

## Entry Qualifications for International Undergraduate Students

## **General Notes**

- You should provide one of the eligible admission qualifications with your application.
- > If you don't have one of the eligible test scores or diplomas, you will not be offered admission.
- > If you have one of the eligible test scores or diplomas, but with scores below our minimum criteria, you will not be offered admission.
- You can apply with your predicted scores issued by your school.
- > There is no time limitation on eligible diploma grades.
- > We strongly recommend that you apply as early as possible if you have all your documents ready.
- > The admission criteria published in the table should be used as a guide only and therefore meeting them does not automatically guarantee an offer. Admission evaluation is subject to meeting all admission criteria including English proficiency requirements.
- > The weight given to each admission criterion will vary across applicants with respect to individual backgrounds and merits.
- > Applicants may be asked to provide additional qualifications and documents or sit for interviews, if needed.
- All standardized test scores (e.g., SAT, ACT, MCAT, AP, EGE, ENT, CBSE, CISCE, ATAR, ...) are valid for 2 years
- > If your qualification allows for online verification, you must select Koç University as one of the score recipients. Otherwise, it will not be accepted as valid.

## **CASE**: College of Administrative Sciences and Economics **CSSH**: College of Social Sciences and Humanities **SON**: School of Nursing **CE**: College of

International cross-border qualifications	College(s)	Minimum entrance requirement	Notes
SAT (Scholastic	CASE, CSSH, SON	1200 out of 1600	Electronic score reports
Aptitude Test)	CS	1260 out of 1600	should be sent directly by
	CE	1300 out of 1600	College Board to Koç University with the
	Law	1420 out of 1600	college code 1931. Test
	SOM	1450 out of 1600	scores older than 2 years at the time of application will not be accepted.  Applicants are responsible to disclose all tests taken and valid scores achieved.  Reported 'Evidence-based Reading and Writing' and 'Math' scores must be from the same session; superscores are not accepted.
ACT (American College Testing)	CASE, CSSH, SON	25 out of 36	Electronic score reports
	CS	27 out of 36	should be sent directly by
	CE	28 out of 36	ACT to Koç University with the college code
	Law	32 out of 36	3017. Test scores older
	SOM	33 out of 36	than 2 years at the time of application will not be accepted. Applicants are responsible to disclose all tests taken and valid scores achieved.

			Reported scores must be from the same session; only 'Highest Full Battery' scores are accepted.
A-Levels (including international A-	CASE, CSSH	3 A-Levels with grades B or higher in relevant (Preferably from Creative and Professional, Humanities and Social Sciences and Mathematics groups) subjects	Applicants who are taking A-Levels with boards other than
Levels)	CS, SON	3 A-Levels with grades B or higher in relevant (Preferably from Creative and Professional, Sciences and Mathematics groups) subjects	<ul> <li>Cambridge International,</li> <li>Oxford AQA or Pearson</li> <li>Edexcel are expected to</li> <li>present a valid</li> </ul>
IB (International Baccalaureate)	CE	3 A-Levels with grades A or higher in Math and B or higher in 2 other relevant (Preferably from Creative and Professional, Sciences and Mathematics groups) subjects	SAT/ACT in line with their selected program(s) minimum entry
	Law	3 A-Levels with grades A or higher in relevant (Preferably from Creative and Professional, Humanities and Social Sciences and Mathematics groups) subjects	<ul> <li>requirement.</li> <li>Applications submitted with subjects taken other than what is stated on the</li> </ul>
	SOM	3 A-Levels with grades A or higher in relevant (Preferably from Sciences and Mathematics groups) subjects	college specific requirements list will be evaluated on a case by case basis.
	CASE, CSSH, SON	30 out of 42 from 6 subjects (preferably Mathematics and two individuals and societies or arts subjects at HL)	Applications will be assessed based on the
	CS	32 out of 42 from 6 subjects (preferably Mathematics and two Science group subjects at HL)	<ul> <li>predicted/actual scores</li> <li>achieved from a</li> <li>combination of HL and</li> </ul>
	CE	36 out of 42 from 6 subjects (preferably Mathematics and two Science group subjects at HL)	SL subjects where at least 3 subjects must be taken
	Law	38 out of 42 from 6 subjects (preferably Mathematics and two individuals and societies or arts subjects at HL)	at higher level.
	SOM	38 out of 42 from 6 subjects (preferably Mathematics, Chemistry and Biology at HL)	_

AP (Advanced Placement)	CASE	Minimum 4 AP Subjects: - Calculus AB or BC with a minimum score of 4 - 3 other relevant subjects (Preferably from Arts, History and Social Sciences tracks) achieved with a minimum score of 4	AP exams taken 2 years after matriculation are not accepted. Applicants are not required to have completed an AP course
	CSSH  Minimum 4 AP Subjects:  - 4 relevant subjects (Preferably from Arts, History and Social Sciences, World Languages and Cultures tracks) achieved with a minimum score of 3	to sit for an AP exam. Applications submitted with subjects taken other than what is stated on the	
	SON	Minimum 4 AP subjects: - Calculus AB or BC achieved with a minimum score of 4 - 3 other relevant subjects (Preferably from Sciences, Math and Computer Science tracks) achieved with a minimum score of 3	- college specific requirements list will be evaluated on a case by case basis.
	CE, CS	Minimum 4 AP subjects: - Calculus AB or BC with a minimum score of 5 - 3 other relevant subjects (Preferably from Sciences and Computer Science tracks) with a minimum score of 4	_
	Law	Minimum 4 AP subjects: - 4 relevant subjects (Preferably from Arts, History and Social Sciences tracks) achieved with a minimum score of 4	-
	SOM	Minimum 4 AP Exams: - AP Calculus AB or BC with a minimum score of 5 - 3 other relevant subjects (Preferably from Sciences track) with a minimum score of 4	_
MCAT (Medical College Admission Test)	SOM	A total score of at least in the 70th percentile	Percentile ranks information in effect indicates that 70th percentile will correspond to an overall score of 507/508 in MCAT for the majority of 2023 test sessions.

			Test scores older than 2 years at the time of application will not be accepted.
BTEC (Business and Technology	CASE, CSSH, SON, CE, CS	Level 3 Extended National Diploma with 3 subjects at grades DDD or above	BTECs are generally accepted as being direct
Education Council)	Law, SOM	Level 3 Extended National Diploma with 3 subjects at grades D*D*D or above	equivalents of the A-Levels (including international A-Levels) and hence acceptable for admission to our undergraduate programs. However, some departments may ask for additional qualifications. The required grades are comparatively higher than that of A-Levels because BTEC curriculum, for the most part, is academically less rigorous.
EB (European	CASE, CSSH, SON, CE, CS	Diploma grade: 80% or at least 8 in relevant subjects	
Baccalaureate)	Law	Diploma grade: 90% or at least 8 in relevant subjects (one of which should be History/Philosophy)	
	SOM	Diploma grade: 90% or at least 8 in relevant subjects (one of which should be Mathematics)	
National qualifications			
BAC (French	CASE, CSSH, SON	13.5 (all subjects must be achieved with 12 or higher)	
Baccalaureate) -	CE, CS	14.5 (all subjects must be achieved with 13 or higher)	
France	Law	17 (all subjects must be achieved with 15 or higher)	
	SOM	17 (all subjects must be achieved with 15 or higher)	
	CASE, CSSH, SON	2.7 or lower	

Abitur (Zeugnis	CE, CS	2.3 or lower	
der Allgemeinen	Law	1.5 or lower	_
Hochschulreife) - Germany	SOM	1.2 or lower	_
Matura -	CASE, CSSH, SON	4.5 or higher	
Switzerland	CE, CS	4.8 or higher	<del>_</del>
	Law	5.2 or higher	<del>_</del>
	SOM	5.5 or higher	_
Matura - Austria	CASE, CSSH, SON, CE, CS	2 or lower	
	Law	1.5 or lower	_
	SOM	1.2 or lower	_
EGE (Unified State Exam) – Russia	CASE, CSSH, SON	220 in 3 related subjects (preferably Mathematics, History, Geography, Literature or Social Science) except for Russian	Applicants are expected to have chosen a combination of subjects
	CE, CS	230 in 3 related subjects (preferably Mathematics, Computer Science, Physics, Chemistry or Biology) except for Russian	<ul><li>which will have prepared them for their selected</li><li>program(s) of study.</li></ul>
	Law	240 in 3 related subjects (preferably Mathematics, History, Literature and Social Science) except for Russian	Applications submitted with subjects taken other
	SOM	240 in 3 related subjects (preferably Mathematics, Biology, Physics and Chemistry) except for Russian	than what is stated on the college specific requirements list will be evaluated on a case by case basis.
NIS (Nazarbayev Intellectual Schools) Grade 12 Certificate – Kazakhstan	CASE, CSSH, SON	3 NIS A-Levels with grades A* and A in relevant subjects (Preferably from Global Perspectives and Project Work, Person and Society, Educational, Mathematics and Computer Science tracks)	Applicants are expected to have demonstrated strong interest by taking subjects required or recommended by the
Nazakiistaii	CE, CS	3 NIS A-Levels with grades A* and A (min 1 A* and 2As) in relevant subjects (Preferably from Mathematics and Computer Science and Natural Science tracks)	selected program(s) of study. Applications submitted with subjects

	Law	3 NIS A-Levels with grades A* and A (min 2 A*s and 1 A) in relevant subjects (Preferably from Global Perspectives and Project Work, Person and Society, Educational tracks, Mathematics and Computer Science tracks)	taken other than what is stated on the college specific requirements list will be evaluated on a
	SOM	3 NIS A-Levels with grades A* and A (min 2 A*s and 1 A) in relevant subjects (Preferably from Mathematics and Computer Science and Natural Science tracks)	case by case basis.
ENT (Unified National Test) –	CASE, CSSH, SON	110 with 40 out of 50 from 3 core subjects and 70 out of 90 from 2 related elective subjects	Compulsory core subjects are Reading
Kazakhstan	CE, CS	120 with 40 out of 50 from 3 core subjects and 80 out of 90 from 2 related elective subjects	Literacy, Mathematical Literacy and History of Kazakhstan. Applicants
	Law	125 with 45 out of 50 from 3 core subjects and 80 out of 90 from 2 related elective subjects	are expected to take 2 additional subjects related
	SOM	130 with 45 out of 50 from 3 core subjects and 85 out of 90 from 2 related elective subjects	to their intended program(s) of study. A combination of high grades and the relevancy of the elective subjects taken will be considered as a strong indicator of the applicant's preparedness for the program(s) being applied to.
ATAR (Australian Tertiary Admission Rank) - Australia	CASE, CSSH, SON	A rank of at least in the 85th percentile	Selection ranks of
	CE, CS	A rank of at least in the 90th percentile	applicants will be solely based on the ATAR
	Law	A rank of at least in the 95th percentile	- score published by the
	SOM	A rank of at least in the 97.5th percentile	relevant governing body. Adjustment factors won't be counted toward selection ranks. Admission to any program would require

			meeting the corresponding selection rank together with other admission criteria and availability.
VWO (Voorbereidend	CASE, CSSH, SON	An overall score of 6.5 with a specialisation either in Economics and Society or Culture and Society streams	Applicants are expected to have demonstrated
Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs) – The Netherlands	CE, CS	An overall score of 7 with a specialisation either in Nature and Technology or Science and Health streams	<ul><li>strong interest by taking</li><li>subjects required or</li><li>recommended by the</li></ul>
	Law	An overall score of 7.5 with a specialisation either in Culture and Society or Economics and Society streams	selected program(s) of study. Applications
	SOM	An overall score of 8 with a specialisation either in Science and Health or Nature and Technology streams	submitted with subjects taken other than what is stated on the college specific requirements list will be evaluated on a case by case basis.
BAGRUT (Matriculation	CASE, CSSH, SON	A total score of 80% with at least 1 subject achieved at grade 5	Only the compulsory subjects will be counted
Certificate) – Israel	CE, CS	A total score of 85% with at least 1 subject achieved at grade 5	towards the applicant's weighted score. School dependent or internal
	Law	A total score of 90% with at least 2 subjects achieved at grade 5	subjects are not included.
	SOM	A total score of 95% with at least 3 subjects achieved at grade 5	_

CBSE (Central	CASE, CSSH, SON	5 relevant Class 12 subjects with 1 A1 and 4 A2 grades	
Board of	CE, CS	5 relevant Class 12 subjects with 1 A1 and 3 A2 grades	_
Secondary	Law	5 relevant Class 12 subjects with 3 A1 and 2 A2 grades	_
Education) - India	SOM	5 relevant Class 12 subjects with 4 A1 and 1 A2 grades	_
CISCE (Council for the Indian	CASE, CSSH, SON	A score of at least in the 80th percentile in 5 relevant Class 12 subjects	
School Certificate Examinations) –	CE, CS	A score of at least in the 85th percentile in 5 relevant Class 12 subjects	_
India	Law	A score of at least in the 87.5th percentile in 5 relevant Class 12 subjects	_
	SOM	A score of at least in the 90th percentile in 5 relevant Class 12 subjects	_
Undergraduate Degree – USA	CASE, CSSH, SON, CE, CS	Bachelor's Degree preferably in a related program with a GPA of 3.0 or above	
	SOM	Bachelor's Degree preferably in a related BCPM program with a GPA of 3.5 or above	Typically, relevant undergraduate programs include: Biology, Biochemistry, Biophysics, Neurobiology, Neuroscience, Cell Biology, Molecular Biology, Physiology, Microbiology and Physical Sciences. Applicants holding undergraduate degrees from other disciplines may be asked to provide additional qualifications such as SAT (1450) or ACT (33).

High School	CASE, CSSH, SON	At least 5 Grade 12 courses with an average of 80%	Applicants from
Diploma - Canada	CE, CS	At least 5 Grade 12 courses with an average of 85%	Canadian high schools
	Law	At least 5 Grade 12 courses with an average of 87.5%	are expected to attain
	SOM	At least 5 Grade 12 courses with an average of 90%	– grades at a very high level in subjects related to their intended program(s) of study. We are aware that the grading systems can vary across provinces but typically 5 or more Grade 12 courses with an average of 80-90% are required for a competitive application.
TR-YÖS (Yabancı	CASE, CSSH, SON	A total score of at least 425 out of 500 points (85%)	
Uyruklu Öğrenci	CE, CS	A total score of at least 450 out of 500 points (90%)	_
Sınavı) - Türkiye	SOM	A total score of at least 475 out of 500 points (95%)	_
	Law	Not applicable	_
Apolytirion Geniko Lykeio - Greece	CASE, SON	Apolytirion Geniko Lykeio with an overall grade of 17 or above, plus Panhellenic exams with at least three subjects at 17 or above	_
	CSSH, CE, CS	Apolytirion Geniko Lykeio with an overall grade of 18 or above, plus Panhellenic exams with at least three subjects at 18 or above	_

LAW, SOM	Apolytirion Geniko Lykeio with an overall grade of 19 or above, plus Panhellenic exams with at least three subjects at 19 or above
CASE, CSSH, SON	Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie with an overall average score of 5.70, plus 2 subjects essential for the course applied for should be taken as a state matriculation exam
CE, CS	Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie with an overall average score of 5.75, plus 2 subjects essential for the course applied for should be taken as a state matriculation exam
LAW, SOM	Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie with an overall average score of 5.80, plus 2 subjects essential for the course applied for should be taken as a state matriculation exam
CASE	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with B+B+B+ in Mathematics M (Management), Economics, Business Studies or Accounting
SON	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with B+B+B+ in Mathematics T (Technology), Physics, Chemistry or Biology
	CASE, CSSH, SON  CE, CS  LAW, SOM  CASE

CSSH	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with A-A-A- in Mathematics M (Management), Geography, Visual Arts or History
CE, CS	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with A-A-A- in Mathematics T (Technology), Information and Communications Technology (ICT), Physics, Chemistry or Biology
LAW	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with AAA in Mathematics M (Management), Economics, Business Studies, Accounting or History
SOM	Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia (Malaysian Higher School Certificate) with AAA in Mathematics T (Technology), Physics Chemistry or Biology