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# ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS 2013



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### Admission Requirements 2013

To qualify for admission to a degree course at the University you must:

- (i) meet the matriculation requirements (see below).
- (ii) satisfy course specific requirements (where applicable).
- (iii) where there is competition for places, have good enough examination results to be included among those to whom offers are made (see the Leaving Certificate scoring system or Advanced GCE (A-level) scoring system). Minimum entry points for 2012 are available at: www.tcd.ie/Admissions/ undergraduate/requirements/entrypoints

#### Matriculation requirements: Irish Leaving Certificate

To be considered for admission to the University you must:

 Present six subjects, three of which must be at grade C or above on higher Leaving Certificate papers or at least grade C in the University matriculation examination.

The six subjects above must include:

- A pass in English.
- A pass in mathematics (or foundation-level mathematics (see note 2)) and a pass in a language other than English OR
- A pass in Latin and a pass in a subject other than a language.

#### Notes:

- 1 A pass means grade D or above on ordinary or higher papers in the Leaving Certificate and grade D or above in the University matriculation examination.
- 2 Irish at foundation-level is not acceptable for matriculation, course requirements or for scoring purposes. Mathematics at foundation-level is acceptable for matriculation purposes only, for all courses except nursing or midwifery courses.
- 3 Students may combine grades achieved in different sittings of their Leaving Certificate/Matriculation examinations for the purpose of satisfying matriculation and/or course requirements, but not for the purposes of scoring. This is not permitted for Medicine – see note 3 on page 31 of the prospectus.
- 4 Combinations of Leaving Certificate subjects not permitted:
  - Physics/chemistry may not be presented with physics or chemistry.
  - Biology and agricultural science may both be used for scoring purposes but biology may not be presented with agricultural science as the two higher level subjects required for Dental science, Earth sciences, Medicine, Medicinal chemistry, Physiotherapy or Science. In addition, Biology and agricultural science may not be presented as two of the three HC3 (or above) grades required for matriculation purposes.
  - Art and music may not be offered as two of the three higher Leaving Certificate grades for matriculation purposes but both may be used for scoring purposes.

Leaving	Certificate	scoring	system
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Grade	Higher Level	Ordinary Level
A1	100	60
A2	90	50
B1	85	45
B2	80	40
В3	75	35
C1	70	30
C2	65	25
C3	60	20
D1	55	15
D2	50	10
D3	45	5

#### Bonus points for higher level Mathematics

Students presenting Leaving Certificate Mathematics at honors level will be credited with an additional 25 points for achieving a grade HD3 or above.

An applicant's six best results from one sitting of the Leaving Certificate will be counted for scoring purposes. Applicants may combine results from the Leaving Certificate and the Trinity College matriculation examination of the same year for scoring purposes.

Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme Link Modules are accepted for scoring purposes only and are awarded the following points: Distinction 70, Merit 50, Pass 30.

The minimum entry levels (points) for 2012 are available at www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/ entrypoints

#### Entry Route for students presenting FETAC qualifications

There is an entry route to a number of degree programmes in Trinity College for applicants presenting appropriate FETAC (level 5) qualifications. Applicants presenting distinctions in five modules can be considered for admission to Science (TR071); General Nursing (TR091 & TR093); Psychiatric Nursing (TR095); Intellectual Disability Nursing (TR097) and Midwifery (TR913). Further details may be found at www.tcd.ie/ Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/matriculation/fetac

#### Matriculation requirements: GCSE/Advanced GCE (A-level)

To be considered for admission to the University you must:

 Present six subjects at grade C or above on GCSE or Advanced Subsidiary GCE (AS) papers. Two of these subjects must be at grade C or above on Advanced GCE (A-level) papers.

The six subjects above must include:

A pass in English.

#### AND

- A pass in mathematics and a pass in a language other than English
- OR
- A pass in Latin and a pass in a subject other than a language.

#### Notes:

- 1 A pass means grade C or above on GCSE or Advanced Subsidiary GCE (AS) papers.
- 2 Students may combine grades achieved in different sittings of their Advanced GCE (A-level) examinations for the purpose of satisfying matriculation and/or course requirements, but not for the purposes of scoring. This is not permitted for Medicine – see note 3 on page 31 of the prospectus.
- 3 Acceptable subjects:
  - Applied A-level, Vocational Advanced Subsidiary, Vocational A-level, National Vocational and Key Skills qualifications are not accepted for matriculation or scoring purposes.
  - GCSE/Advanced GCE (A-level) subjects set by recognised examination boards are, in principle, acceptable for consideration with the following exceptions.
    - Physical education, General studies and Media studies are not acceptable.
  - Applicants who require advice about subject eligibility should contact the Admissions Office.
- 4 Combinations of A-level subjects not permitted for matriculation or scoring purposes:
- Art may not be presented with History of art.
- Biology may not be presented with Botany or Zoology.
- English literature may not be presented with English language.
- Environmental science may not be presented with Biology or Geography.
- Science may not be presented with Chemistry, Physics or Biology.
- Not more than one specialised endorsed programme in art may be presented.
- 5 Art and Music may not be offered as the two Advanced GCE (A-level) grades for matriculation purposes but both may be used for scoring purposes.

## Advanced GCE (A-level) scoring system for exams taken from 2010 to 2013

	AS	A2
A*	-	150
А	65	135^
В	60	120
С	50	100
D	35	75
E	20	40

#### Bonus points for Mathematics:

Students presenting A-Level Mathematics, Further Mathematics or Pure Mathematics will be credited with an additional 25 points for achieving a grade E or above.

An applicant's score will be calculated on the basis of either of the following:

1 their best 4 GCE Advanced level (A2) subjects from one academic year

OR

2 their best 3 GCE Advanced level (A2) subjects from one academic year plus one Advanced Subsidiary level (AS) in a different subject from the same or the preceding academic year only.

Students may not combine grades achieved in different sittings of their GCE Advanced level (A2) examinations for the purpose of scoring. However, examinations taken in January and June of the same year are counted as a single sitting.

The minimum entry levels (points) for 2012 are available at www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/ entrypoints

#### Notes:

- Applicants presenting A-level examinations from pre-2010 will be scored based on the above scheme, with the exception of the pre-2010 A grade, which will be awarded 145 points.
- Cambridge Pre-U: Principle subjects will be accepted as alternatives to A-Levels in meeting general entry requirements. The scoring scheme for Principle subject results is available at www.tcd.ie/Admissions/ undergraduate/requirements/matriculation/gcse

#### **Other requirements**

- Age requirement: Applicants seeking admission in 2013 must have a date of birth before 15 January 1997.
- Garda vetting: Some courses require Garda vetting, see www.tcd.ie/admissions/undergraduate or the 2013 prospectus for further details.
- English language requirement: If English is not your first language you will be required to provide evidence of English language proficiency, see www.tcd.ie/admissions/ undergraduate or the 2013 prospectus for further details.
- Fitness to practice (for professional courses) & Precautions against infectious diseases (for some Health sciences courses): see www.tcd.ie/admissions/undergraduate or the 2013 prospectus for details.

# Course requirements 2013: Two-Subject Moderatorship (TSM/TR001) – Level 8 (Honors Degrees)

The two-subject moderatorship (TSM) is a joint honor programme. Students select two subjects from the list below (for permitted combinations see next page) and pursue both to honors degree level. Usually both subjects are studied for three years and one subject only is studied in the fourth and final year (see page 36 in the prospectus). An honors degree is awarded in both subjects. The minimum entry points for each TSM combination are available at: www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/entrypoints

Note: Students are not permitted to commence two new languages. Students wishing to combine two of: Greek, Italian, Latin, Russian, Spanish within TSM are required to present at least one of the chosen languages at grade C3 or better on a higher level Leaving Certificate paper or equivalent.

	Subject Name	Specific Subjects Required (reference is to higher level Leaving Certificate or Advanced GCE (A-level) grades)	Available Places in 2012	Minimum Points Range 2011**	Page in Prospectus
AH	Ancient history and archaeology	none	23	390*-535*	77
CC	Classical civilisation	none	29	390*-535*	45
DR	Drama studies	see note 12	24	445-540	52
EI	Early Irish	C3 in Irish	10	465-505*	80
EC	Economics	see note 1	43	435*-565	59
EN	English literature	C3 in English	85	520*-560*	62
FS	Film studies	none	30	445*-540	67
FR	French	C1 in French	84	400*-560*	68
GG	Geography‡	none	45	415-565	69
GE	German	C1 in German	32	415-535*	70
GK	Greek	C3 in Greek or C3 in a language excluding English	8	445-535*	46
HS	History	none	40	485*-540	72
AR	History of art and architecture	none	40	390*-540	79
IT	Italian	C3 in Italian or C3 in a language excluding English	30	390*-565	85
JS	Jewish and Islamic civilisations	none	10	425-565	86
LT	Latin	C3 in Latin or C3 in a language excluding English	10	420-535*	48
MT	Mathematics	B3 in mathematics	25	515*-565	164
MI	Modern Irish	C3 in Irish	30	390*-540	80
MU	Music	see note 5	10	540-565	95
PH	Philosophy	none	43	430*-565	98
PS	Psychology	none	17	560*-565	104
RU	Russian	C3 in a language excluding English	36	405-535*	109
SC	Sociology	none	59	390*-565	112
SP	Spanish	C3 in a language excluding English	41	425*-535*	115
BT	World religions and theology	none	24	390*-565	107

‡ Geography may also be read as part of a moderatorship course in science – TR071. See page 140 in the prospectus for course specific requirements for Science.

\* Not all applicants at this level were offered places.

\*\* The minimum points required depend on which two subjects are chosen. A grid displaying the minimum points required in 2012 for all combinations of subjects is available at **www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/entrypoints** Note that there may be different minimum entry levels for A-level applicants for some TSM combinations.

#### Two-Subject Moderatorship (TSM/TR001): Permitted combinations and CAO course codes

TR001 must NOT be entered on the application form.

Each possible combination of two subjects has a unique three-digit code. TR followed by the three-digit code of your chosen TSM combination should be entered on the application form, e.g. TR289 for French and German.

The absence of a code in a grid position indicates that the corresponding combination of subjects is not permitted.

	AH	AR	вт	сс	DR	EC	EI	EN	FR	FS	GE	GG	GK	HS	ΙТ	JS	LT	МІ	мт	MU	PH	PS	RU	sc	SP
AH	-	113	102	_	-	—	_	106	107	-	-	-	110	112	115	547	116	-	-	_	_	_	121	-	123
AR	113	-	143	173	485	—	486	263	293	-	353	-	-	443	475	555	476	-	-	478	479	-	-	482	483
BT	102	143	-	133	-	—	156	136	137	310	139	-	140	142	-	—	146	144	-	_	149	150	151	152	153
сс	-	173	133	-	185	-	-	166	167	-	-	-	170	172	175	548	176	174	-	-	179	-	181	-	183
DR	-	485	-	185	-	—	—	276	306	311	366	-	395	-	545	—	575	515	-	635	-	—	725	755	785
EC	-	-	-	-	-	—	-	-	-	-	199	198	-	202	-	-	-	-	207	-	209	210	211	212	213
El	-	486	156	-	-	—	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	456	-	549	576	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EN	106	263	136	166	276	-	-	-	257	312	259	-	260	262	265	550	266	264	267	268	269	270	271	272	273
FR	107	293	137	167	306	-	-	257	-	313	289	-	-	292	295	551	296	294	297	298	299	300	301	302	303
FS	-	-	310	-	311	-	-	312	313	-	314	-	-	-	316	319	-	315	-	320	-	-	317	-	318
GE	-	353	139	-	366	199	-	259	289	314	-	321	-	352	355	552	-	354	357	-	359	-	361	362	363
GG	-	-	-	-	-	198	-	-	-	-	321	-	-	322	-	-	-	-	327	-	329	330	-	332	-
GK	110	-	140	170	395	—	-	260	-	-	-	-	-	382	385	553	-	-	-	-	389	—	391	-	393
HS	112	443	142	172	-	202	456	262	292	-	352	322	382	-	445	554	446	444	-	448	449	-	451	452	453
IT	115	475	-	175	545	-	-	265	295	316	355	-	385	445	-	-	536	505	-	-	539	540	541	542	543
JS	547	555	-	548	-	-	549	550	551	319	552	-	553	554	-	-	557	556	-	-	558	559	560	561	562
LT	116	476	146	176	575	-	576	266	296	-	-	-	-	446	536	557	-	506	-	-	569	-	571	-	573
MI	-	-	144	174	515	-	-	264	294	315	354	-	-	444	505	556	506	-	-	508	509	-	511	512	513
MT	-	-	-	-	-	207	-	267	297	-	357	327	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	598	599	600	-	-	-
MU	-	478	-	-	635	-	-	268	298	320	-	-	-	448	-	-	-	508	598	-	629	630	-	-	-
PH	-	479	149	179	-	209	-	269	299	-	359	329	389	449	539	558	569	509	599	629	-	660	661	662	-
PS	-	-	150	-	-	210	-	270	300	-	-	330	-	-	540	559	-	-	600	630	660	-	-	692	-
		-	151	181	725	211	-	271	301	317	361	-	391	451	541	560	571	511	-	-	661	-	-	-	723
SC	-	482	152	-	755	212	-	272	302	-	362	332	-	452	542	561	-	512	-	-	662	692	-	-	753
SP	123	483	153	183	785	213	-	273	303	318	363	-	393	453	543	562	573	513	-	-	-	-	723	753	-

See the previous page for a listing of the above course abbreviations.

### Course requirements 2013: Level 8 (Honors Degrees)

Course Code	Name	Specific Subjects Required (reference is to higher level Leaving Certificate or Advanced GCE (A-level) grades)	Available Places in 2012	Minimum points in 2011**	Page in Prospectus
TR002	Music	see note 5	20	420	95
TR003	History	none	38	445*	72
TR004	Law	none	90	505*	87
TR005	Philosophy	none	20	430	98
TR006	Psychology	none	31	545*	104
TR007	Clinical speech and language studies	see note 4	34	520*	49
TR008	World religions and theology	none	29	345	107
TR009	Music education	see note 5	10	450	97
TR012	History and political science	none	24	505*	75
TR015	Philosophy, political science, economics and sociology	see note 1	34	525*	99
TR016	Deaf studies	See note 20	20	385	52
TR017	Law and business	see note 1	25	555*	92
TR018	Law and French	C1 in French	15	550*	90
TR019	Law and German	C1 in German	15	495	90
TR020	Law and political science	none	20	560	94
TR021	Classics	C3 in Greek or Latin	15	405	43
TR022	Early and modern Irish	C3 in Irish	15	350	80
TR023	English studies	C3 in English	40	495*	62
TR024	European studies	see note 8	45	530	64
TR025	Drama and theatre studies	see note 12	16	455	55
TR027	Irish studies	See note 21	20	375	82
TR028	Ancient and medieval history and culture	none	15	415	74
TR029	Political science and geography	none	20	475	102
TR030	Catholic theological studies	none	15	n/a	106
TR031	Mathematics	B3 in mathematics	30	485	164
TR032	Integrated engineering	C3 in mathematics	165	400	125
TR033‡	Computer science	C3 in mathematics	80	385	117
TR034	Management science and information systems studies	C3 in mathematics	27	385	124
TR035‡	Theoretical physics	B3 in mathematics and B3 in physics	40	490*	168
TR038‡	Integrated engineering with management	C3 in mathematics	18	380	137
TR039	Computer science and language	see note 22	15	see page 120	120
TR051	Medicine	see notes 3A and 3B	123	739*	179
TR052	Dental science	see note 3A	32	570*	174
TR053	Physiotherapy	see notes 1 and 6	40	535	195
TR054	Occupational therapy	see note 7	40	500*	191
TR055	Radiation therapy	see note 14	30	515*	196
TR056	Human health and disease	see note 18	35	520*	177

Course Code	Name	Specific Subjects Required (reference is to higher level Leaving Certificate or Advanced GCE (A-level) grades)	Available Places in 2012	Minimum points in 2011**	Page in Prospectus
TR071‡	Science	see notes 1 and 2	340	470*	140
TR072	Pharmacy	see notes 1 and 9	75	545	193
TR073‡	Human genetics	see notes 1 and 10	15	535*	162
TR074‡	Chemistry with molecular modelling	see note 11	5	430	160
TR075‡	Medicinal chemistry	see notes 1 and 2	28	500	165
TR076‡	Nanoscience, physics and chemistry of advanced materials	see note 13	15	475	167
TR077	Earth sciences	see notes 1 and 2	14	460*	161
TR081	Business, economic and social studies	see note 1	236	480	37
TR082	Computer science and business	see note 19	30	420	118
TR083	Sociology and social policy	none	28	435	113
TR084	Social studies (Social work)	none	45	465	110
TR085	Business studies and French	C1 in French and see note 1	15	510*	41
TR086	Business studies and German	C1 in German and see note 1	15	450	41
TR087	Business studies and Russian	C3 in a language excluding English and see note 1	7	410*	41
TR089	Business studies and Polish	C3 in a language excluding English and see note 1	5	390	41
TR090	Business studies and Spanish	C1 in Spanish and see note 1	10	475	41
TR091	General nursing	See note 15	92	415*	186
TR092	General nursing (mature applicants)	See note 17	14	220*	186
TR093	General nursing – Adelaide School of Nursing	See notes 15 and 16	29	395*	186
TR094	General nursing (mature applicants) – Adelaide School of Nursing	See notes 16 and 17	4	226	186
TR095	Psychiatric nursing	See note 15	20	375	186
TR096	Psychiatric nursing (mature applicants)	See note 17	25	203	186
TR097	Intellectual disability nursing	See note 15	17	375*	186
TR098	Intellectual disability nursing (mature applicants)	See note 17	13	188	186
TR911	Children's and general integrated nursing	See note 15	15	480*	186
TR912	Children's and general integrated nursing (mature applicants)	See note 17	5	232	186
TR913	Midwifery	See note 15	25	445*	183
TR914	Midwifery (mature applicants)	See note 17	15	225	183

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Human Capital Investment Operational Programme 2007-2013.

\* Not all applicants at this level were offered places.

\*\* Note that there are different minimum entry levels for A-level applicants for some courses, see the minimum entry points document at **www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/entrypoints** 

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#### Notes

- 1 A mathematics requirement of grade C on the ordinary or grade D on the higher Leaving Certificate paper or grade B at GCSE level.
- 2 Two higher level grade Cs from the following subjects: physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, mathematics, geology, geography, applied mathematics, agricultural science. Physics/chemistry may not be presented with physics or chemistry. Agricultural science may not be presented with biology. Applied mathematics may not be presented with mathematics.
- 3A A higher level grade B and a higher level grade C in two of physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, agricultural science. Physics/chemistry may not be presented with physics or chemistry. Agricultural science may not be presented with biology. If you do not have some qualification in physics, you must present mathematics at grade C on the ordinary Leaving Certificate paper, grade D on the higher Leaving Certificate paper or grade B at GCSE level.
- 3B This is a restricted entry course, therefore, applications must be submitted to the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry. Applicants must achieve a minimum of 480 points and meet the matriculation and course specific requirements in the same sitting\* of the Leaving Certificate examination. In addition, all applicants will be required to sit the admissions test (HPAT – Ireland) which will take place on 2 March 2013. Applicants must register for the test at www.hpat-ireland. acer.edu.au by 20 January 2013. Test results are valid for two years. Further details on the selection criteria are available at www.tcd.ie/courses or from the Admissions Office: +353 1 896 4444. Applicants should note that application for Medicine must be made online at www.cao.ie

\* A-level applicants must satisfy matriculation and course specific requirements within three consecutive years, e.g. GCSE (2011), AS (2012), A-levels (2013).

- 4 A mathematics requirement of grade D on the ordinary or higher Leaving Certificate paper or grade C at GCSE level. A grade C at higher level in one of English, French, German, Irish, Italian, Russian, Spanish and a grade C at higher level in one of mathematics, applied mathematics, physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, agricultural science. If you are presenting Advanced GCE (A-levels), a grade C at A-level is required in one of English, French, German, Irish, Italian, Russian, Spanish and a grade B at GCSE level in one of physics, chemistry, biology, mathematics; or a grade C at A-level in one of physics, chemistry, biology, mathematics and a grade B at GCSE level in one of English, French, German, Irish, Italian, Russian, Spanish.
- 5 This is a restricted entry course, therefore, applications must be submitted to the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry. You will be called for an entrance test on 23 March 2013 (provisional date). This will include a simple harmony paper, an ear test, a paper on general musical knowledge and background and an essay paper. Some applicants will be called for interview (and in the case of TR009 applicants, further tests) in late April/early May when the final selections will be made.

- 6 Two higher level grade Cs from the following subjects: physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, mathematics, agricultural science. Physics/chemistry may not be presented with physics or chemistry. Agricultural science may not be presented with biology.
- 7 One higher level grade C from the following subjects: physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, agricultural science.
- 8 Students entering this programme will study two languages from French, German, Italian, Polish, Russian and Spanish. Italian, Polish, Russian and Spanish are available from beginner level. No student may study more than one language as a beginner. Students accepted into this programme, subject to the above regulations, will normally have at least a higher level grade C in the Leaving Certificate or equivalent, in two of French, German, Italian, Polish, Russian, Spanish (C1 in the case of French and German, and C2 in the case of Spanish if non-beginner). Students who have only one language (other than English or Irish) may also be admitted, subject to the above regulations, if they achieve a higher level grade B in the language in the Leaving Certificate, or equivalent.
- 9 A higher level grade C in chemistry and a higher level grade C in one of physics, biology, mathematics, geology, geography, applied mathematics and agricultural science.
- 10 Two higher level grade Cs from the following subjects: biology, chemistry, physics, physics/chemistry, mathematics and applied mathematics. Physics/chemistry may not be presented with chemistry or physics. Mathematics may not be presented with applied mathematics.
- 11 A higher level grade C in mathematics and a higher level grade C in one of physics, chemistry, physics/chemistry or biology.
- 12 This is a restricted entry course; therefore, applications must be submitted to the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry. If you indicate Drama studies or Drama and theatre studies as a choice of subject, you will be sent a questionnaire to complete in March. On the basis of the completed questionnaire some applicants will be called to attend a workshop and interview (during April/May) before final selections are made.
- 13 Two higher level grade Cs from the following subjects: physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry, applied mathematics, mathematics. Leaving certificate applicants must present mathematics at ordinary level grade A2 or at higher level grade C3, while A-level applicants must present mathematics at Grade A at GCSE level or Grade C at A-level. Physics/chemistry may not be presented with chemistry or physics. Mathematics may not be presented with applied mathematics.
- 14 One higher level grade C from the following subjects: physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry.

15 A grade D on the ordinary or higher paper in mathematics and in one of biology, physics, chemistry, physics/chemistry or agricultural science.

Applicants who have previously been unsuccessful (academic and/or placement) in any Nursing or Midwifery programme or have any issues which would affect their registration with An Bord Altranais will only be considered for re-entry to Nursing or Midwifery on a case-by-case appeal basis to the relevant Programme Board. Such applicants should make their case in writing to the Admissions Officer and include any relevant details of extenuating circumstances.

- 16 This is a restricted entry course, therefore; applications must be submitted to the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry. The Adelaide Hospital Society, which is a voluntary charitable organisation, nominates suitable applicants each year to the Adelaide School of Nursing. In selecting applicants, the Society has regard to its particular obligation to applicants from the Protestant community and also to members of inter-church families. Applicants will be sent an additional application form, to be returned to the Adelaide Hospital Society. On the basis of information provided, applicants may be called to interview before final selections are made.
- 17 This is a restricted entry course, therefore, applications must be received by the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry. Mature applicants to Midwifery or Nursing are NOT required to submit a mature-student supplementary application form to Trinity College. If you indicate Midwifery or Nursing as a mature student, the Nursing Career Centre will invite you to a written assessment.

Applicants who have previously been unsuccessful (academic and/or placement) in any Nursing or Midwifery programme or have any issues which would affect their registration with An Bord Altranais will only be considered for re-entry to Nursing or Midwifery on a case-by-case appeal basis to the relevant Programme Board. Such applicants should make their case in writing to the Admissions Officer and include any relevant details of extenuating circumstances.

- 18 A higher level grade C in biology and a higher level grade C in one of physics, chemistry or physics/chemistry.
- 19 A higher level grade C3 or an ordinary level grade A2 in mathematics.
- 20 A higher level grade C in English and grade D at ordinary or higher level in a language other than English.
- 21 Applicants who wish to choose Strand B (see page 82 in the prospectus) must attain at least grade HC3 in Leaving Certificate Irish or grade C in A-level Irish. There are no course specific requirements for Strand A.
- 22 A higher level grade C3 in mathematics. Also, a grade C1 at higher level in French or German if selecting French or German, or a grade B3 at higher level in Irish if selecting Irish.

#### Course requirements 2013: Ordinary degree and diploma courses

Course Code	Name	Specific subjects required	Available Places in 2012	Minimum points in 2011	Page in Prospectus
TR801	Dental nursing (diploma)	See notes A and C	25	330	172
TR802	Dental hygiene (diploma)	See note B and C + Restricted entry	8	420	171
TR803	Dental technology (ordinary degree)	See notes A and C + Restricted entry	6	400	176

#### Notes

A Applicants are required to present six subjects, including English, mathematics and one of physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry or agricultural science.

Of the six subjects presented, two must be of a standard of at least grade C3 on ordinary Leaving Certificate papers. The remaining four subjects must be presented to a standard of grade D3 on ordinary Leaving Certificate papers.

#### B Applicants are required to present six subjects, including English, mathematics and one of physics, chemistry, biology, physics/chemistry or agricultural science.

Of the six subjects presented, two must be of a standard of at least grade C3 on higher Leaving Certificate papers. The remaining four subjects must be presented to a standard of grade D3 on ordinary Leaving Certificate papers.

C Applications may also be considered from mature applicants who do not satisfy the academic entry requirements but can demonstrate appropriate experience relevant to the course.

Applications for restricted entry courses must be submitted to the CAO by 1 February of the proposed year of entry.

### Important dates for applicants

1 December 2012	TCD Open Day.
20 January 2013	Closing date for registration for the HPAT-Ireland test for entry to Medicine.
20 January 2013	Final date for CAO online discounted application fee.
23 January 2013	DARE application clinic – for students with disabilities. See page 20 in the prospectus.
1 February 2013	<ul> <li>Normal closing date for CAO.</li> <li>Applications to restricted entry courses and applications from mature students must be made to the CAO by this date.</li> <li>Closing date for submission of mature students supplementary application forms (for all full-time courses except Nursing or Midwifery).</li> <li>Applications from non-EU students wishing to pursue a full degree should be submitted to the Admissions Office, Trinity College, Dublin 2, Ireland.</li> </ul>
2 March 2013	Date of HPAT-Ireland test for entry to Medicine.
1 March 2013	<ul> <li>Closing date for applications to sit the University matriculation examination.</li> <li>Applications from EU and non-EU students wishing to study as a visiting student for up to one academic year should be submitted online.</li> </ul>
23 March 2013	Provisional date for Music and Music education entrance examination.
1 May 2013	<ul> <li>Late closing date for CAO.</li> <li>Late applications to restricted entry courses will not be considered.</li> <li>Late applications from mature students will not be considered.</li> </ul>
31 May 2013	Closing date for receipt of applications for the Reid Entrance Exhibition.
1 July 2013	Closing date for submission of a 'Change of Mind' to CAO.

See www.tcd.ie/calendar/term-dates for Term Dates 2013-2014

# OPEN DAY 2012



### Saturday 1st December 2012

The exciting and informative programme of events will include:

- Course specific presentations
- Individual stands for each course, where you can meet our academic staff and current students to obtain detailed course information
- Demonstrations and laboratory tours
- Presentations about student sports, societies and the Students' Union
- Specific sessions for mature students, access students, and parents
- Campus tours and tours of College facilities, including the sports centre



Full details will be available at www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate in November. WE LOOK FORWARD TO MEETING YOU AT OUR OPEN DAY!

### ONLINE INFORMATION

Courses: www.tcd.ie/courses

Admissions: www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate CAO Points: www.tcd.ie/Admissions/undergraduate/requirements/entrypoints Accommodation: www.tcd.ie/accommodation/StudentsandStaff/ Students/TrinityHall

Main TCD website: www.tcd.ie

Virtual tour: www.tcd.ie/virtualtour

Student life: www.tcdlife.ie

Sports clubs: www.ducac.tcdlife.ie

Sports facilities: www.tcd.ie/sport

Student societies: www.trinitysocieties.ie

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