



Sylhet Agricultural University, Sylhet

Admission Circular

Undergraduate Level-1 Semester-1

Session: 2017-2018

Online applications are invited from the interested candidates to appear in the admission test for admission to the Level-1 Semester-1 of the Bachelor's Degree Courses offered by 6 faculties at Sylhet Agricultural University, Sylhet for the academic session 2017-18. For any information regarding admission please visit www.sau.ac.bd.

1. Faculty Details:

Name of the Faculty	Name of the Degree	Duration of course	Medium of instruction	Number of seats	Total
Veterinary, Animal and Biomedical Sciences	DVM	5 years	English	92	393
Agriculture	BSc Ag (Hons)	4 years		81	
Fisheries	BSc Fisheries (Hons)			69	
Agricultural Economics and Business Studies	BSc Ag Econ (Hons)			58	
Agricultural Engineering and Technology	BSc Ag Engg.			58	
Biotechnology and Genetic Engineering	BSc BGE (Hons)			35	

2. Minimum qualifications for admission:

2.1 Candidates must have passed SSC/equivalent examination in 2015 and HSC/equivalent examination in 2017 from Science group having total GPA 6.5 (without fourth subject). Candidates must have a minimum of GPA 3.0 individually in both SSC and HSC (without fourth subject). Candidates passing SSC in 2014 and HSC in 2016 having similar qualifications are also eligible to apply.

2.2 In SSC/equivalent and HSC/equivalent examination, candidates must have minimum grade point 3.0 individually in Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics (General Mathematics in case of SSC) and grade point 2.0 in English.

3. Application procedure for admission test:

3.1 Candidates interested to appear in the admission test are required to visit www.sau.ac.bd and fill in the online application form from 03 October, 2017 to 31 October, 2017. After filling the application form properly, an Application ID Number will be generated automatically for the applicant which will be sent to the given contact number through SMS. Candidates are required to use the Application ID Number to deposit application fees.

3.2 Candidates interested to get the question paper in English are required to select English in the specific option at the time of registration.

3.3 Procedures for paying application fees: Admission seekers will have to pay the fees through **SureCash** or **Rocket** Mobile Banking Service.

Payment system through SureCash	Payment system through Rocket mobile banking service
<p>The following steps should be followed in mobile phone having SureCash account:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Dial SureCash USSD code to go to the SureCash menu (For Banglalink *495#, Airtel *257#, Teletalk *357#, Grameen Phone & Robi 09606060606)2. Choose 'Payment' option by pressing 2.3. Enter SAU as payment keyword.4. Enter the 6-digit Application ID number.5. Enter the 4-digit PIN to confirm the payment. (Applicants must have BDT 808/- including service charge in their SureCash account)6. Please check confirmation SMS of successful payment containing Transaction ID. Please keep it safe for future inquiry. <p>SureCash Helpline 09609224488 (Sunday-Thursday, 9.00 a.m.-6.00 p.m)</p>	<p>The following steps should be followed in mobile phone having Rocket account:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Dial *3222. Press 1 for payment.3. Press 1 in reply.4. Type 321 in Biller ID field.5. Press Answer and Enter the 6-digit Application ID Number in Bill Number field.6. Press Answer and Enter Amount BDT 808/-. (Applicants must have BDT 808/- including service charge in their Rocket mobile bank account)7. Get your confirmation message from 16216 containing Transaction ID. Please keep it safe for future inquiry. <p>Rocket mobile banking helpline 16216</p>

Payment related problems have to be reported to admission@sau.ac.bd mentioning the Transaction ID. Candidates will automatically receive confirmation message on successful completion of payment or they can login to www.sau.ac.bd 24 hours after depositing money to check their payment status.

3.4 Forgotten Application ID number can be retrieved from www.sau.ac.bd entering Board of HSC, Roll No., Registration No. and Year of Passing.

3.5 Admit Card Download: Admit card can be downloaded from 01 November 2017 to 07 November 2017 at any time by uploading soft copy of the passport size colour photo (300x300 Pixels, Maximum size: 100 KB, JPG Format) and entering necessary information in www.sau.ac.bd. Admit card has to be printed in A4 size paper. Candidate will sign in the signature area of the printed admit card and attach photo to the designated area. Candidate is required to carry this admit card and main copy of HSC/equivalent examination Registration Card while appearing for the admission test otherwise he/she will not be allowed to sit for the test.

3.6 For quotas, along with photo, candidates have to upload these soft copies, otherwise their applications will not be considered:

- For freedom fighter quota freedom fighter certificate issued by Govt. in favour of father/mother, paternal grandfather/grandmother, maternal grandfather/grandmother.
- Certificate of relationship of the applicant to the freedom fighter and certificate of change of address in case of mismatch between address given in the freedom fighter certificate and permanent address. Both certificates have to be issued by District Commissioner/UNO/Mayor/Chairman, Union Parishad.
- For tribal and non-tribal candidates of Chittagong Hill Tracts and tribal candidates other than Chittagong Hill Tracts, permanent resident certificate issued by District Commissioners.
- For BKSP quota, candidates have to pass SSC and HSC from BKSP and submit certificate issued by the Head of BKSP.

3.7 Seat plan of the admission test will be published at www.sau.ac.bd and candidates will be notified through SMS.

3.8 For any queries regarding admission, candidates can contact [01591190589](tel:01591190589), [01703956158](tel:01703956158) or admission@sau.ac.bd.

3.9 Interested foreign candidates can apply through concerned ministry.

3.10 For all information regarding admission please visit www.sau.ac.bd.

4. Admission test format:

4.1 1 hour MCQ test of 100 marks will be held on Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Botany, Zoology and English following the syllabus of HSC examination. In separate answer sheet, for each question, appropriate blank circle will be filled in using black ball point pen for evaluation using OMR machine.

4.2 Marks distribution of admission test: Physics 20, Chemistry 20, Mathematics 20, Botany 15, Zoology 15, English 10: Total 100 marks.

4.4 Except ordinary watch and approved calculator (Listed in website/admit card), mobile phone and any other electronic devices are strictly prohibited in the examination hall.

5. Registration, admission test, result publication and admission related dates & times.

Events	Dates, days and times
Online application	3 October 2017 - 31 October 2017 (Open 24/7)
Admission test & other activities	17 November 2017, Friday: From 10.00 am to 11.30 am
Result publication	19 November 2017, Sunday (Visit www.sau.ac.bd)
Choice of Faculties	20 November 2017-30 November 2017: Students of the merit list and waiting list are required to visit www.sau.ac.bd to make their choice of Faculties.
Admission from the merit list	4 December 2017, Monday: From 9.00 am to 12.00 noon
Admission from the waiting list	11 December 2017, Monday: From 9.00 am to 12.00 noon
Orientation	1 January 2018, Monday
Beginning of class	2 January 2018, Tuesday

6. Selection of candidate and admission procedure:

6.1 Merit score: Merit score will be based on total 200 marks: 100 marks on the written test, 40 marks on the result of SSC/equivalent examination and 60 marks on the result of HSC/equivalent examination. In grading system, without fourth subject, 8 times of GPA score of SSC/equivalent examination and 12 times of GPA score of HSC/equivalent examination will be added to the admission test score to prepare the merit list.

6.2 Pass Marks in the written test is 40. Pass marks for the candidates with quota is also the same.

- 6.3 a. Each selected candidates must submit birth registration certificate, admit card of the admission test, Testimonial, original grade sheets and certificates of SSC and HSC at the time of admission.
- b. Certificate of physical fitness obtained from the Medical Officer of this university will have to be submitted. Otherwise candidate will be disqualified for admission.
- c. Due to limited residential facilities, admitted students are responsible for arranging their own accommodation.
- d. Authority reserves the right to revise, add or change any condition/rules regarding admission.
- 6.4 Admission circular, admission test result and admission related other information will be found in the notice board and website of the university.
- 6.5 If a candidate provides any fake, wrong or inconsistent information, his/her admission will be cancelled at any stage of the admission procedure or later.
- 6.6 Any decision taken by the authority regarding admission will be considered final.

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Registrar