**Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP)**
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## Admission Circular (Session 2026-2027)

* Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP) invites applications from eligible candidates for admission in the Bachelor and Master's programmes of the 2026-2027 session
* BUP offers four-year Honours/Engineering and two-year Master's programmes
* Students who have passed HSC or equivalent examinations in 2025 and 2026 (Including Improvement/Supplementary HSC Examination passed in 2026) are eligible to apply for Bachelor programmes
* A candidate can apply for admission to any number of faculties for which he/she is eligible
* Admission test (written) of various faculties will be conducted on different dates and times
* Application processing fees are non-refundable

## Eligibility for Admission

### Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences (FASS)

| Four-Year Honours Programmes | Eligibility for Admission |
|---|---|
| BSS (Hons) in Development Studies<br>BSS (Hons) in Disaster Management and Resilience<br>BSS (Hons) in Economics<br>BA (Hons) in English<br>BSS (Hons) in Public Administration<br>BSS (Hons) in Sociology | (1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from any discipline/group.**<br>(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.00 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(3) Candidates from the Business Studies Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.00 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(4) Candidates from the Humanities Group must obtain a total GPA of 7.50 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(5) Candidates from the General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass a minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects, respectively having a minimum 26.5 points in total based on the following scale: |

| A*-G Grading System (IGCSE) | | 9-1 Grading System (GCSE) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
| B | 4.00 | 7 | 4.50 |
| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
| D | 3.00 | 5 | 3.50 |
| | | 4 | 3.00 |

Note: Grading lower than 'D' or 4 (9-1 Grading System) will not be considered for point calculation.

(6) Candidates from the International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having minimum of 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.

(7) Candidates will have to sit for a written test (MCQ) of 100 marks. The mark distribution is as follows:

(a) English - 40
(b) General Knowledge - 40
(c) Bangla - 20

(8) Candidates applying for admission to the Department of Economics must have a minimum 'A-' (A Minus) grade in Economics / Accounting/ Statistics/ Higher Mathematics either in SSC/ equivalent or HSC/ equivalent examination. Candidates from 'O' Level or 'A' Level background must have a minimum D grade in any of the above-mentioned subjects.

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| BA (Hons) in Islamic Studies | (9) Candidates applying for admission to the Department of Disaster Management and Resilience must have studied Higher Mathematics/ Statistics in HSC/ equivalent level a minimum 'A-' (A Minus) grade in the examination.<br>(10) Candidates applying for admission to the Department of English must have a minimum 'A-' (A Minus) grade in English both in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations. |

## Faculty of Business Studies (FBS)

**Four-Year Honours Programmes**

**Eligibility for Admission**

BBA-General

BBA in Finance & Banking

BBA in Marketing

BBA in Accounting & Information Systems

BBA in Management Studies

1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from any discipline/group.**

(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.50 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.

(3) Candidates from Business Studies Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.00 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.

(4) Candidates from Humanities Group must obtain a total GPA of 7.50 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.

(5) Candidates from General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass in minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects respectively having minimum 26.5 points in total based on the following scale:

| A*-G Grading System (IGCSE) | | 9-1 Grading System (GCSE) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
| B | 4.00 | 7 | 4.50 |
| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
| D | 3.00 | 5 | 3.50 |
| | | 4 | 3.00 |

Note: Grading lower than 'D' or 4 (9-1 Grading System) will not be considered for point calculation.

(6) Candidates from International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having not less than 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.

(7) Candidates will have to sit for a written test (MCQ) of 75 marks. The mark distribution is as follows:

| BBA-General | For Other Four (04) Departments of FBS | |
|---|---|---|
| (1) All Discipline Students | (2) Business Students | (3) Non-Business Students |
| English - 25 | English - 25 | English-25 |
| General Knowledge -10 | General Knowledge -10 | General Knowledge-10 |
| Mathematics and Analytical Ability - 40 | Finance/ Marketing, Accounting, Business Organization and Management - 40 | Mathematics and Analytical Ability-40 |

**Two-Year Master's Programme**

**Eligibility for Admission**

MBA

(1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent, HSC/equivalent and BA/BBA/BSS/BSc/equivalent **examinations from any discipline/group.**

(2) The candidate must have 8 points based on the following calculation:

| Degree | Points | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | GPA/CGPA 3.50 and above | GPA/CGPA 3.00-3.49 | GPA/CGPA 2.50-2.99 | GPA/CGPA 2.00-2.49 |
| SSC | 3 | 2 | 1 | N/A |
| HSC | 3 | 2 | 1 | N/A |
| Bachelor (Pass) | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Bachelor (Hons) | 5 | 4 | 3 | 2 |

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| | (3) Master's Degree holders will be rewarded with 1 (one) additional point.<br>(4) Applicants who appeared in 'O' level examination must obtain pass marks at least in 05 (five) subjects with minimum 'D' grade in each.<br>(5) Applicants who appeared in 'A' level examination must obtain pass marks at least in 02 (two) subjects with minimum 'D' grade in each.<br>(6) Candidates will have to sit for a written test (MCQ) of 75 marks. The mark distribution is as follows:<br>(a) Mathematics - 35<br>(b) English - 25<br>(c) General Knowledge - 15 |

**Faculty of Security and Strategic Studies (FSSS)**

| Four-Year Honours Programmes | Eligibility for Admission |
|---|---|
| BSS (Hons) in International Relations | (1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from any discipline/group**.<br>(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.50 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(3) Candidates from the Business Studies Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.00 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(4) Candidates from the Humanities Group must obtain a total GPA of 8.00 in the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations.<br>(5) Candidates from the General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass a minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects, respectively having a minimum 26.5 points in total based on the following scale: |
| LLB (Hons) | |
| BSS (Hons) in Mass Communication & Journalism | |
| BSS (Hons) in Peace, Conflict and Human Rights Studies | (6) Candidates from the International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having minimum of 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.<br>(7) Candidates will have to sit for a written test (MCQ) of 100 marks. The mark distribution is as follows:<br>(a) English - 40<br>(b) General Knowledge - 40<br>(c) Bangla - 20 |

| A*-G Grading System (IGCSE) | | 9-1 Grading System (GCSE) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
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| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
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Note: Grading lower than 'D' or 4 (9-1 Grading System) will not be considered for point calculation.

**Faculty of Science and Technology (FST)**

| Four-Year Honours Programmes | Eligibility for Admission |
|---|---|
| B.Sc. (Hons) in Environmental Science | (1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from the science discipline/group** as per the national curriculum.<br>(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain total GPA 9.00 combining the SSC/equivalent and HSC/ equivalent examination with minimum A grade in Physics, Chemistry, Biology and a minimum A- (A Minus) grade in English at the HSC level.<br>(3) Candidates from the General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass a minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects, respectively having a minimum 26.5 points in total after conversion based on the following scale: |

| Old System | | New System (9-1 System) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
| B | 4.00 | 7 | 4.50 |
| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
| D | 3.00 | 5 | 3.50 |
| | | 4 | 3.00 |

Note: Grades/marks obtained below 'D' in the previous system and '4' in the newly introduced system will not be considered.

(4) Candidates from the International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having minimum of 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.

(5) Candidates will have to sit for 1-hour written test (MCQ) of 60 marks. Students must have Biology in HSC or equivalent as their compulsory/ optional subject (4th subject).

(6) The marks distribution is as follows:

Sec-A: Mathematics - 20
Sec-B: Biology - 20
Sec-C: Physics - 20
Sec-D: Chemistry - 20

(7) Each candidate will appear three out of the four sections. Candidates must appear Sec-B and any two sections from the rest.

## Faculty of Engineering & Technology (FET)

| Four-Year Engineering Programmes | Eligibility for Admission |
|---|---|
| B.Sc. in Information and Communication Engineering<br><br>B.Sc. in Computer Science and Engineering<br><br>B.Sc. in Data Science<br><br>B.Sc. in Cybersecurity Engineering | (1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from the science discipline/group** as per the national curriculum.<br><br>(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain total GPA 9.00 combining the SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examination with a minimum A grade in Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and minimum A- (A minus) grade in English at the HSC level.<br><br>(3) Candidates from the General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass a minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects, respectively having minimum 26.5 points in total after conversion based on the following scale: |

| Old System | | New System (9-1 System) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
| B | 4.00 | 7 | 4.50 |
| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
| D | 3.00 | 5 | 3.50 |
| | | 4 | 3.00 |

Note: Grades/marks obtained below 'D' in the previous system and '4' in the newly introduced system will not be considered.

(4) Candidates from the International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having minimum of 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.

(5) Candidates will have to sit for 1-hour written test (MCQ) of 60 marks. Students must have Mathematics in HSC or equivalent as their compulsory/ optional subject (4th subject).

(6) The marks distribution is as follows:

Sec-A: Mathematics - 20
Sec-B: Biology - 20
Sec-C: Physics - 20
Sec-D: Chemistry - 20

(7) Each candidate will appear three out of the four sections. Candidates must appear Sec-A, Sec-C and any one section from the rest.

## Faculty of Medical Studies (FMS)

| Four-Year Honours Programmes | Eligibility for Admission |
|---|---|
| Bachelor of Pharmacy (B. Pharm) | (1) A candidate must pass SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examinations **from the science discipline/group** as per the national curriculum.<br>(2) Candidates from the Science Group must obtain total GPA 9.00 combining the SSC/equivalent and HSC/ equivalent examination with minimum A grade in Physics, Chemistry, Biology and a minimum A- (A Minus) grade in English at the HSC level.<br>(3) Candidates from the General Certificate of Education (GCE) 'O' and 'A' level backgrounds must pass a minimum 05 (five) and 02 (two) subjects, respectively having a minimum 26.5 points in total after conversion based on the following scale: |

| Old System | | New System (9-1 System) | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Grade | Point | Grade | Point |
| A*/A | 5.00 | 9/8 | 5.00 |
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| C | 3.50 | 6 | 4.00 |
| D | 3.00 | 5 | 3.50 |
| | | 4 | 3.00 |

Note: Grades/marks obtained below 'D' in the previous system and '4' in the newly introduced system will not be considered.

(4) Candidates from the International Baccalaureate (IB) must pass a minimum 06 (six) subjects having minimum of 30 points based on the rating scale used in their curriculum (7, 6, 5, 4). Ratings of 1, 2 and 3 will not be considered in point calculation.

(5) Candidates will have to sit for 1-hour written test (MCQ) of 60 marks. Students must have Biology in HSC or equivalent as their compulsory/ optional subject (4th subject).

(6) The marks distribution is as follows:

Sec-A: Mathematics - 20
Sec-B: Biology - 20
Sec-C: Physics - 20
Sec-D: Chemistry - 20

(7) Each candidate will appear three out of the four sections. Candidates must appear Sec-B and any two sections from the rest.

### Detailed Time Plan for Admission Test

- Online Application Submission: **01 December 2026 to 05 January 2027** (Apply online through the "Admission" link of www.bup.edu.bd)
- List of eligible candidates for the Written Test will be published on **10 January 2027** on BUP Website www.bup.edu.bd
- Admit Cards can be downloaded and printed by the individual applicants from admission.bup.edu.bd from **11 January 2027** onward. Applicants are advised to download the Admit Card as soon as possible to avoid technical complications
- Merit List of selected candidates will be published on BUP Website www.bup.edu.bd
- Written Tests will be held as per the following schedule:

| Faculty | Dates & Days of Written Tests | Time of Written Tests | Rmks |
|---|---|---|---|
| Faculty of Arts and Social Sciences | 16 January 2027 Saturday | 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM | - |
| Faculty of Science and Technology | 22 January 2027 Friday | 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM | - |
| Faculty of Engineering and Technology | | | |
| Faculty of Medical Studies | | | |
| Faculty of Security and Strategic Studies | | 03:30 PM - 04:30 PM | - |
| Faculty of Business Studies | 23 January 2027 Saturday | 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM | F&B, Mkt, AIS, Mgt |
| | | 03:30 PM - 04:30 PM | BBA-Gen, MBA |

- Admission Test (Written-MCQ) will be conducted only in Dhaka City.
- Schedule of other events will be circulated later.

## Application Fee

- Application processing fee is Taka **1200.00 (One Thousand Two Hundred only)** for each faculty
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- Application processing fees must be deposited online through your preferred Card/Mobile Financial Services/Internet Banking. Service charge is applicable. Detailed payment procedure is available at '**How to Apply**' link on the admission website **admission.bup.edu.bd**
- An applicant is required to pay only **one application fee** to apply to all three faculties; **FST, FET and FMS**

## Special Instructions

- Admission Test will be taken in MCQ System, and **0.50 mark** will be deducted for each incorrect answer
- Calculators are not allowed except for the exams of Faculty of Science and Technology (FST), Faculty of Engineering & Technology (FET) and Faculty of Medical Studies (FMS). List of approved models of calculators will be printed on the back of the Admit Card
- To be eligible for admission in all three faculties (FST/FET/FMS) candidates have to appear Sec-A (Math), Sec-B (Biology) and Sec-C (Physics)
- Candidates with foreign degrees (Except 'O'/'A' Level/International Baccalaureate) must have an equivalence certificate from Ministry of Education/Education Board/University Grants Commission of Bangladesh
- Minimum 40% marks to be obtained in English for qualifying in the examination
- Candidates eligible for Quota should submit all supporting documents online and bring the same physically during admission
- **Following mark distribution will be followed for the assessment of candidates of all faculties except MBA:**

  Written Test- Total-100 Marks
  (1) MCQ-55%,
  (2) HSC/Equivalent Result (Based on marks)- 25%
  (3) SSC/Equivalent Result (Based on marks)- 20%

  **For Two Year MBA Programme:**

  Written Test - Total- 100 Marks
  (1) MCQ- 65%,
  (2) Undergraduate / Bachelor / Honours / Equivalent Result (Based on marks)- 15%
  (3) HSC/Equivalent Result (Based on marks)- 10%
  (4) SSC/Equivalent Result (Based on marks)- 10%

  Students who passed BBA from the Department of Business Administration - General, under the Faculty of Business Studies (FBS), BUP need not appear at the Admission Test. They are advised to submit an application to the Chairman, Department of Business Administration - General, FBS before the last date of the examination
- Total marks (not GPA) of HSC/equivalent and SSC/equivalent will be converted to percentages
- The Help Desk will remain open from **09:00 AM to 05:00 PM** on each working day from **01 December 2026 to 05 January 2027** at the reception of the university. Applicants may call at 09666790790, 01769028540, 01769028541during this time for any queries
- Incomplete application will not be considered for admission. BUP authority reserves all rights to cancel candidature of any candidate without showing any reason
- The university authority reserves the right to cancel/modify/change any information given in this advertisement

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