

### **Afghanistan**

Baccalauria and completion of one year's full time study towards a degree from a tertiary institution

### **Albania**

Dëftesë pjekurie/ Shkollë e Mesme e Përgjithshme og gjimnaz.

Dëftesë pjekurie/ Shkollë Teknike

### **Algeria**

Baccalauréat/Diplôme de Bachelier de l'enseignement secondaire général

Baccalauréat/Diplôme de Bachelier de l'enseignement secondaire technique

### **Argentina**

Bachillerato/Bacillerato Especializado. Marked on a scale of 0-10 Titulo de Bachiller (con orientación ... )

Técnico (de nivel Médio) / Perito Mercantil (etc.)

### **Armenia**

Hasunutian vkaiakan (attestat) / Atestat midzinakarg krtoitjan / Mijnakarg yndhanur krtutyany attestat + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Mijin masnagitakan krtutyany diplom + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

### **Austria**

Reifeprüfung/Matura.

Reife- und Diplomprüfung.

Berufsreifeprüfung

### **Azerbaijan**

Orta Tahsil Haqqında Attestat / Orta mekteb attestati / Svidetel'stvo/o Srednem Obrazovanii

1999: + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1998: + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Bahrain**

Tawjahiya (Secondary School Leaving Certificate). Marking varies per subject; maximum and minimum grades per subject are shown on certificate

### **Bangladesh**

Higher Secondary School Certificate, HSC/Intermediate + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Belarus**

Atestat ab agul'naj sjarednjaj adukcii/Attestat o (Obschem) Srednem Obrazovanii

1999: Attestat + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1998: Attestat + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diplom o Srednem Spetsialnom Obrazovanii

1999: Diplom + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1998: Diplom + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

### **Belgium**

Diploma d'Aptitude a acceder a l'enseignement superieur/Getuigschrift van hoger secundair onderwijs

### **Bhutan**

Bhutan Higher Secondary Education Certificate (Class XII).

Indian School Certificate (ISC) from Council for the Indian School Certificate (CISCE)

### **Bolivia**

Diploma/Grado/Titulo de Bachiller en Humanidades

Diploma/Grado/Titulo de Bachiller Técnico (Medio, Perito, etc.)

### **Bosnia-Herzegovina (since 1990)**

Svjedocanstvo svjedozba o završenom obrazovanju (1985-) / Diploma o završenoj gimnaziji (1998-) / Svjedozba o maturi (1998-) / Diploma o položenom završnom ispitu (1996-) / Diploma o položenom ispitu (1993-) / Diploma o završenoj srednjoj skoli (1992-).

Vocational secondary education:

Svjedocanstvo svjedozba o završenom obrazovanju (1985-) / Svjedocanstvo o završenom obrazovanju - za zanimanje (1996-). / Diploma o završenoj srednjoj stručnoj skoli (1996-). / Diploma/technical

### **Brazil**

1996: Certificado de Ensino Médio

1995: Certificado de Conclusão (2o Grau) (Only when a 4th year is completed at Secondary level)

1996: Diploma de Técnico de Nivel Medio

1995: Diploma de Técnico (2o Grau) / Certificado de Auxiliar Técnico / Certificado de Habilitação Básico

### **Brunei**

A grade of 'E' or higher in 2 A-level and 3 O-level subjects including English in the Cambridge or University of London General Certificate of Education (GCE) Examination

### **Bulgaria**

Diploma za (Zavarsheno) Sredno Obrazovanie / Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie (from 1994: Svidetelstvo za zrelost or before 1974: Zrelostno Svidetelstvo).

Diploma za Sredno - Spetsialno Obrazovanie (12 years education) (within same study area).

Diploma za Sredno - Spetzialno Obrazovanie (11 years education) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies, (within same study area).

### **Burma (Myanmar)**

Matriculation and completion of one year full time study towards a degree from a recognised tertiary institution. Marking is on a percentage scale, minimum average of 45% is required to pass.

### **Burundi**

2000: Diplôme des Humanités Générales + Diplôme D'Etat + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1999: Certificat Homologué des Humanités Complètes +1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Cambodia**

Attestation de Fin d'Etudes Secondaire de l'Enseignement General/Diploma of Upper Secondary Education + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Completion of the Baccalaureate Part II. Marking scale of 1-20 (max) with 10 being the minimum pass mark

### **Cameroon**

Diplôme de Bachelier de l'Enseignement du Second Degré / Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire.

Cameroon GCE Ordinary Level Examinations (at least 4 subjects passed) + Cameroon GCE Advanced Level Examinations (at least 3 subjects passed).

Brevet de Technicien / Diplôme de Bachelier de Technicien (Admission only to same study field as in Cameroun).

### **Canada**

*Alberta General High School Diploma.* Marked on a percentage scale, with 50% being the minimum pass mark.

*British Columbia Senior Secondary Graduation Diploma.* Marked on a scale of AC, P,F,I, with 'P' being the minimum pass mark.

*Manitoba High School Graduation Diploma.* Marked on a scale of A+ -F, with 'D' being the minimum pass mark.

*New Brunswick High School Graduation Diploma.* Marked on a percentage scale, with 50% being the minimum pass mark.

*New Foundland High School Graduation Diploma.* Marked on a credit system. 36 credits including 21 core credits.

*Nova Scotia Higher School Completion Certificate.* Marked on a percentage scale, with 50% being the minimum pass mark.

*Ontario Ontario Secondary School Diploma.* Marked on a scale of A-D and P, with all grades being pass marks.

*Prince Edward Island High School Graduation Diploma.* Marked on a percentage scale, with 50% being the minimum pass mark

*Quebec Diploma of Collegial Studies.* Marked on a percentage scale, with 60% being the minimum pass mark.

*Saskatchewan Completion of Division IV Standing.* Marked on a credit system, with a minimum of 21 credits of which 5 are from Year 12.

### **Chile**

Licencia de Educacion Media (Secondary Education Matriculation Certificate) or Certificado de Bachillerato. Marked on a scale of 1 - 7 with 4 being the minimum pass mark.

### **China**

Certificate of Graduation from Upper Middle School + Chinese National University Entrance Examination (CNUEE)/Gao Kao

Certificate of Graduation from Upper Middle School + NAHEEE + 3 years of higher adult education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Colombia**

Bachillerato / Diploma de Bachiller

### **Congo, Democratic Republic (Zaire)**

Diplôme d'Etat d'Etudes Secondaires du Cycle Long + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Congo, Republic of (Brazzaville)**

Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement du Second Degré (Enseignement Général) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement du Second Degré - (Enseignement Technique) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Costa Rica**

Bachillerato. Marked on a scale 1-100, with 65 as the minimum pass mark

### **Croatia**

Maturalna svjedodzba / Svjedodzba o završenom srednjem obrazovanju / Svjedodzba o završenom ispitu-maturi.

Vocationa and musical specialisations:

Svjedodzba o završnom ispitu. / Svjedodzba o završenom srednjem obrazovanju / Svjedodzba o završenom ispitu-maturi.

### **Cuba**

Diploma de Bachiller en Ciencias y Letras/Título de Bachiller (nivel medio superior de la Education General Politecnica Laboral) - Certificado de Fin de Estudios Secundarias Técnico Medio/Maestro Primario, etc. (Certificado de Fin de Estudios Secundarias)

### **Cyprus**

2001: Apolytírion from Enaiou Lykeio.

1980 - 2001: Apolytírion from Lykeio Epilogis Mathimaton.

Apolytírion fra Technikí Scholí.

Lise Diplomas + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Lise Diplomas with an average grade of 4 (new grade system) or 8 (old grade system).

Teknik Lise Diplomas

Teknik Lise Diplomas with an average grade of 4 (new grade system) or 8 (old grade system).

### **Czech Republic**

Vysvedceni o maturitní zkousce / Maturitní zkouška / Maturita from gymnasium.

Vysvedčení o maturitní zkoušce / Maturitní zkouška / Maturita from Srední odborná skola.

Maturitní zkouška from Konzervator.

Maturitní zkouška from Strední odborné ucliste.

### **Denmark**

Studentereksamen/Hojere Forberedel Seseksamen/Hojere Handelseksamen of 0-13 (maximum), with 6 as the minimum pass mark.

### **Dominican Republic**

Certificación (Pruebas Nacionales de Conclusion de la Educación Media) / Diploma de Conclusión de la Educación Media / Diploma/Título de Bachiller en ... (Certificado Oficial de Suficiencia en los Estudios Secundarios) / Diploma /Título de Bachiller General

1998: Diploma/Título de Bachiller Tecnico / Perito

1997: Diploma/Título de Bachiller Tecnico / Perito + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Ecuador**

Bachillerato/Título de Bachiller en Arte/Ciencias / Bachillerato/Título de Bachiller Unico Integral

Bachillerato/Título de Baciller Tecnico

### **Egypt**

Thanawiya Amma (Certificate of General Secondary Education). Marked on a percentage scale, with a minimum of 50% as the pass mark.

### **El Salvadore**

Bachillerate Academic (High School Diploma). Marked on a scale of 1-10 (maximum), with 5 as the minimum pass mark

### **England, Wales and Northern Ireland**

General Certificate of Education (GCE): 2 A-levels and 3 O-levels (Before 1986). Grades A-E are passing grades. Since 1986 – passes in 2 GCE A-levels and 3 General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE) subjects

### **Estonia**

1998: Gümnaasiumi Lõputunnistus + Riigieksaminitunnistus (minimum 3 state examinations).

1997: Gümnaasiumi Lõputunnistus + Riigieksamenitunnistus (minimum 2 state examinations).

1995 - 1996: Gümnaasiumi Lõputunnistus.

1991- 1994: Keskkooli Lõputunnistus/Gümnaasiumi Lõputunnistus.

Lõputunnistus põhihariduse basil kutsekeskhariduse omandamise Kohta (before 1998 Lõputunnistus kutse- ja keskhariduse omandamise kohta) + Riigieksamenitunnistus.

Lõputunnistus keskhariduse baasil kutsekeskhariduse omandamise kohta (before 1998 Lõputunnistus keskerihariduse kohta) + Riigieksamenitunnistus

### **Ethiopia**

Ethiopian Higher Education Entrance Examination

Ethiopian School Leaving Certificate Examination

### **European Baccalaureate**

European Baccalaureate Certificate/Diplôme du Baccalauréat Europeen.

### **Fiji**

Form 7 Examination or Bursaries Examination Certificate of NZ. OR Completion of the Foundation Year at the Uni. of the South Pacific. Marked on a percentage scale, minimum pass is 50%.

### **Finland**

Ylioppilastutkintotodistus/studentexamensbetyg.

Tutkintotodistus/Ammatillinen perustutkinto (eksamensbevis/yrkesinriktat grundexamen) (admission to the same study areas as in Finland).

Tutkinto 3 vuotta lyhyemmistä ammattiopinnoista (betyg för studier inom yrkesutbildning som varat mindre än 3 år) / Tutkintotodistus/Näyttötutkintona suoritettu ammatillinen perustutkinto (eksamensbevis/yrkesinriktad grundexamen som avlagts som fristående examen) / Tutkintotodistus/Ammattitutkinto (yrkesexamen) (admission to the same study areas as in Finland).

Ammatillinen opistotasoinen tutkinto (yrkesexamen på institutnivå) / Ammatillisen korkeasteen todistus (examensbetyg/yrkesutbildning på högre nivå).

### **France**

Baccalauréat général.

Baccalauréat technologique.

Baccalauréat professionnel.

### **Gambia**

West African Senior School Certificate Examination (WASSCE) showing at least 5 subjects passed with C6 or better (English compulsory)

General Certificate of Education (O level)/School Certificate + General Certificate of Education (A level)/High School Certificate showing at least 5 subjects passed at O-level and 2 subjects passed at A-level (at least one grade D). (From 2010 at least 5 subjects passed at O-level and 3 subjects passed at A-level (at least one grade D).

### Georgia

Sashualo Skolis Atestati (Attestat o Srednem Obrazovanii):

1999: + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1998: + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

2007: Prophešiuł-Teknikuri Sastvavieblis Diplomi Danartit

Sashualo Specialuri Sastsavieblis Diplomi + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

### Germany

Zeugnis der Allgemeinen Hochschulreife (Abitur) / Zeugnis der Reife / Reifezeugnis

Zeugnis der Fachgebundene Hochschulreife and Zeugnis der Fachhochschulreife

(Admission only to same study field as in Germany).

### Ghana

Senior Secondary School Certificate Examination (SSSCE)

West African School Certificate (WASC/O level) + West African Higher School Certificate Examination (WAHSC/A level) showing at least 6 subjects passed at O-level and 2 to 3 subjects passed at A-level (at least one grade of D or better).

### Greece

Apolytirion of Lykeio (School Leaving Certificate). Marked on a scale of 1-20 with 10 as the minimum pass mark

Pthyxíon techniká kai epagelmatiká ekpedeftíria.

### Guatemala

Diploma de Bachiller en Ciencias y Letras + years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Bachillerato/Título de Tecnico Medio en ... (admission to the same study areas as in Guatemala) + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### Haiti

Certificat de Fin d'Etudes Secondaires Classiques (Première + Deuxième Partie)/Diplôme d'Etudes Secondaires (Première + Deuxième Partie) (système traditionnel).

Baccalauréat/Diplôme d'Enseignement Secondaire (système réformé) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### Honduras

Bachillerato/Título de Bachiller en Ciencias y Letras + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Título de Bachiller en ... / Título de Maestro en ... / Título de Perito ... / Título de Técnico Medio en ... (admission to the same study areas as in Honduras) + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

### Hong Kong

Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (HKCEE) + Hong Kong Advanced Level Examination (HKALE) showing at least three subjects passed at A-level or six passed at AS-level.

Hong Kong Certificate of Education Examination (HKCEE) + Hong Kong Advanced Supplementary Certificate (HKASC) showing at least six subjects passed at AS-level.

### **Hungary**

Gimnazium erettsegi bizonyitvany.

Szakközepiskola erettsegi bizonyitvany. / Szakközepiskola rettsegi-kepesito bizonyitvany.  
/ Technikus erettsegi-kepesito bizonyitvany.

Erettsegi/Matura. Marked on a 1-5 scale, with 2 as the minimum pass

### **Iceland**

Stúdentspróf.

Stúdentspróf af starfsnámsbrautum.

Raugreinadeildarpróf, Frumgreinadeild and Háskoleinkbrú etc. (admission to same type of education as in Iceland).

### **India**

All India Senior School Certificate – Standard/Level XII, OR first year standing from a tertiary institution following the Higher Secondary School Certificate OR two-year Pre-University course.

### **Indonesia**

Senior Academic High School Certificate (SMU/SMA -Level III), Senior Technical School Certificate (STM). Marked on a scale of 110, 5 being the minimum pass mark. Marks: 1-4 failure / 5-10 pass

### **International Baccalaureate**

International Baccalaureate Diploma

### **Iran**

3 years High School Diploma and Pre-University diploma / 4 years High School Diploma

### **Iraq**

Al-Edadiyah/Al-Idadiyah (Sixth form baccalaureat) / Certificate of Preparatory Studies

### **Ireland**

Leaving Certificate -Higher Level. Marked on a scale of A-F, with E being a pass. 5 subjects at Grades A-D.

### **Israel**

Bagrut. Marked on a scale of 1-10 (maximum), with 6 as the minimum pass mark.

### **Italy**

Diploma di Maturita Classica/Scientifica/Tecnica/Professionale Marked on a scale of 0-60 (maximum), with 36 the minimum pass mark.

### **Ivory Coast**

Diplôme de Bachelier de l'Enseignement du Second Degré/Baccalauréat.

Diplôme de Bachelier Technicien/Baccalauréat Technique.

### **Japan**



Kotagakko (Upper Secondary School Certificate). Marked on a scale of A-F or 1-5 (maximum), with F and 5 considered a fail OR High School Certificate (Grade 12).

#### **Jordan**

Tawjihi + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

#### **Kazakhstan**

Orta bilim turaly attestat/Attestat o (obschem) Srednem Obrazovanii:

2003: + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

2002: + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diplom o Srednem Spetsialnom Obrazovanii :

2003: + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

2002: + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

#### **Kenya**

Kenya or East African Advanced Certificate of Education (up to 1988). OR Kenyan Certificate of Secondary Education – passes in 6 of 8 subjects taken.

#### **Kuwait**

(Shahadat-al-thanawia-al-a'ama)General Secondary School Certificate. Marked on a percentage scale with 50% being the minimum pass mark.

#### **Latvia**

2001: Atestāts par visparejo vidējo izglītību.

2001: Atestāts par vidējo izglītību

2000: Diploms par profesionalo videjo izglitību (2000 – (from reform1999)).

1991 to about 1999: Diploms par videjo arodizglītību (4 years) (since1993 with the text "Jegustot visparejo vidējo izglītību" on the certificate).

#### **Lebanon**

Baccalaureate. Usually marked on a scale of 1-20 (10 min. pass) some use 0-100 (50 min. pass) or A-F (D min. pass).

#### **Libya**

General Secondary Certificate. Marked on a percentage scale, with 50% being the minimum pass mark.

#### **Liechtenstein**

Maturazeugnis (Type B or E).

#### **Lithuania**

Brandos Atestatas (Maturita-certificate) (2 years general education).

Brandos Atestatas (Maturita certificate) (3 years combined vocational and general education).

#### **Luxembourg**

Diplôme/Certificat de Fin d'Etudes Secondaires

Diplôme/Certificat de Fin d'Etudes Secondaires Techniques

Diplôme de Technicien (admission to the same type of education as in Luxembourg).

### **Macedonia (former Yugoslav Republic of)**

Diploma za položen završen ispit (gimnazia)

Diplome per dhenien e provimit te pjekurise

Svidetelstvo za zavrsheno sredno obrazovanie .

Vocational/general (strucna/profesionale):

Diploma za položen završen ispit (strucna) / Diplome per dhenien e provimit te pjekurise (profesionale)

Svidetelstvo za položen završen ispit vo uciliste za sredno obrazovanie.

Svidetelstvo za stepen na strucna podgotovka / Dëftëse per fazen e pergatitjes profesionale.

### **Malaysia**

Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM/Certificate of Education) + Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (STPM/Malaysia Higher School Certificate) showing at least 4 subjects passed (English and Mathematics compulsory).

Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM/Certificate of Education) + Matriculation Certificate (Matrikulasi) with Grade Point Average of at least 2.0 or better.

### **Malta**

General Certificate of Education -Advanced Level. Require a minimum of 2 A-levels & 3 O-levels. Marked on A-F scale, F being a fail.

Matriculation Certificate.

### **Mauritius**

General Certificate of Education -Advanced Level. Require a minimum of 2 A-levels & 3 O-levels. Marked on A-F scale, F being a fail.

### **Mexico**

Certificado de Bachillerato General/Unico

Certificado de Bachillerato Tecnológico

Bachillerato en Ciencias/Humanidades. Marked on a percentage scale, with 60% as the pass mark.

### **Moldova**

Diploma de absolvire a invatamintului mediu general / Atestat de studii medii de cultura generala / Atestat de maturitate + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies (diploma with silver- or goldmedal can be accepted)

Diploma de bacalaureat

### **Mongolia**

1992: Dund bolovsrolyn ünemlech gerchilgee + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1991: Buren dund bolovsrolyn ünemlech gerchilgee + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Morocco**

Baccalauréat / Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire

### **Mozambique**

Certificado de Habilitações Literarias

### **Namibia**

IGSCE: At least 6 passed subjects and at least 25 points in the 6 passed subjects + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies give access to short- and medium-cycle higher education programmes.

IGSCE: at least 6 subjects and at least 25 points in the 5 best passed subjects + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

HIGSCE (higher and ordinary level): at least 6 subjects including at least 5 subjects at higher level passed with at least the grade 3 corresponding to 40 points and no more than 1 subject passed at ordinary level with at least the grade B corresponding to 6 points (in total at least 46 points). If passed with less than 46 points (but minimum 30 points) access might be granted with + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (NSSC ordinary level): at least 6 passed subjects and at least 25 points in the 6 passed subjects + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies give access to short- and medium-cycle higher education programmes.

Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (NSSC ordinary level): at least 6 subjects and at least 25 points in the 5 best passed subjects + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Higher Namibia Senior Secondary Certificate (NSSC higher and ordinary level): at least 6 subjects including at least 5 subjects at higher level passed with at least the grade 3 corresponding to 40 points and no more than 1 subject passed at ordinary level with at least the grade B corresponding to 6 points (in total at least 46 points). If passed with less than 46 points (but minimum 30 points) access might be granted with + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Nepal**

School Leaving Certificate + Higher Secondary Certificate

School Leaving Certificate + Proficiency Certificate

### **Netherlands**

Vorbereidend Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs (VWO)

Hoger Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs (HAVO) + Propaedeutische Diplom/Verklaring

Diploma Middelbaar Beroepsonderwijs (MBO), level 4 and Middenkaderopleiding

(Admission only to same study field as in the Netherlands.)

### **New Zealand**

Higher School Certificate (Form 7) OR University Bursaries OR National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) Level 3.

### **Nicaragua**

Bachillerato en Ciencias y Letras. Only awarded if student has passed.

### **Nigeria**

West African GCE: 2 A-levels and 3 O-levels (Passing grades are AE for A-levels, and 1-8 for O-levels) – up to 1989. OR Senior School Certificate (since 1989)

Nigerian Certificate of Education combined with University Board Matriculation Examination (UME)

### **Norway**

Examen Atrium/Vitnemal: Den Videregaende Skole. Marked on a scale of 0 -6 (maximum), with 2 as the minimum pass mark

### **Pakistan**

Higher Secondary School Certificate (HSSC) / Higher Secondary Certificate (HSC) / Intermediate Examination / Intermediate Certificate / Diploma of Faculty of Arts/Science (FA/FSc) / Certificate/Diploma/Intermediate in Commerce.

### **Papua New Guinea**

PNG Higher School Certificate. Marking scale stated on certificate

### **Paraguay**

Bachillerato Certificate. Marked on a scale of 1-5 (max) or 0-10 (max) with 2 and 3 being pass marks

### **Peru**

Certificado Oficial de Estudios / Certificado de Educación Secundaria Común Completa (quinto) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diploma de Aptitud Profesional / Bachillerato Profesional + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies (Admission only to same study field as in Peru).

### **Philippines**

High School Diploma (kurso sa sekundaya) + 2 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Poland**

Swiadectwo Dojrzalosci/Matura (from Liceum ogólnokształcące - general)

Swiadectwo Dojrzalosci/Matura (from Liceum Profilowane)

Swiadectwo Dojrzalosci/Matura (from Liceum techniczne)

Swiadectwo Dojrzalosci/Matura (from Liceum zawodowe) (Admission only to same study field as in Poland)

### **Portugal**

2007: Diploma de estudos secundários / Certificado de Fim de Estudos Secundários / Diploma de Ensino Secundário from Cursos científico-humanísticos and from Cursos tecnológicos do ensino secundário.

2006: Diploma of estudos secundários / Certificado de Fim de Estudos Secundários / Diploma de Ensino Secundário from Cursos gerais do ensino secundário and from Cursos tecnológicos do ensino secundário.

Diploma of estudos secundários / Certificado de Fim de Estudos Secundários / Diploma de Ensino Secundário from Cursos profissionais.

### **Romania**

Diploma de Bacalaureat (Liceul teoretic).

Diploma de Bacalaureat (Liceul de Specialitate).

### **Russian Federation**

Attestat o Srednem Obrazovanii or Attestat o Srednem (Polnom) Obshchem Obrazovanii:

1999: Attestat + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

A higher educational institution might within the institution's discretion admit candidates with 11 years of studies when the grade is at least 4 in all subjects + global average of 4,5)

1998: Attestat + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diplom Srednee Professionalnoe Obrazovanie:

1999: Diplom (9 + 3 years) te.

1998: Diplom (8 + 3 years) + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies or Diplom (8 + 4 years)

### **Rwanda**

1998: Certificat du Cycle Supérieur de l'Enseignement Secondaire/ Advanced General Certificate of Secondary Education + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1994-1997: Diplôme d'Humanités Générales + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1986-1993: Diplôme de Fin d'Etudes Secondaires + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1985: Diplôme/Certificat d'Humanités Générales + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diplôme/Certificat d'Humanités Techniques / Diplôme d'Etudes Secondaires

Professionnelles A2 / Professional Certificate of Secondary Education Level A2 + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **Samoa (American)**

High School Diploma.

### **Saudi Arabia**

General Secondary Education Certificate. Marked on a percentage scale with 50% being the minimum pass mark

### **Scotland**

Scottish Certificate of Education (SCE). Marked on a scale of A-F, F being a fail. Three subjects passed in the Higher Grade

### **Senegal**

1996: Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire (Série L and S).

1995: Diplôme de Bachelier de l'Enseignement du Second Degré (Série A, B, C, D and E).

Vocational + academic:

1996: Baccalauréat de l'Enseignement Secondaire (Série T and G) (Admission only to same study field as in Senegal).

1995: Diplôme de Bachelier de Technicien (section F and G) (Cursos científico-humanísticos).

### **Sierra Leone**

Senior School Certificate Examination + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

General Certificate of Education with 5 subjects passed at O-level and 3 subjects passed at A-level.

### **Singapore**

Singapore/Cambridge GCE Advanced Level Certificate with grade 'E' or higher in 2 Advanced Level subjects and 3 Ordinary Level subjects. OR Completion of a Technician Diploma/Certificate from a Polytechnic

### **Slovakia**

Vysvedčenie o Maturitnej skúške/ Maturitná skúška /Maturita z gymnázia.

Vysvedčenie o Maturitnej skúške/Maturitná skúška /Maturita zo Strednej odborného učilišťa.

Maturitná skúška z Konzervatória.

Maturitná skúška zo Stredného odborného učilišťa.

### **Slovenia**

Maturitetno spricevalo (Matura).

Poklicna matura + maturitetni tecaj.

### **Somalia**

Shahaadada Dugsiga Dare (Secondary School Leaving Certificate) + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **South Africa**

Senior certificate showing at least 5 Higher Grade Subjects passed

Senior certificate showing less than 5 Higher Grade Subjects passed + endorsement + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### **South Korea**

Ilbankye Kodung Hakkyo (Academic High School Diploma/Graduation Certificate).

### **Spain**

Título de Bachiller/Bachillerato (Baccalaureate).

Bachillerato Unificado y Polivalente (BUP) + Curso de Orientación Universitaria (COU).

### **Sri Lanka**

General Certificate of Education (GCE) -Advanced Level Certificate with passing grades in 3 Advanced Level Subjects.

#### **Sudan**

Sudan School Certificate / Higher Secondary School Certificate / The Secondary School Certificate + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

#### **Sweden**

Slutbetyg from Gymnasieskolan.

Avgångsbetyg from Gymnasieskolan.

Slutbetyg from Komvux

Intyg för behörighet högskolestudier (grundläggande/särskild behörighet)/Folkhögskolan (1995-).

Intyg om allmän/särskild behörighet)/Folkhögskolan (-1994).

#### **Switzerland**

Eidgenössisch Anerkanntes Maturitätszeugnisse and Maturitätszeugnis ausgestellt von eidgenössisch anerkannten Schulen:

Kantonale Maturitätszeugnisse (all those that give access to all higher education institutions in Switzerland).

1994: Eidgenössisches Berufsmaturitätszeugnis / Certificat fédéral de maturité professionnelle / Attestato federale di maturità professionale (Admission only to same study field as in Switzerland)

1999/2000 : Maturitätszeugnis (MAR) / Certificat de Maturité (RRM) / Attestato di Maturità.

1998/1999: Maturitätszeugnis (MAV) / Certificat de Maturité / Attestato di Maturità.

#### **Syria**

Al Shahada Al Thanawiya / Baccalauréat + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

#### **Taiwan**

Senior High School Leaving Certificate

#### **Tanzania**

National Form IV Examination Certificate / General Certificate of Secondary Education (GSE) (O level) (showing at least 5 subjects passed) + National Form VI Examination Certificate / Advanced Certificate of Secondary Education (ACSE) (A level) showing at least 2 Principal passes/levels and 1 Subsidiary pass/level. (Mathematics and English are compulsory.)

#### **Thailand**

1984: Matayom VI (M6) / Maw 6 + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1983: Matayom suksa V + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

#### **Tonga**

Tonga National Form Seven Certificate + Pacific Senior Certificate.

## Tunisia

Baccalauréat de l'enseignement secondaire.

Baccalauréat de l'enseignement professionnel (Bac Pro) (2008).

## Turkey

Lise Diplomasi (8+4 years) accomplished 2010 + ÖSS (The student Selection Examination)/185.000 gives access to university studies, + ÖSS (The student Selection Examination)/160.000 gives access to short and medium cycle higher education

Lise Diplomasi (8+4 years) accomplished in 2009

Lise Diplomasi (8+3 years) accomplished until 2008 + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

A higher educational institution might within the institution's discretion admit candidates with an average grade of 4 (new grade system) or 8 (old grade system).

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Teknik Lise Diplomasi (8+4 years) accomplished in 2009

Meslek Lise Diplomasi (8+4 years) accomplished until 2008 + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

A higher educational institution might within the institution's discretion admit candidates with an average grade of 4 (new grade system) or 8 (old grade system).

## Uganda

6 subjects in Uganda Certificate of Education (UCE) with the minimum grade 8 + principal subjects with the minimum grade E + General Paper in Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education (UACE)

Ordinary Diploma

National Diploma

## Ukraine

Atestat pro povnu zagal'nu srednju osvitu (Russian: Attestat o Srednem (Polnom) Obshchem Obrazovanii):



1999: + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies. A higher educational institution might within the institution's discretion admit candidates with an 11 year education with a minimum of 4 (8) in all subjects and an average of at least 4,5 (9).

1992 -1998: + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

1992: Attestat o Srednem Obrazovanii + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Diplom molodshogo spetsialista

### Uruguay

Bachillerato Certificate. Marked on a scale of 1-6 (max), with 3 as the minimum pass mark.

### USA

Completion of Grade 12 at an American High School and award of a High School Graduation Diploma. Must have completed two semesters in at least four subjects one of which must be an English derivative which have a clear relationship to courses offered by the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority at Year 12 level. Grades A-D are passing grades

### Uzbekistan

Attestat o srednem obrazovanii / O'rta ma'lumot to'g'risida shahodatnoma

1998: + 1 years of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### Venezuela

Bachillerato/Titulo de Bachiller + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Bachillerato/Titulo de Bachiller (agropecuario, comercial, industrial, mercantil, salud) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

Bachillerato/Titulo de Técnico Medio en ... + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies

### Vietnam

Bang Tu Tai Hai (baccalaureat II)/Bang Tot Nghiep Pho Thong Trung Hoc (certificate from secondary education), Giay Chung Nhan Pho Thong Trung Hoc (provisional certificate) + admissions exam (Ky Thi Dai Hoc/Ky Thi Tuyen Vao Dai Hoc) + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

### West Africa

West African GCE (A Level). 2 A's and 3 O's required with grades of A-C

### Yugoslavia (the former)

Matura (1945-1981 and 1989-1992) (Serbo-Croatia) Matura or zakljucni izpit (1945-1981 and 1989-1992) (Serbo-Croatia).

Svjedocansvo o zavrshom ispitu (1980') (Serbo-Croatia).

Svjedocanstvo o zavrshenom XXX obrazovanju (1945-1992) (Serbo-Croatia).

Diploma o zavrshenom srednjem obrazovanju (4 år) (1945-1992) (Serbo-Croatia).

Diploma o zavrshenom srednjem usmjerenom obrazovanju (1981-1990) (Serbo-Croatia).

Diploma o polozenom završnom ispitu (Serbia-Croatia).  
Diploma o završenom pozivnosmerenom obrazovanju i vaspitanju srednjeg stupnja (Serbian dialect).  
Spricevalo o zaključnom ispitu (Slovenian).  
Diploma o srednjem programu srednjeg usmerjenega izobrazevanju (Slovenian).  
Svidetelstvo za položen završen ispit vo uciliste za sredno obrazovanie (Macedonian).  
Svidetelstvo za završeno sredno obrazovanie (Macedonian).  
Vocational + general subjects, 4 years secondary education (level IV).  
Svjedocanstvo o završenom XX obrazovanju (eg. medicinska sestra-tehnicar) (1945-1992) (Serbo-Croatia).  
Diploma o završenom srednjem usmjerenom obrazovanju (1981-1990) (Serbo-Croatia).  
Diploma o strepenu strucne spreme – level IV (1981-1990) (Serbo-Croatia).  
Diploma o stecenom strepenu strucne spreme (Serbo-Croatia).  
Svidetelstvo za Stepen na strucna podgotovka (Macedonia).

**Yugoslavia, The Federal Republic of (1992-2003), Serbia-Montenegro (2003-2005), Serbia (2006-) Montenegro (2006-)**

Diploma o polozenom završnom ispitu / Diploma o Završenoj Srednjoj Školi / Diplom a o polozenom maturskom ispitu/diploma o stecenom srednem obrazovanju (Serbia).  
Diploma o Završenoj Srednjoj Školi / Svjedocanstvo o stecenom stepenu strucne spreme/diploma o polozenom maturskom ispitu/diplom mbi dhenien e provimit te matures (Montenegro).  
Diploma o stecenom pozivnosmerenom obrazovanju i vaspitanju srednjeg stupnja (Wojwodina).  
Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se mesme te pergjithshme – gjimnazin/Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se mesme te larte – gjimnazin (Kosovo).  
Vocational-general secondary education:  
Diploma o stepenu strucne spreme (4 years of study) (Serbia)  
Svjedocanstvo o stecenom stepenu strucne spreme/diploma o polozenom maturskom ispitu/diplom mbi dhenien e provimit te matures (4 years of study) (Montenegro)  
Diploma o stecenom pozivnosmerenom obrazovanju i vaspitanju srednjeg stupnja (4 years of study) (Wojwodina)  
Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se mesme profesionale/Diplome per kryerjen e shkolles se te larte - profesionale (4 years of studies) (Kosovo).

**Zambia**

Zambia School Certificate (with 6 subjects passed (English is compulsory) and a credit in a least 1 of the subjects or 5 subjects passed (English is compulsory) and a credit in a least 2 subjects + 1 year of higher education studies or equivalent supplementary studies.

**Zimbabwe**

Higher School Certificate (GCE 'A' level) which prepares students to enter universities in Zimbabwe and elsewhere or the polytechnics.