Admission Requirements by Degree Groups

High School admission average is based on a calculation of the average grade of five required grade 12 courses.

Five Grade 12 Courses Required for Admission

	Major	1	2	3	4	5	Other Require- ments
	Anthropology	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Economics	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	English	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Environmental and Sustainability Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	First Nations Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
Arts 65% Average	General Arts	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Geography (BA)	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Global and International Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	History	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Nature-Based Tourism Management	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Northern Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Political Science	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Public Administration and Community Development	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Women's Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	

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Commerce 65% Average	Major	1	2	3	4	5	Other Requirements
	Accounting	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Finance	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	General Business	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Human Resources Management	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	International Business	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Management Information Systems	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Marketing	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
Science 65% Average	Biochemistry and Molecular Biology	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12; Physics 11
	Biology	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12
	Chemistry	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12; Physics 11
	Computer Science	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Conservation Science and Practice - Wildland Conservation and Recreation	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (50%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12
	Conservation Science and Practice - Landscape Conservation and Management	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12
	Environmental Science	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12; Physics 11
	Forest Ecology and Management	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12

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	Major	1	2	3	4	5	Other Requirements
Science 65% Average	Geography (BSc)	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12; Physics 11
	Integrated Science	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12; Physics 11
	Mathematics	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Physics	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Physics 12 or Applied Physics 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Psychology	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Wildlife and Fisheries	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (60%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Life Sciences 11 or Anatomy and Physiology 12
Planning 65% Average	Northern and Rural Community Planning	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	First Nations Planning	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
	Natural Resources Planning	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	
Applied Science 75% Average	UNBC/UBC Joint Environmental Engineering	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Science Course* (Recommended: Physics 12**)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Sci- ence Course*	Fifth Course	
	Civil Engineering	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Science Course* (Recommended: Physics 12**)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Sci- ence Course*	Fifth Course	
	Environmental Engineering	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12	Pre-calculus 12 (67%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Science Course* (Recommended: Physics 12**)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Sci- ence Course*	Fifth Course	

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Health Sciences 70% Average	Biomedical Studies	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 (70%)	Anatomy and Physiology 12 (70%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Pre-calculus 11 or Principles of Math 11 (70%); Chemistry 11 (70%)
	Community and Population Health: Aboriginal and Rural Health	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 (70%)	Anatomy and Physiology 12 (70%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Chemistry 11 (70%) and Pre-calculus 11 (70%)
	Community and Population Health: Environmental Health	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 (70%)	Anatomy and Physiology 12 (70%)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Chemistry 11 (70%) and Pre-calculus 11 (70%)
	Northern Collaborative Baccalaureate (NCBNP)*** 70% average	English Studies 12 or English First Peoples 12 (70%)	Anatomy and Physiology 12 (73% within 5 years prior to admission)	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Approved Academic Grade 12 Course	Fifth Course	Chemistry 11 (70%) and Foundations of Math 11 or Pre-calculus 11 (70%)
Nursing	Northern Baccalaureate (NBNP)****	Admission is based on the most recent 60 credit hours of university level coursework including required prerequisite courses, and at least 24 credit hours of university level coursework completed at the 200 level or above.			B- grade in the following university transfer courses: Human Anatomy and Physiology (6 cr), Microbiology (3 cr), Statistics (3 cr), Social Sciences (3 cr), English (3 cr), Indigenous Studies (3 cr), Psychology (3 cr) – see program page for additional admission requirements and prerequisite course time limits.		

NOTES:

An Academic course may be selected from approved Academic course list.

A Fifth course may be approved Academic or Non Academic course. See admissions listing.

Other requirements are necessary for certain listed programs in addition to admission requirements.

^{*}Approved Academic Grade 12 Science courses may include, but are not limited to, the following courses: Anatomy and Physiology 12, Biology 12, Calculus 12, Chemistry 12, Computer Science 12, Environmental Science 12, Geology 12, Physical Geography 12, and Physics 12. Students are encouraged to take Chemistry 12 and Physics 12 as part of their approved Grade 12 courses.

^{**}For students missing required prerequisite courses for programs that may require Pre-calculus 12, Physics 11, or Physics 12: please note that UNBC offers some degree pathways that allow students to take courses that meet the prerequisite requirements through additional courses. A degree may require more time to complete through these pathways than if you have these prerequisites. Check with Student Advising to find course equivalent or upgrading options that are available to you while enrolled at UNBC.

^{***}Students apply for the NCBNP at Coast Mountain College or College of New Caledonia.

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