of learning: Full time

Fee Structure for BSc. Civil Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Geospatial Engineering, Petroleum Engineering and Environment & Bio-systems Engineering	
Annual fees	Ksh.396,000
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

For more information contact: Dean Faculty of Engineering, Box 30197, 00100 Nairobi; E-mail: [dean-feng@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-feng@uonbi.ac.ke)

## 7. FACULTY OF LAW

- **Bachelor of Laws** (Offered at Parklands, Mombasa, and Kisumu Campuses)

Minimum Admission Requirements:

6. Applicants must satisfy the minimum University entry requirements
7. Subject to the above regulation, an applicant shall be eligible for admission if he/she meets any of the following minimum qualifications:
  - a) A degree in any field from a university recognized by Senate.
  - b) A Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education KACE or its equivalent from an institution recognized by Senate with at least two principal passes and a subsidiary pass in General Paper; and credit 4 in English at 'O' level.
  - c) KCSE certificate or its equivalent recognized by Senate with a mean grade of C+ and a minimum grade B plain English/Kiswahili at KCSE.
  - d) A relevant diploma with a credit pass from an institution recognized by Senate and a mean grade of C Plain and a minimum grade plain in English/Kiswahili at KCSE; the diploma should be of a minimum duration of 2 academic years.
  - e) A qualification equivalent to that in (a), (b), (c) or (d) as determined by Senate.

Mode of learning: Full Time 8.00 am to 4.00 pm on weekdays; Part Time from 5:30 pm to 8:30 pm Weekdays, 8.00 am to 5.00 pm. on Saturdays.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Laws	
Annual Fees	Ksh. 216,000
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

For more information contact: Dean, School of Law, Tel: 020 491 9506/9516/9508: Email: [dean-law@uonbi.ac.ke](mailto:dean-law@uonbi.ac.ke).

## 8. FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES

- Bachelor of Dental Surgery
- Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB)
- Bachelor of Science in Human Anatomy
- Bachelor of Science in Medical Physiology
- Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science and Technology
- Bachelor of Pharmacy
- Bachelor of Science in Nursing
- Diploma in Renal Nursing

### Minimum Admission Requirements Bachelor of Dental Surgery:

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ with at least B in Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
2. Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two Principal passes in Biology and Chemistry and at least a subsidiary pass in Mathematics or Physics.
3. Diploma holders in Medical Sciences: A minimum KCE Division II or C+ in KCSE in addition to a Credit Pass in professional qualifications from a recognized Medical Training Institution.
4. Any Degree in Biological Sciences from a recognized university; or any other relevant qualification listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Mode of learning: Full Time

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Dental Surgery	
Annual Fees	Ksh. 576,000
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

- **Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB)**
- **Bachelor of Science in Human Anatomy**
- **Bachelor of Science in Medical Physiology**
- **Bachelor of Science in Medical Laboratory Science and Technology**

### Minimum Admission Requirements

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ with at least B in Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
2. Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two Principal passes in Biology and Chemistry and at least a subsidiary pass in Mathematics or Physics.
3. Diploma holders in Medical Sciences: A minimum KCE Division II or C+ in KCSE in addition to a Credit Pass in professional qualifications from a recognized Medical Training Institution.
4. Any Degree in Biological Sciences from a recognized university; or any other relevant qualification listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Mode of learning: Full time

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBChB)	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 600,000</b>
Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science Anatomy, Bachelor of Science Medical Physiology	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 450,000</b>
Fee Structure for: BSc. Medical Laboratory Science and Technology	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 324,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- **Bachelor of Pharmacy**

### Minimum Admission Requirements

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ with at least C+ in Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
2. Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two Principal passes in Biology and Chemistry and at least a subsidiary pass in Mathematics or Physics.
3. Diploma holders in Medical Sciences: A minimum KCE Division II or C+ in KCSE in addition to a Credit Pass in professional qualifications from a recognized Medical Training Institution.
4. Any Degree in Biological Sciences from a recognized university; or any other relevant qualification listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science Pharmacy	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 450,000</b>
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

- **Bachelor of Science in Nursing**

**Minimum Admission Requirements:**

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ and a minimum grade C+ or equivalent in Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics, and English or Kiswahili.
2. Holders of Diploma of Kenya Registered Nurse or Kenya Registered Community Nurse with K.C.S.E. mean grade of C Plain or its equivalent and pass in English.

**Mode of learning:** Full Time

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science in Nursing	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 324,000</b>
The University does NOT discriminate fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

- **Diploma in Renal Nursing**

**Minimum Admission requirements**

The candidate must be registered by a professional body of Nursing.

1. Holders of Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing from the University of Nairobi or an equivalent qualification approved by the University of Nairobi Senate. The applicants should be eligible for registration by a professional body of Nursing; and must have attained at least C plain in KCSE or equivalent.

**Mode of learning:** Distance Learning

Fee Structure for Diploma in Renal Nursing	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 216,000</b>
The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.	

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## 9.FACULTY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

- Bachelor of Science in Biology
- Bachelor of Science in Environmental Conservation and Natural Resource Management
- Bachelor of Science in Microbiology and Biotechnology
- Bachelor of Science in Analytical Chemistry
- Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry
- Bachelor of Science in Meteorology
- Bachelor of Science in Microprocessor Technology and Instrumentation
- Bachelor of Science in Geology
- Bachelor of Sciences
- Bachelor of Science in Astronomy and Astrophysics
- Bachelor of Science in Chemistry
- Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Science
- Bachelor of Science in Mathematics
- Bachelor of Science in Statistics
- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
- Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry

[Minimum Admission Requirements for Bachelor of Science in Biology, Environmental Conservation and Natural Resources Management and Bachelor of Microbiology and Biotechnology:](#)

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ or its equivalent with minimum grade C+ in Biology or Biological Sciences and C plain in two Science subjects (Geography or Mathematics or Physics or Chemistry or Physical Sciences).
2. Advanced Level Certificate (EACE or KACE) with two principal passes.
3. Higher National Diploma or equivalent qualifications in science subjects with a credit pass.
4. Science/Technology Diploma from Teachers Training Colleges or equivalent qualifications, in sciences with a credit pass.

- A Degree from a recognized university; or any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

**Mode of learning:** Full Time and Open and Distance Learning

<b>Fee Structure for BSc. Biology</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.264,000</b>
<b>Fee Structure for BSc. Microbiology and Biotechnology</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.288,000</b>
<b>Fee Structure for BSc. Environmental Conservation &amp; Natural Resource Management</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.324,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- Bachelor of Science in Analytical Chemistry**
- Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry**
- Bachelor of Science in Meteorology**
- Bachelor of Science in Microprocessor Technology and Instrumentation**
- Bachelor of Science in Geology**
- Bachelor of Sciences**
- Bachelor of Science in Astronomy and Astrophysics**
- Bachelor of Science in Chemistry**

**Minimum Admission Requirements:**

- KCSE mean grade of C+ or its equivalent qualifications in three sciences subjects: Mathematics, Chemistry, Physics and Geography or Biology.
- Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two principal passes, and pass in Science subjects.
- Holders of Diploma Education(Science), Computer Studies, Information Technology and Engineering related fields, Applied Sciences.
- A Degree from a recognized university.

**Alternative Minimum Admission Requirements for B.Sc. Meteorology:**

- World Meteorological Organization (WMO) Class III Certificate (Distinction Pass).
- WMO Class II Certificate (Pass).

3. Holders of Dip. Ed. (Science) Pass, or equivalent with minimum C+ in Mathematics and Physics.
4. Any other relevant criteria listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Mode of learning: Full Time

Fee Structure for BSc. Industrial, BSc. Analytical Chemistry, BSc. Microprocessor Technology, BSc. Meteorology, BSc. Astrology/Astrophysics, BSc. Geology and BSc. Chemistry	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.288,000</b>
Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.264,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- **Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Science**
- **Bachelor of Science in Mathematics**
- **Bachelor of Science in Statistics**

Minimum Admission Requirements:

1. KCSE mean grade C+ or its equivalent and B in Mathematics for B.Sc. Statistics and B.Sc. Mathematics.
2. B.Sc. Actuarial Science mean grade B+ and B+ in Mathematics.
3. A-level: 2 Principal passes in Mathematics or Physics, Mathematics or Chemistry, Mathematics or Geo, Mathematics or Econ.
4. Higher National Diploma in Science Courses, Education (Science), Computer Studies, Statistics or Applied Sciences.
5. A Degree in a mathematical subject from a recognized university.

Mode of learning: Full Time

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science in Actuarial Science and Bachelor of Science in Statistics	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.288,000</b>
Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science in Mathematics	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh.264,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

- **Bachelor of Science in Computer Science**

Minimum Admission Requirements:

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ with minimum C+ in at least four cluster subjects: Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry or Biology or any Group III or Any group I or Group II or Group IV or Group V.
2. A holder Kenya Advanced Certificate of Education (KACE): Two principal passes one of which must be in Mathematics or Physics and a subsidiary pass with a credit pass in Physics at 'O' level.
3. Diploma in Computer Studies or equivalent with credit.
4. Higher Diploma in Computer Studies.
5. A degree from a recognized university.

**Mode of learning:** Full Time

Fee Structure for Bachelor of Science Computer Science	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh.360,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

*Mode of Study: This is a four year full-time programme. In addition successful completion of the first two years of the course leads to the award of a Diploma in Computer Science.*

- **Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry**

**Minimum Admission Requirements**

2. KCSE mean grade of C+ with at least B in Biology, Chemistry, Physics or Mathematics and English or Kiswahili.
3. Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two Principal passes in Biology and Chemistry and at least a subsidiary pass in Mathematics or Physics.
4. Diploma holders in Medical Sciences: A minimum KCE Division II or C+ in KCSE in addition to a Credit Pass in professional qualifications from a recognized Medical Training Institution.
5. Any Degree in Biological Sciences from a recognized university; or any other relevant qualification listed in the General Admissions Criteria.

Fee Structure for: Bachelor of Science Biochemistry	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 288,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

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## 11. FACULTY OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

- Bachelor of Science in Fisheries and Aquaculture Management
- Bachelor of Science in Wildlife Management and Conservation
- Bachelor of Science in Veterinary Medicine
- Bachelor of Science in Leather Science and Technology

### Minimum Admission Requirements for Degree courses:

1. KCSE mean grade of C+ or its equivalent in addition a grade of at least C (plain) in Option A (Biology, Chemistry, and Mathematics or Physics or Geography or any Group IV subject) or Option B Mathematics or Geography or any Group IV subject).
2. Holders of a degree in a Biological Science from a recognized institution.
3. Advanced Level Certificate (EAACE or KACE) with two principal passes and at least a subsidiary pass one of which must be in Biology and the other in any science subject.
4. KCSE Mean grade of C- with an ordinary Diploma in Animal Health, Agriculture, or Medical Laboratory Technology from a recognized institution.

### Mode of learning: Full Time

<b>Fees Structure for Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine</b>	
<b>Annual Fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 468,000</b>
<b>Fees: Structure for B.Sc. Wildlife Management, B.Sc. Leather Science &amp; Technology and BSc. Fisheries &amp; Aquaculture Management</b>	
<b>Annual fees</b>	<b>Ksh. 324,000</b>
<b>The University does NOT discriminate Fees charged. International students shall pay the same as Kenyan Students except that such Fees are payable in US Dollars.</b>	

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## **12. SUMMARY OF DIPLOMAS ON OFFER**

## University of Nairobi

### List of Course Codes

<b>Course</b>	<b>Code</b>
Diploma in Renal Nursing	-H45
Diploma in Criminology & Social Order	- C120
Diploma in Social Work & Social Development	- C104
Diploma in Public Relations	- L137
Diploma in Human Resource Management	- L125
Diploma in International Studies	- R140
Diploma in Business Management	-L123
Diploma in Purchasing and Supplies Management	- L126
Diploma in Project Planning and Management	- L147
Diploma in Psychology	-C136

### Degrees

BSc. Agriculture	- A22
BSc. Food Science & Technology	- A24
BSc. Range Management	- A25
BSc. Management of Agro ecosystems & Environment	- A26
Bachelor of Agricultural Education & Extension	- A83
BSc. Agribusiness Management	- A87
BSc. Food Science, Nutrition & Dietetics	- A90
BSc. Horticulture	-A85
BSc. Dryland Economics and Agro-Ecosystem Management	-A28
Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine	- J30
BSc. Leather Science and Technology	- J36
BSc. Fisheries and Aquaculture Management	- J49
BSc. Wildlife Management and Conservations	- J42
Bachelor of Architectural Studies	- B02
Bachelor of Architecture	- B02
Bachelor of Quantity Surveying	- B66
Bachelor of Real Estate	- B04

Bachelor of Arts Urban & Regional Planning	- B65
Bachelor of Construction Management	- B76
Bachelor Arts Planning	- B06
Bachelor of Arts in Design	- B05
Bachelor in Interior Design	- B321
Bachelor of Arts	- C01
Bachelor of Information Science	- C38
Bachelor of Commerce	- D33
Bachelor of Science Accounting and Finance	-D34
Bachelor of Education (Arts)	- E35
BSc. Civil Engineering	- F16
BSc. Electrical and Electronic Engineering	- F17
BSc. Mechanical Engineering	- F18
BSc. Geospatial Engineering	- F19
BSc. Environmental & Bio-Systems Engineering	- F21
Bachelor of Laws	- G34
BSc. Biochemistry	- H12
BSc. Medical Laboratory and Science and Technology	- H38
Bachelor of Medicine & Bachelor of Surgery	- H31
BSc. Anatomy	-H302
BSc. Medical Physiology	-H303
BSc. Nursing	- H32
BSc. Biology	- I11
BSc. Microbiology and Biotechnology	- I23
BSc. Environment Conservation & Natural Resource Management	- I41
BSc. Actuarial Science	- I107
BSc. Mathematics	- I09
BSc. Statistics	- I63
BSc. Industrial Chemistry	- I08
BSc. Meteorology	- I10
BSc. Geology	- I13
BSc. Analytical Chemistry	- I14

Bachelor of Science	- I20
BSc. Microprocessor Tech. & Instrumentation	- I39
BSc. Geology (Distance Learning)	- L13
BSc. in Astronomy & Astrophysics	- I44
Bachelor of Arts in Journalism & Media Studies	-K59
Bachelor of Project Planning and Management	- L46
Bachelor of Arts in Gender & Development Studies	- N12
Bachelor of Arts Anthropology	-N06
Bachelor of Pharmacy	- U29
BSc. Computer Science	- P15
Bachelor of Arts in International Studies	- R67
Bachelor of Dental Surgery	- V28
Bachelor of Economics	- X74
Bachelor of Economics & Statistics	- X75

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