Sample Application Form for Students Applying with International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma

Selection page for Qualification

University Candidature Declaration
WELCOME!

Thank you for your interest in NUS undergraduate courses.
As you are on a secure site, and for security reasons, you will be automatically logged out if your session idles for more than 30 minutes.
For security reasons, please sign out of your browser and clear your cache after each session.
If you would like to provide a personal statement in the "Achievements" section, you are strongly encouraged to draft your write-up (maximum 2000 characters) using a text editor (such as Microsoft Word) and copy your final version into the section.
You should prepare soft copies of the relevant supporting documents to complete your application process.
The University will correspond with you via your provided email address regarding your submission.
You should check your email regularly including your spam or junk folder and you are also recommended to add our domain "nus.edu.sg" to your Approved Sender list.
If you have submitted an application, you can also enquire your application status at the Applicant Portal.
### Section 1.1 – Personal Details (Personal Particulars)

To fill in your personal details, please provide the following information:

- **Salutation**: 
- **Full Name**: 
- **Family Name/Surname**: 
- **Given Name**: 
- **Gender**: 
- **Date of Birth**: 
- **Citizenship**: 
- **Residential Status**: 
- **Race/Ethnic Group**: 
- **Religion**: 
- **Marital Status**: 
- **NBIC/FIN No.**: 
- **Passport No.**

Please note that marked fields are required. You can use the provided placeholders to fill in the details.

*Indicates required field*
Section 1.2 – Personal Details (National Service in Singapore)

National Service in Singapore

If you are not required to fulfill National Service obligation, select "Not Applicable".
If you are exempted from full-time National Service by relevant authority, select "Exempted".

- National Service Status?
- Enlistment Date
- ORD/Discharge Date
Section 1.3 – Personal Details (Alternative Contact)
Section 2.1 – Choice of Courses (NUS College)

The NUS College offers a rigorous and exciting inter-disciplinary honours common curriculum which complements the curriculum in your chosen major offered by the Colleges, Faculties and Schools of NUS. This immersive common curriculum includes enhanced opportunities for global experiences. It also provides ample resources for students to work on courses and innovative projects developed from their own ideas. Coupled with a vibrant residential life in a close-knit community with strong support for student development outside the classroom, the NUS College prepares you to shape the future with broad skills and confidence. Graduating students will earn degrees conferred by their respective College, Faculty or School, along with a certificate from NUS College. For more information about NUS College, please click here.

NUS College uses holistic admissions criteria to review and select applicants in order to craft a cohort of students who represent academic, co-curricular, cultural and personal diversity. Applicants should submit a variety of materials aimed at providing a cohesive profile so that the Admissions Committee can understand an applicant’s background, motivations, attributes and possible contributions to NUS College. By evaluating applicants holistically, and not solely by academic results, this will bring together students who will learn from each other and benefit from the unique offerings of the NUS College common curriculum, student life and international programmes.

Admission to NUS College grants students access to a majority of NUS majors without the restriction of subject prerequisites. Once admitted to NUS College, students may switch between most majors without further application process. For more details, please click here.

In choosing to be considered for NUS College, you will be required to answer additional questions, submit essays and a recommendation letter for NUS College’s holistic admission review.

Do you wish to be considered for NUS College*?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

Section 2.2 – Choice of Courses (Single Degree Courses)

CHOICE OF COURSES

SINGLE DEGREE COURSES

Indicate your choice(s) in order of preference. You may choose up to 5 choice(s).

- To be considered for Medicine and Dentistry, you must rank these courses as first or second choice.
- To be considered for Law, you must rank this course as first or second choice OR rank Law as third choice if you had selected Medicine and Dentistry as your first and second choices.
- To be considered for Nursing, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Industrial Design, you must rank these courses as first, second or third choice.

College of Humanities and Sciences (CHS) offers the following courses: Humanities and Sciences, Data Science and Economics, Environmental Studies, Food Science and Technology, Pharmaceutical Sciences and Philosophy, Politics and Economics. To be considered for the Common Admissions Humanities and Sciences course, you must rank Humanities and Sciences as one of your choices and indicate a preferred major. Please click here for more information.

College of Design and Engineering (CDE) offers the following courses: Architecture, Industrial Design, Landscape Architecture, Computer Engineering and Engineering. To be considered for the Common Admissions Engineering course, you must rank Engineering as one of your choices and indicate a preferred major. Please click here for more information.

* You are required to choose at least 1 Single Degree Course

Single Degree Course

YOUR COURSE CHOICES
Section 2.3 – Choice of Courses (Double Degree (DDP), Concurrent Degree (CDP), Double Major, Minor & Specialisation Programmes)

Section 2.4 – Choices of Courses (Special Programmes)

Note: Only applicable to applicants who have selected NUS Engineering or Computer Engineering courses.
Section 3.1 – Education (International Baccalaureate)
Section 3.2 – Education (Secondary Education)

Note: Only applicable to applicants who wish to use Additional Mathematics and/or Physics to fulfil subject prerequisites.

For applicants with Singapore-Cambridge GCE ‘O’ Level results

For applicants with Integrated Programme results
Section 3.3—Education (Other Education)

For applicants with Singapore-Cambridge GCE O-Level Higher Mother Tongue subject

This section is mandatory.
Did you take a Singapore-Cambridge GCE Mother Tongue subject?
- O-Level Higher Mother Tongue
- A-Level Mother Tongue
- No

Year | Subject | Level | Grade
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For applicants with Singapore-Cambridge GCE A-Level Mother Tongue subject

This section is mandatory.
Did you take a Singapore-Cambridge GCE Mother Tongue subject?
- O-Level Higher Mother Tongue
- A-Level Mother Tongue
- No

Year | Subject | Level | Grade
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### Section 3.3 – Education (Other Education)

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Section 4 – Achievement

Achievement

Applicants who wish to be considered under Ability Based Admissions (ABA) should provide details through the Personal Statement and by sharing your achievements using the ‘Add Achievement’ button.

Personal Statement

Enter some text

Remaining Characters: 2000
Adding Achievement

Activity*  
Level*

Position Held*  
Level of Achievement*

From*  
Name of Activity/Organization /Employer

To*

Reference Contact

First Name  
Email

Last Name  
Telephone

Position of Contact Person

* indicates required field
Section 5.1 – Other Information (Health and Support)

**HEALTH AND SUPPORT**

Do you have any past or current 1) medical, e.g. epilepsy, allergies, tuberculosis, 2) mental health, e.g. anxiety, eating disorder, depression, 3) disability or learning needs, e.g. autism, dyslexia, visual impairment, which may or may not cause you to require the support or facilities while studying at the University?

Students with colour-blindness are advised to indicate their condition here as they may face challenges in certain programmes in Engineering, Design & Environment and Science related majors.

- [ ] No
- [ ] Yes

*Note: Disclosure will not disadvantage your application. The information will enable the University to develop a better understanding of an applicant’s need for support / resources during his/ her studies in NUS, and to ascertain if provisions required are available, in an effort to make the student experience a positive one. As such, accurate information is vital for the University to make reasonable adjustments where possible to support specific needs.*
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Yes or No

Health and Support Condition

Enter some text

Remaining Characters: 500

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Enter some text

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Enter some text

Remaining Characters: 500

If you are taking any medication, please provide details of medication.

Enter some text

Remaining Characters: 500

If you have a drug or food allergy, please provide details of allergies and briefly describe your reaction.

Enter some text

Remaining Characters: 500

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Section 5.2 Other Information (Criminal / Disciplinary Offence Declaration)

**OTHER INFORMATION**

Have you ever been arrested, charged in court, put on probation or convicted of an offence by a court of law or a military court (court martial) in any country or jurisdiction, suspended or expelled from an educational institution or terminated from your employment for any reason, or are there any court or disciplinary proceedings pending against you in any country or jurisdiction?*

- No
- Yes

* Indicates required field.

You have selected Yes, please provide the details of the conviction.

Have you ever been arrested, charged in court, put on probation or convicted of an offence by a court of law or a military court (court martial) in any country or jurisdiction, suspended or expelled from an educational institution or terminated from your employment for any reason, or are there any court or disciplinary proceedings pending against you in any country or jurisdiction?*  

- No
- Yes

Please provide a full statement of the relevant information in the box below and/or a separate sheet of paper (and attach the relevant documents).

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Enter some text
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Remaining Characters: 500

* Indicates required field.
Section 5.3 – Other Information (Tuition Grant Declaration)

TUITION GRANT

For Singapore Citizen

All eligible Singapore Citizens are automatically awarded a Tier A Tuition Grant, which is the highest level of tuition fee subsidy. Please fill in the Tuition Grant Declaration Form as part of your university application.

For Permanent Residents

You may apply for a Tier B Tuition Grant, which will partially cover the costs of tertiary education. If you take up a Tier B Tuition Grant, you will be required to secure employment and serve in a Singapore entity for three years upon graduation. To apply, please fill in the Tuition Grant Application Form as part of your university application.

For International Students

There is a limited number of Tuition Grants available for International Students, and these are awarded on a competitive basis based on merit. You may apply for a Tier C Tuition Grant. If you take up a Tier C Tuition Grant, you will be required to secure employment and serve in a Singapore entity for three years upon graduation. If you wish to apply, please fill in the Tuition Grant Application Form as part of your university application.

Note to ALL:

(1) You are eligible for a Tuition Grant if you have not previously completed a course at an equal or higher level than the course you are applying for, for which you have previously received a subsidy or sponsorship from the Government of Singapore. You may find more details here. For further details on fees for all nationalities, please click here.

(2) Students offered admission to Medicine and Dentistry are required to serve a bond with the Singapore Ministry of Health after graduation. For Medicine, the bond duration is five years for Singapore Citizens and six years for Permanent Residents and International students. For Dentistry, the bond duration is four years for Singapore Citizens and five years for Permanent Residents and International students.

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TUITION GRANT

☐ I am a Singapore Citizen. (Please proceed to fill in the Tuition Grant Declaration Form)

☐ I am a Permanent Resident/International Student and I wish to apply for a Tuition Grant. I am prepared to sign a Tuition Grant Agreement with the Government of Singapore, which would require that I secure employment and serve in a Singapore entity for three years upon graduation. (Please proceed to fill in the Tuition Grant Application Form)

☐ I am a Permanent Resident/International Student and I do not wish to apply for a Tuition Grant. I will pay full fees throughout my course of study.

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Section 5.4 – Other Information (Financial Aid and Household Income Information)

***FINANCIAL AID***

Do you intend to apply for Financial Aid?
- [x] Yes
- [ ] No

### Household Income Information

The University is collecting the household income information of all applicants, in order to assess the level of financial aid necessary for needy applicants, and increase needy applicants' awareness of financial aid. It has no impact on or implication for your application outcome at all.

All information submitted herein will be treated confidentially but may be used for the benefit of National University of Singapore (NUS), its constituent parts and agencies contracted by NUS for the purposes directly to the interests of NUS.

The household income in this context is defined as the income of all family members living in the same household as the applicant, and refers to gross income contributions (excluding employee CPF contributions) from self-employment, business or salaried employment and other sources of income.

1. How much is your gross monthly household income? (in SGD)*

2. Total number of family members (inclusive of yourself) staying in the same household as you?*

* indicates required field.
Section 5.5 – Other Information (NUS College Quick Takes and Admission Essay)

Applicants who have indicated they wish to be considered for NUS College in Section 2.1 (Choice of Courses) are required to complete all fields in this section.

Applicants who did not indicate that they wish to be considered for NUS College in Section 2.1 (Choice of Courses) would not be shown this section.
Instructions for Essay: Write an original essay of no more than 3000 characters on one of the following topics. (For reference, 3000 characters approximately to 450-750 words). Not only should your essay be original, but we urge you not to reuse essays that you have written for other occasions and purposes. You can assume an intelligent but non-specialist audience; thus, you may want to avoid overly technical topics, or at least write about them using more generalist language. Your essay should give us some insight into you and your thought processes, and help us consider if the NHS College is right for you. Our students tend to be curious, critical, and engaged. Thus, they are open to learning new things and making connections; they are also analytical and reflective, and strive to connect thinking and doing.

1. Nowadays, on internet forums and social media, some people like to post “hot takes”: succinct and often controversial opinions that they think go against the grain of conventional wisdom. However, the term “hot take” started as a derogatory label, to refer to journalistic opinion pieces written without much research, that court controversy and thus seek to attract readers or clicks. As a result of this complicated history, “hot takes” can be meant seriously or sarcastically. Do you have a “hot take”? And do you have a take, hot or otherwise, on hot takes?

2. What new “fact” or bit of “knowledge” did you recently learn on your own, outside of your classroom instruction? The fact that you identify does not need to be “new” in itself (what matters is that it was new to you), and you can have learned or discovered this fact from anywhere at all (it does not have to be from a “learned” or “academic” source). Tell us: how you came upon this fact, why it is it interesting to you (and/or why you think it should be interesting to the larger community), how (if in any way) you feel your life (or the world) is changed by the knowledge of this fact; and anything else you feel like telling us about this fantastic, interesting, possibly important, new-to-you knowledge or fact.

3. Do you have a motto you like? Do you have a personal brand? Tell us what it is, and what led you to develop this motto or personal brand. In addition, we would like to know: Do you see these terms~motto” and “personal brand”~as equivalent? And what do you think, more generally, about the phenomenon of having a motto or, as is more common nowadays, people thinking of themselves as having brands?

(Max 3000 Characters)
Referee (Mandatory)

Salutation* ▼ Relationship*

Full Name* Organisation*

Family Name/Surname Email* 
(Company email domain is preferred)

Given Name* Contact Number* ▼

Designation*

Referee (Optional)

Salutation* ▼ Relationship*

Full Name* Organisation*

Family Name/Surname Email* 
(Company email domain is preferred)

Given Name* Contact Number* ▼

Designation*
# Section 6 – Documents (Document Upload)

**DOCUMENT UPLOAD**

Please upload the following supporting document(s).

The maximum allowable file size is 10MB with following acceptable file formats: jpg, jpeg, pdf, png.

If you have multiple documents to be uploaded for a specific category, please combine them as one document/file before uploading. You can also upload additional document(s) via the Applicant Portal.

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Section 7.1 – Declaration (Terms and Conditions)

I hereby declare that all information provided by me in connection with this application is true, accurate and complete.

I understand that any inaccurate, incomplete or false information given or any omission of information required shall render this application invalid and NUS may at its discretion withdraw any offer of acceptance made to me on the basis of such information or, if already admitted, I may be liable to disciplinary action, which may result in my expulsion from NUS. And I hereby authorize NUS to obtain and verify any part of the information given by me from or with any source (such as Ministry of Education), as it deems appropriate.

I declare and warrant that for any personal data of other individuals disclosed by me in connection with this application, I have, prior to disclosing such personal data to NUS, obtained the appropriate consent from the individuals whose personal data are being disclosed, to permit NUS to collect, use and disclose such personal data for purposes related to this application, as set out fully in the Personal Data Notice.

I agree that all such information provided by me in connection with this application may be disclosed to authorized NUS personnel or third parties on a need-to-know basis for purposes related to this application, as set out fully in the Personal Data Notice. Third parties include (i) the Ministry of Education, other government agencies or statutory bodies or non-government agencies authorized to carry out specific Government services or duties and (ii) persons or organizations providing students with financial aid.

☐ I agree to receive marketing, advertising and promotional information from NUS via postal mail, electronic mail and/or SMS/MMS. (Optional)

☐ I agree to receive marketing, advertising and promotional information from NUS at my provided telephone number(s) via voice calls and/phone call. (Optional)

* indicates required fields.

Section 7.2 – Declaration (Personal Identification Number (PIN))

A PIN is required for you to access other application portals, including the Financial Aid Portal. Please create your 6 alphanumeric case-sensitive characters PIN and keep it confidential.

Enter your PIN

(6 alpha-numeric characters e.g. gwWp254e)

Re-enter your PIN

Back Save and Next
Submission Summary

Please check and confirm that the information provided below is accurate, correct and complete, and that the documents submitted along with this application form are genuine. You are strongly advised to print and keep a copy of this document.

PERSONAL DETAILS

You are applying from: GCDP
Full Name:
Gender:
Date of Birth:
Citizenship:
Residential Status:
Religion:
Race/Ethnic Group:
Marital Status:
NRIC No./FIN:
Passport No.:
National Service Status:
Enrolment Date:
CR/Disruption Date:
Address:

Email:
Alternative Email:
Mobile:
Home Telephone:

Acknowledgement Page

Your application has been submitted. Your application number is Please safeguard this application number as it will be used in future correspondence.

A non-refundable application fee of SGD 10 is payable. Here are the payment modes:
- Online Payment (please click here to be directed to the transaction page)
- Bank draft/cheque made payable to "National University of Singapore"
- AXS

An acknowledgement email (Subject: "Acknowledgement of Application to NUS Undergraduate Courses") will be sent to your email address indicated in your application form within 24 hours after we have received your application. Please contact us if you do not receive the email.

Thank you for applying to National University of Singapore. For security reasons, please sign out of your browser and clear your cache after each session.

Take our quick survey and help us improve! Your response is anonymous.

For more information, please refer to the Application Guide.