

1) SiteMcgill:

<http://www.mcgill.ca/gradapplicants/apply/prepare/international/international-degree-equivalency>

2) Site World Education Services:

<http://www.wes.org/gradeconversionguide/index.asp>

Amérique du
Nord

Canada (North America)



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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an institution which is recognized by Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies.

Related Information:

- Not all Canadian universities use a letter grade system. The grading schemes below are for some of the most common non-letter grades systems seen at McGill.
- The McGill grading scale should **not** be used to convert percentage grades from Canadian universities. Please refer to the grading scale on the transcript.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

Non-Standard Grading Scales: (Grading scales below were provided by the universities listed)

Grade	University of Alberta (Prior to 2003)	University of Saskatchewan (Undergrad)	University of Saskatchewan (Graduate)	University of PEI	University of Regina	Bishop's University	Grade Points
A	9	90-100	90-100	85-100	87-100	80-100	4.0
A-	8	80-89	80-89	80-84	80-86	----	3.7
B+	----	----	----	77-79	76-79	----	3.3
B	7	70-79	70-79	74-76	73-75	70-79	3.0
B-	6	----	----	70-73	70-72	----	2.7
C+	----	----	----	67-69	66-69	----	2.3
C	5	60-69	60-69	60-66	60-65	60-69	2.0
D+	----	----	----	57-59	56-59	----	1.3
D	4	50-59	----	50-56	50-55	50-59	1.0
F	1-3	0-49	0-59	0-49	0-49	0-49	0

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- GRE/GMAT test scores – as required
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

United States of America (North America)



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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** – awarded after four years of study.
- **Juris Doctor** – awarded after two to three years of study following a four year bachelor's degree.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** – awarded after two years of study following a bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited* institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

Related Information:

- For institutions that do not grade students with letter grades, but with written teacher evaluations, a written explanation must be provided by the registrar of the school. This statement should include an estimated CGPA based on the written evaluations in order to properly evaluate the applicant for admissions purposes.
- The McGill grading scale should **not** be used to convert percentage grades from American universities. Please refer to the grading scale on the transcript.
- *The following accreditation agencies are recognized by McGill University: **MSA** (Middle States Association of Colleges and Schools), **NWCCU** (Northwest Commission of Colleges and Universities), **NCA** (North Central Association of Colleges and Schools), **NEASC-CIHE** (New England Association of Schools and Colleges Inc., Commission on Institutions of Higher Education), **SACS** (Southern Association of Colleges and Schools), **WASC-ACSCU** (Western Association of Schools and Colleges, Accrediting Commission for Senior Colleges and Universities), **AARTS** (Association of Advanced Rabbinical and Talmudic Schools), **ATS** (Commission on Accrediting of the Association of Theological Schools).

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

Amérique Centrale

Mexico (Central America)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill **MASTERS** program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licenciado, Licenciatura or Titulo** – awarded after at least four years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill **DOCTORATE** program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Maestria** – awarded after at least two years of study following a Licenciado, Licenciatura or Titulo.
- **Especializion** – awarded after at least two years of study following a Licenciado, Licenciatura or Titulo.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Typical Grading Scales:

Grade	Percent	10-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	100	10.0	Excelente (Excellent)	4.0
A-	90-99	9.0-9.9	Muy Bien (Very Good)	3.7
B	80-89	8.0-8.9	Bien (Good)	3.0
B-	70-79	7.0-7.9	Regular (Average)	2.7
C	60-69	6.0-6.9	Suficiente (Sufficient)	2.0
F	0-59	0-5.9	No Suficiente (Insufficient)	0

6 is the minimum passing grade

Grade	Percent	10-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	90-100	9-10	Muy Bien (Very Good)	4.0
B	80-89	8-8.9	Bien (Good)	3.0
C	70-79	7-7.9	Suficiente (Average)	2.0
F	0-69	0-6.9	No Suficiente (Fail)	0

7 is the minimum passing grade

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: **3.0/4.0.**

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

Related Information:

- Students who have completed all their coursework for a particular program, but have not submitted their thesis may receive a “carta de pasante” (leaving certificate). These students do not have a degree and do not have any professional privileges in their field of study.
- Many institutions of higher education issue students a “diploma” following the completion of their coursework, but prior to the submission of their thesis. These student do not have a degree and will not receive the Licenciado until successful completion of their thesis.
- Students may also receive a “diploma para pertenecer a la generacion de XXXX”. These student do not have a degree as students with this ‘diploma’ may not be finished their coursework or thesis.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

JAMAICA (Caribbean)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** – awarded after three to four years of study

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** – awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's degree

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Class/Division	Grade Points
A	1st Class Honours	4.0
B	Upper 2nd Class Honours	3.0
B-	Lower 2 nd Class Honours	2.7
C	Pass	2.0
F	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: Second Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

For Fellowships, a "Second Class, Upper Division" standing from this country is treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A "Second Class, Lower Division" standing is treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing will be converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Amérique du
Sud

Argentina (South America)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	10-point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	9 - 10	Sobresaliente (Outstanding)	4.0
A-	8	Distinguido (Very Good)	3.7
B+	7	Bueno (Average)	3.3
B	6	Bueno (Average)	3.0
C	4-5	Aprobado (Passed)	2.0
F	0-3	Insuficiente (Insufficient)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- In Argentina the first degree (ie: Licenciado) is also considered a license to practice a profession.
- Grades of 9 and 10 are rarely awarded and are reserved for outstanding performance. An average of 6 or higher generally represents above average performance while 8 or higher represents superior work.
- Failing grades will probably not be included on the transcript if the student passes a make up final examination.
- Private universities are generally more liberal with their grading than public universities.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licenciado** or **Licenciatura** – awarded after four or more years of study.
- **Profesor de Enseñanza Media, Profesor de Enseñanza Secundaria** (Professor of)
- **Título** (Professional Title), i.e., Abogado, Agrícola, Arquitecto, Bioquímico, Contador Público, Economista, Ingeniero, Médico, Odontólogo, etc – awarded after four or more years of study.
- **Master** or **Magister** – awarded one to two years after completion of Licenciado/Licenciatura or Título degree.
- **Médico Cirujano.**

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Doctorado** (Doctorate) – awarded after two to six years of study with dissertation, following completion of Licenciado/Licenciatura, Título or Magister degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Brazil (South America)



Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	10-point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	9.0-10.0	Excellent (Excelente)	4.0
B	7.0- 8.9	Good (Bom)	3.0
C	5.0-6.9	Average (Regular)	2.0
D	3.0-4.9	Insufficient (Insuficiente)	1.0
F	0-2.9	Deficient (Deficiente)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Bacharel and Licenciado degrees are often awarded simultaneously.
- The individual universities are autonomous in determining their own grading scales.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licenciado/Licenciatura** (Licenciate/License) - awarded after four to five years of study.
- **Bacharel/Bacharelado** (Bachelor's) - awarded after four to five years of study.
- **Título Profissional** (Professional Title) – awarded after four-to six-years of study.
- **Certificado Pós Graduação.**

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

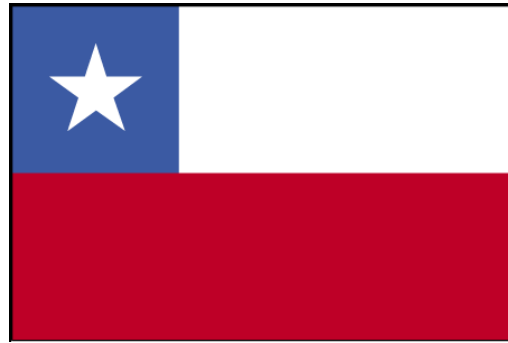
- **Mestrado** or **Mestre** – awarded after a one-year program (minimum) following the Licenciatura, Bacharelado or Título Profissional degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Chile (South America)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	6.0-7.0	Muy Bueno (Very Good)	4.0
B	5.0-5.9	Bueno (Good)	3.0
C	4.0-4.9	Suficiente (Sufficient)	2.0
F	0-3.9	Insuficiente (Insufficient)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Grades of seven are rarely awarded.
- The status of '**Egresado**' on the transcript indicates that all course work has been completed but the thesis is still pending (i.e.: the degree is not yet awarded)

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licenciado** or **Licenciatura** – awarded after four years of study
- **Titulo Profesional** (Professional Title) – awarded after four years of study

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Magister** – awarded after two or more years of study after the Licenciado, Licenciatura or Titulo

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Colombia (South America)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	5-pointscale	Grade Points
A	4.60-5.00	4.0
A-	4.00-4.59	3.7
B+	3.71-3.99	3.3
B	3.50-3.70	3.0
C	3.00-3.49	2.0
F	0-2.99	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- The minimum passing grade for most undergraduate programs is 3.0
- The minimum passing grade for most graduate programs is 3.5

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licenciado** – awarded after four or more years of study.
- **Titulo** – awarded after four or more years of study.
- **Maestro** (postsecondary).
- **Especialista/Tecnólogo Especializado** - second University degree awarded after one to four years of higher education
- **II Ciclo Teológico.**
- **Doctor en Medicina.**

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Magister, Magister Scientiae, Maestría or Master** - awarded upon completion of two years of higher education after the licenciado or other comparable first university degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Peru (South America)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	20 Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	16-20	Outstanding	4.0
A-	14-15	Excellent	3.7
B+	13	Very Good	3.3
B	12	Good	3.0
C	11	Pass	2.0
D	10	Conditional Pass	1.0
F	1-9	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- The Titulo and Licenciado degrees are awarded following the submission of a thesis after completion of a Bachiller program. These degrees can be awarded simultaneously or up to several years after the completion of the Bachiller.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Bachiller**— awarded after five or more years of study.
- Título** or **Licenciado** – awarded after five or more years of study.
- Titulo de Médico-Cirujano** – awarded after at least six or seven years of study.
- Titulo de Cirujano-Dentista** – awarded after at least five or six years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Magister** or **Magister Scientiae** – awarded after two years of study following one of the degrees listed above.
- Especialista** or **Maestro** – awarded after two years of study following one of the degrees listed above.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Venezuela (South America)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	20 Point Scale	Grade Points
A	19 - 20	4.0
A-	17 - 18	3.7
B+	15 - 16	3.3
B	13 - 14	3.0
C	11 - 12	2.0
D	10	1.0
F	0 - 9	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- The term Bachillier, which is normally translated as 'Bachelor', denotes an upper secondary school graduate and is not eligible for graduate studies.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Título Profesional or Licenciado – awarded after five or more years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Magister** – awarded after two years of study following the Título or Licenciado.
- Especialista** – awarded after two years of study following the Título or Licenciado.
- Doctor/Doctorado** – awarded after at least two years of study following the Título or Licenciado.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Océanie

Australia (Oceania)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	Description	Grade Points
A	High Distinction/First Class	4.0
B	Distinction/Second Class, Upper Division	3.0
B-	Credit/Second Class, Lower Division	2.7
C	Pass/Third	2.0
F	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Second Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

For Fellowships, a "Second Class, Upper Division" standing from this country will be treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A "Second Class, Lower Division" standing is treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing is converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Bachelor's Degree (Honours) – awarded after 4 years of study
- Post Graduate Diploma, Graduate Diploma or Master's Qualifying Year – awarded after three-year Bachelor's degree

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's Degree – awarded after a four-year Bachelor's degree or equivalent.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Related Information:

- Grading systems vary by institution
- Degrees are graded using an overall standing.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Moyen Orient

Egypt (Africa)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Scale A	Scale B	Scale C	Description	Grade Point
A	90-100	85-100	85-100	Excellent	4.0
A-	80-89	75-84	75-84	Very Good	3.7
B	65-79	65-74	65-74	Good	3.0
C	50-64	60-64	50-64	Pass	2.0
D	35-49	30-59	30-49	Weak	1.0
F	0-34	0-29	0-29	Fail	0

- Grading Scale A: used for the faculties of arts, language, Islamic studies, archaeology, commerce, economics and political science, law, and mass communications.
- Grading Scale B: used in the health sciences faculties.
- Grading Scale C: used in the faculties of education, engineering, fine arts, technology, social sciences, urban planning, and veterinary medicine.

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bakalorus (Bachelor's Degree)** – awarded after a minimum four to five years, depending on the field of study.
- **Postgraduate and professional diplomas** – awarded one to two years following the Bachelor's Degree.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Majiser (Master's Degree)** – awarded two years following the Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Iran (Middle East)



Typical Grading Scale:

10 Passing Grade:

Letter	20 Point Scale	Grade Points
A	16-20	4.0
B	14-15	3.0
C	12-13	2.0
D	10-11	1.0
F	0-9	0

13 Passing Grade:

Letter	20 Point Scale	Grade Points
A	18-20	4.0
B	15-17	3.0
C	13-14	2.0
F	0-12	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Licence, Licentiate or Karshenasi (Bachelor's Degree)** - awarded after four years of study following Kardani (Higher Diploma). Architecture requires five years of education.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Fogh Licence or Karshenasi Arshad (Master's degree)** - awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Related Information:

- Students must submit **original** documents in Persian and English, **certified and translated** by the Ministry of Justice and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Israel (Middle East)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	85-100	Excellent	4.0
B	75-84	Good	3.0
C	65-74	Fair	2.0
D	50-64	Pass	1.0
F	0-49	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree
- Doctor of Medicine, Dental Medicine or Veterinary Medicine – awarded after at least five years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** – awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Jordan (Middle East)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Grade Points
A	90-100	4.0
B	80-89	3.0
C	70-79	2.0
D	50-69	1.0
F	0-49	0

Percentages of 50-59 designate a range considered minimally passing for individual courses but failing as an average.

At the graduate level students must have a cumulative average of at least 70-75% to remain in good standing.

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science** - awarded after four to six years, depending on the field of study.
- **Bachelor of Dental Science** - awarded after five years of study.
- **Bachelor of Medicine & Surgery** - awarded after six years of study.
- **Postgraduate Diploma in Education** – awarded after one year following a four-year Bachelors degree.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Masters of Arts, Master of Science** – awarded after one to two years of study, following a four/five year Bachelors degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
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Kuwait (Middle East)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	9-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	9	Distinction	4.0
A-	8	Distinction	3.7
B+	7	Very Good	3.3
B	6	Very Good	3.0
B-	5	Very Good	2.7
C+	4	Good	2.3
C	3	Good	2.0
D+	2	Satisfactory	1.0
D	1	Satisfactory	1.0
F	0	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Schools were closed during the first Gulf War, but for students who remained in Kuwait during the period between August 1991 and July 1992 intensive courses were offered in order to make up the year that was missed.
- No student records were lost during the Gulf War.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's Degree** – awarded after four to five years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** – awarded after two years of study following completion of a Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
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- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Lebanon (Middle East)



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Related Information:

- Many variations exist in the grading scales used by Lebanese universities. The schemes offered below are for those most commonly seen at McGill.
- The Université St. Joseph has adopted the format of the European Bologna accord (ie: ECTS credits, 3 year Bachelor's (180 ECTS), 2 year Master's (120 ECTS) and 3 Year PhD). **The Université St. Joseph is the only university in Lebanon to have adopted Bologna standards.**

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Licence** – awarded after four years of university study
- Professional Titles (i.e. **Diplôme de Docteur en Médecine, Diplôme d'Ingénieur**)
- **Bachelor's degree** - awarded after four years of study
- **Licence** - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits (**Université St. Joseph only**)

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Diplôme d'Études Supérieures (DES) or Diplôme d'Études Approfondies (DEA)**
- **Master's degree** - awarded after a four year Bachelor's degree
- **Maîtrise** – awarded after a four year Licence
- **Master (de recherche)** - comprising 90 -120 ECTS credits (**Université St. Joseph only**)

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Typical Grading Scales:

***In some schools the minimum passing mark is 60%**

Grade	Percent	20-Point Scale	Lebanese University	American University of Beirut	Grade Points
A	Excellent 80-100	Exceptionnel 18-20	85 - 100	Outstanding 90-100	4.0
A-	-----	Très Bien 16-17.9	80 - 84	-----	3.7
B+	-----	Bien 14-15.9	75 - 79	Excellent 85-89	3.3
B	Very Good 70-79	Assez Bien 12-13.9	70 - 74	Very Good 80-84	3.0
B-	-----	-----	65 - 69	-----	2.7
C+	-----	-----	60 - 64	Good 75-79	2.3
C	Good 60-69	Passable 10-11.9	55 - 59	Fair 70-74	2.0
D	Satisfactory 50-59	-----	50 - 54	Weak 60-69	1.0
F	Fail 0-49	Insuffisant 0-9.9	0 - 49	Fail 0-59	0

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Libya (Africa)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	85-100	Excellent	4.0
A-	75-84	Very Good	3.7
B	65-74	Good	3.0
C	50-64	Pass	2.0
D	35-49	Weak	1.0
F	0-34	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree - awarded after four to five years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's degree – awarded upon completion of two years of university study beyond the Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Saudi Arabia (Middle East)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	5 point scale	4 point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	90-100	4.0-5.0	3.6-4.0	Excellent	4.0
B	80-89	3.0-3.9	2.6-3.59	Very Good	3.0
C	70-79	2.0-2.9	1.6-2.59	Good	2.0
D	60-69	1.0-1.9	1.0-1.59	Pass, Weak	1.0
F	0-59	0.0-0.9	0.0-0.99	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

The languages of instruction in Saudi Arabia are English and Arabic. Scientific and Technological subjects are normally taught in English and all others in Arabic.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** - awarded after four to six years of study.
- **Doctor of Dental Medicine, Bachelor of Agriculture and Veterinary Medicine, Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine and Surgery** - awarded after five years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** - awarded after two years of study following a Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

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SYRIA

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree (Licence/Licentiate)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's degree

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale:

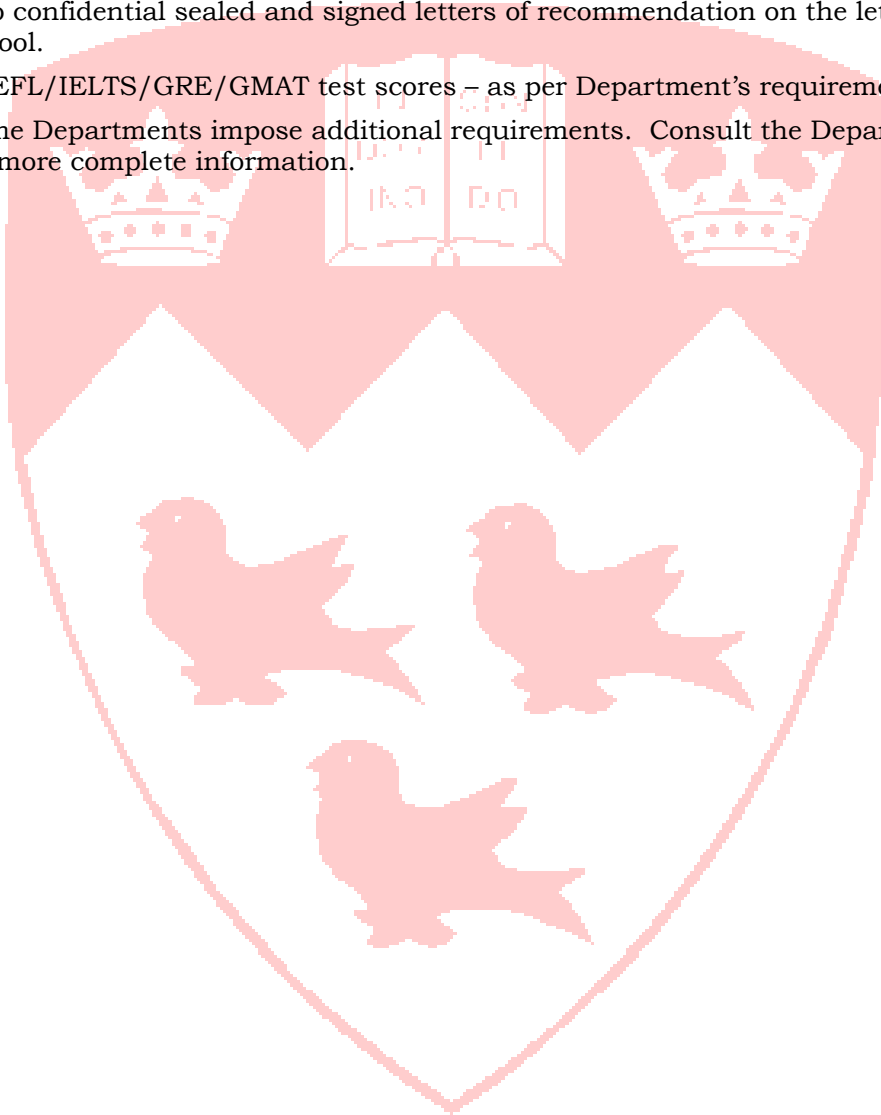
Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	90-100	Honors	4.0
A-	80-89	Distinction	3.7
B+	70-79	Very Good	3.3
B	60-69	Good	3.0
C	50-59	Pass	2.0
F	0-49	Fail	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

$$\text{CGPA Calculation: } GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department’s requirements.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.



United Arab Emirates (Middle East)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree – awarded after four years of study
- Licenciante
- Bachelor of Medicine/Bachelor of Surgery

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Masters

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Typical Grading Scales:

Grade	Percent	Grade Points
A	90-100	4.0
B+	85-89	3.3
B	80-84	3.0
C+	75-79	2.3
C	70-74	2.0
D+	65-69	1.3
D	60-64	1.0
F	0-59	0

4-point Grading Scale

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	3.6-4.0	Excellent	4.0
B+	3.0-3.5	Very Good	3.3
B	2.5-2.9	Good	3.0
C	2.0-2.4	Pass	2.0
F	0 - 2	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Europe

Austria (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	1	Very Good (Sehr Gut)	4.0
B	2	Good (Gut)	3.0
C	3	Satisfactory (Befriedigend)	2.0
D	4	Sufficient (Genügend)	1.0
F	5	Fail (Nicht Genügend)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Overall standing here.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former (Austrian) System:

- Magister/Magistra (4-5 years)
- Diplom-Ingénieur (5 years)
- Mag. Med. Vet or Diplom-Tierarzt
- Doktor Medicinæ Universae
- Doctor Med. Dent.
- Diplom der Diplomatischen Akademie
- Post-Graduale Studien

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bakkalaureus comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former (Austrian) System:

- Doktor

Current European system (Bologna):

- Magister comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Belgium (Europe)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Belgian System:

- Licence/Licentie or Licencié/Licentiaat
- Ingénieur (Engineer) (4-5 years)
- Diplôme (Diploma) (4-5 years)
- Doctorat (Médecine or Médecine Vétérinaire)

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bachelor's comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Belgian System:

- Docteur/Doctor or Doctorat/Doctoreat
- Maîtrise (5 or more years)
- Professional Titles (5 or more years)

Current European system (Bologna):

- Master's comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	18-20	Highest Distinction	4.0
A-	16-17	Great Distinction	3.7
B	14-15	Distinction	3.0
C	10-13	Sufficient	2.0
F	0-9	Fail	0

10 Passing Grade

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	16-20	Great Distinction	4.0
B	14-15	Distinction	3.0
C	12-13	Sufficient	2.0
F	0-11	Fail	0

12 Passing Grade

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

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BULGARIA

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Diplom za Zavarsheno Visshe Obrazovanie (Diploma of Completed Higher Education) – awarded upon completion of a four-, four and one-half, or five-year program at a tertiary specialized institute or academy, pedagogical institute or university.
- Degree of Bakalavr (Bachelor) from a four-year program.
- Degree of Magistr (Master) from a five-year program.

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Diploma za Kandidat na Naukite (Diploma of Candidate of Sciences).
- Diploma za Doktor na Naukite (Diploma of Doctor of Sciences).

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale

Letter	6-point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	6	Otlichen (Excellent)	4
A-	5	Mnogo Dobar (Very Good)	3.7
B	4	Dobar (Good)	3
C	3	Sreden (Average)	2
F	Below 2	Slab (Fail)	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Calculation:
$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

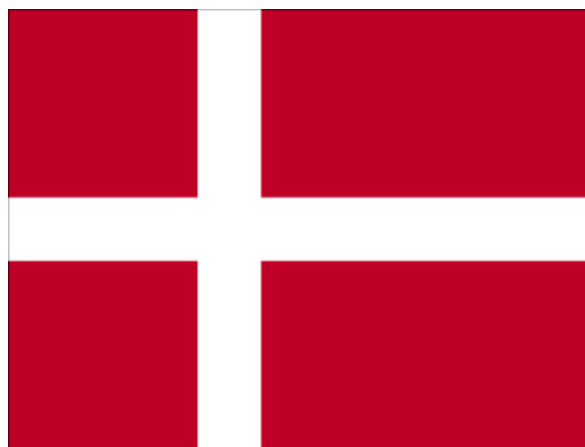
REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two certified copies of original language degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two certified English translations of degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores - as per Department's requirements.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Denmark (Europe)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Seven Point Scale *	13 Point Scale	Grade Points
A	12	10-13	4.0
A-	10	-	3.7
B	7	7-9	3.0
C	4	6	2.0
D	02	-	1.0
F	00	0-5	0
F	-3	-	0

*Seven point scale used as of August 2007

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill **MASTERS** program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Danish System:

- Candidatus-awarded after four to five years of study
- Civilingeniør (Engineer)-awarded after five years of study

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bachelor's degree comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill **DOCTORATE** program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Danish System:

- Licentiat-awarded after 3 years of study following Candidatus or Civilingeniør
- Magister-awarded after 6 years of study

Current European system (Bologna):

- Master's degree comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: **3.0/4.0.**

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
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- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Estonia (Europe)



Grade	Numeric	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	5	91-100	Excellent	4.0
A-	4	81 - 90	Very Good	3.7
B	3	71 - 80	Good	3.0
C	2	61 - 70	Sufficient	2.0
D	1	51 - 60	Poor	1.0
F	0	0 - 50	Fail	0.0

Typical Grading Scale:

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former (Estonian) System:

- Bachelor's (4 years)

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bakalaureus comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former (Estonian) System:

- Magister

Current European system (Bologna):

- Magistrikraad/Magister comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

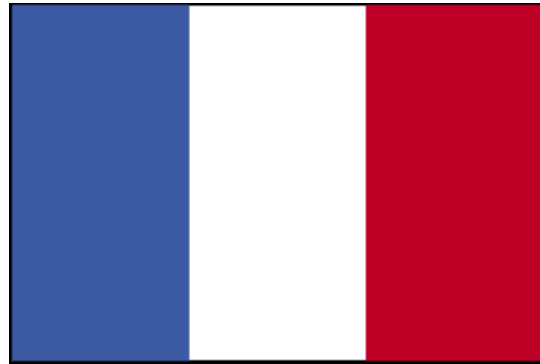
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- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

France (Europe)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	20 Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	16-20	Très Bien (Outstanding)	4.0
A-	14-15.9	Bien (Very Good)	3.7
B+	13-13.9	Assez Bien (Good)	3.3
B	12-12.9	Assez Bien (Good)	3.0
C	10-11.9	Passable (Pass)	2.0
F	0 – 9.99	Ajourné (Fail)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Assez-Bien.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- There is the possibility of an overlap between the old and new systems. Students who started under the old system have the option to switch to the new system at any point in their studies.
- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former French System:

- **Maîtrise**, four years of study after Baccalaureate (BACC +4)
- **Diplôme d'Ingénieur** or **Diplôme d'Architecte**
- **Diplôme d'État de Docteur**: en Médecine, en Chirurgie Dentaire, en Pharmacie ou en Médecine Vétérinaire
- **Diplôme d'une Grande École**

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Licence, Diplôme** (institut, grande école or école supérieure) comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former French System:

- **Diplôme d'Études Supérieures (DES)** or **Diplôme d'Études Supérieures Spécialisées (DESS)**
- **Diplôme d'Études Approfondies (DEA)**
- **Mastère**

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Master** (de recherche) comprising 90-120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Germany (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	1	Sehr Gut (Very Good)	4.0
B	2	Gut (Good)	3.0
B-	3	Befriedigend (Satisfactory)	2.7
C	4	Ausreichend (Sufficient)	2.0
D	5	Mangelhaft (Deficient)	1.0
F	6	Ungenügend (Insufficient)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: An overall standing of "Gut".

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former German System:

- Diplom from a University after four to five years of study
- Magister Artium
- Staatsexamen, Straatsprüfung or Erste Juristische Staatsprüfung

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bakkalaureus comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former German System:

- Doktorat or Doktor

Current European system (Bologna):

- Magister comprising 90-120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

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GREECE

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Ptychio (Diploma) – awarded after four years of study in the fields of Arts, Business, Communication & Mass Media, Economics, Education, Humanities, Law, Management, Mathematics, Nursing, Philosophy, Political Sciences, Sciences, Social Sciences and Theology. Awarded after five years of study in the fields of Agriculture and Forestry, Veterinary Medicine, Dentistry and Engineering. Awarded after six years of study in the field of Medicine.

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Diploma Metaptychiakon (Diploma of Graduate Studies) – awarded after one to two years of study after a Ptychio.

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale

Letter	10-point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	8.5 - 10	Excellent	4
B	7.0 - 8.4	Very Good	3
C	5.0 - 6.9	Good	2
F	Below 5	Fail	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Calculation:
$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department's requirements
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Hungary (Europe)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Hungarian System:

- **Oklevél/Egyetemi Oklevél (University-level degree)** – awarded after four to six years of study.

Current European System (Bologna):

- **Alapfokozat (Bachelor's)** - comprising 180–240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Hungarian System:

- **Szakirányú Továbbképzési Oklevél (Post-university Further Specialization Degree)** – awarded after one to three years of study
- **Doktor/Mester** – awarded after three years of study

Current European System (Bologna):

- **Mesterfokozat (Master)** - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	5-point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	5	Jeles/Excellent	4.0
B	4	Jó/Good	3.0
C	3	Közepes/Fair	2.0
D	2	Elégséges/Satisfactory	1.0
F	1	Elégtelen/Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.
- Diploma supplement

Iceland (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Grade Point
A	9-10 (Distinction/Honours)	4.0
A-	7.25-8.99 (First Class)	3.7
B	6.0-7.24 (Second Class)	3.0
C	5.0-5.99 (Third Class)	2.0
F	0-4.99 (Fail)	0

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Icelandic System:

- Bachelor's degree - awarded after three or four years of study
- Kandidatus degree - awarded after a minimum of four years of study

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bachelor's degree - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Icelandic System:

- Meistaraprof degree - awarded after two to three years following the Bachelor's degree

Current European system (Bologna):

- Master's degree - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

Italy (Europe)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Grade Points
A	30	4.0
A-	28-29	3.7
B+	26-27	3.3
B	24-25	3.0
B-	22-23	2.7
C+	20-21	2.3
C	18-19	2.0
No credit	0-17	

Note: Standards may vary among institutions and grading systems are subject to change. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Italian System:

- Laurea

Current European system (Bologna):

- Laurea-L comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Italian System:

- Diploma di Specialista

Current European system (Bologna):

- Laurea Magistrale comprising 90 - 120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Latvia (Europe)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	9-10	Teicami (Excellent)/Izcili (with Distinction)	4.0
B+	8	Loti labi (Very good)	3.3
B	7	Labi (Good)	3.0
C+	6	Gandrīz labi (Almost good)	2.3
C	5	Viduveji (Satisfactory)	2.0
D	4	Gandrīz Viduveji (Almost Satisfactory)	1.0
F	0-3	Neapmierinosi (Unsatisfactory)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Latvian System:

- **Bakalaura degree** - awarded after four years of study
- **Diploms** leading to professional qualifications – awarded after four to five years of study

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Bachelor's degree** - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Latvian System:

- **Magistrs** - awarded after one to three years following Bakalaura degree or Diploms

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Master's degree** - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Liechtenstein (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Grade Points
A	6	4.0
B	5	3.0
C	4	2.0
F	1-3	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Liechtenstein System:

- Bachelor's degree - awarded after three to six years of study.

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bachelor's degree - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Liechtenstein System:

- Master's degree - awarded after two to four years of study following the Bachelor's degree.

Current European system (Bologna):

- Master's degree - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Netherlands (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	9-10	Uitmuntend (Excellent)	4.0
B+	8	Goed (Good)	3.3
B	7	Ruim Voldoende (Amplly Satisfactory)	3.0
C	6	Voldoende (Satisfactory)	2.0
D	5	Bijna Voldoende (Almost Satisfactory)	1.0
F	1-4	Onvoldoende (Insufficient)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass (Voldoende)/Fail (Onvoldoende) basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Dutch System:

- **Doctoraal, Doctorandus, Ingenieur or Meester** from a University - awarded after 4 to 6 years of study.

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Bachelor's degree** - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Dutch System:

- **Doctor** - awarded after at least 4 years of study.

Current European system (Bologna):

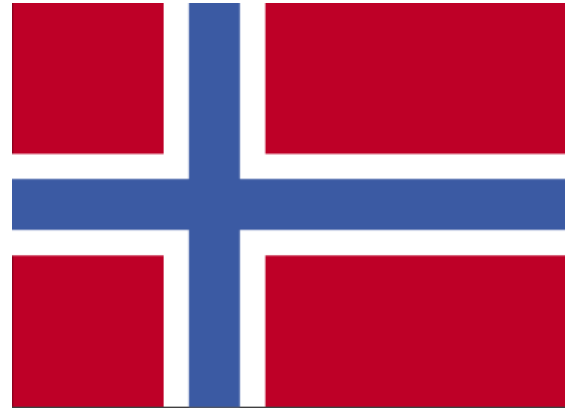
- **Master's degree** - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Norway (Europe)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Numeric	Grade Points
A	1.0 – 2.3	4.0
B	2.4 – 2.7	3.0
B-	2.8 – 3.2	2.7
C	3.3 – 4.0	2.0
F	4.1 – 6.0	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Norwegian System:

- **Candidatus/Candidata Magisterii** – awarded after three to five years of study

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Bachelor's degree** - comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Norwegian System:

- **Candidatus/Candidata _____** - awarded after one and half to two years following the Candidatus/Candidata Magisterii.

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Master's degree** - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Poland (Europe)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Polish System:

- Dyplom Tytuł Magister-awarded after four to six years of study.
- Tytuł Lekarz (Title of Physician)-awarded after six years of study.

Current European system (Bologna):

- Bachelor's degree-comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Polish System:

Doktor-awarded after at least 3 years of study following Dyplom Tytuł Magister or Tytuł Lekarz.

Current European system (Bologna):

- Master's degree-comprising 90-120 ECTS credits and following a Bachelor's degree (180-240 ECTS credits).

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	5	Very Good (Bardzo Dobry)	4.0
B	4	Good (Dobry)	3.0
C	3	Satisfactory (Dostateczny)	2.0
F	0-2	Fail (Niedostateczny)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

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ROMANIA

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Diploma de Licenta (Diploma of Licenciate)
- Diploma de Inginer (Diploma of Engineering)
- Diploma de Arhitect (Diploma of Architect)
- Diploma de Doctor-Medic (Diploma of Doctor-Physician)
- Professional titles awarded after four to five years of study at university level

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Diploma de Studii Aprofundate (Diploma of Advanced Studies)

Degree must be awarded from an institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale:

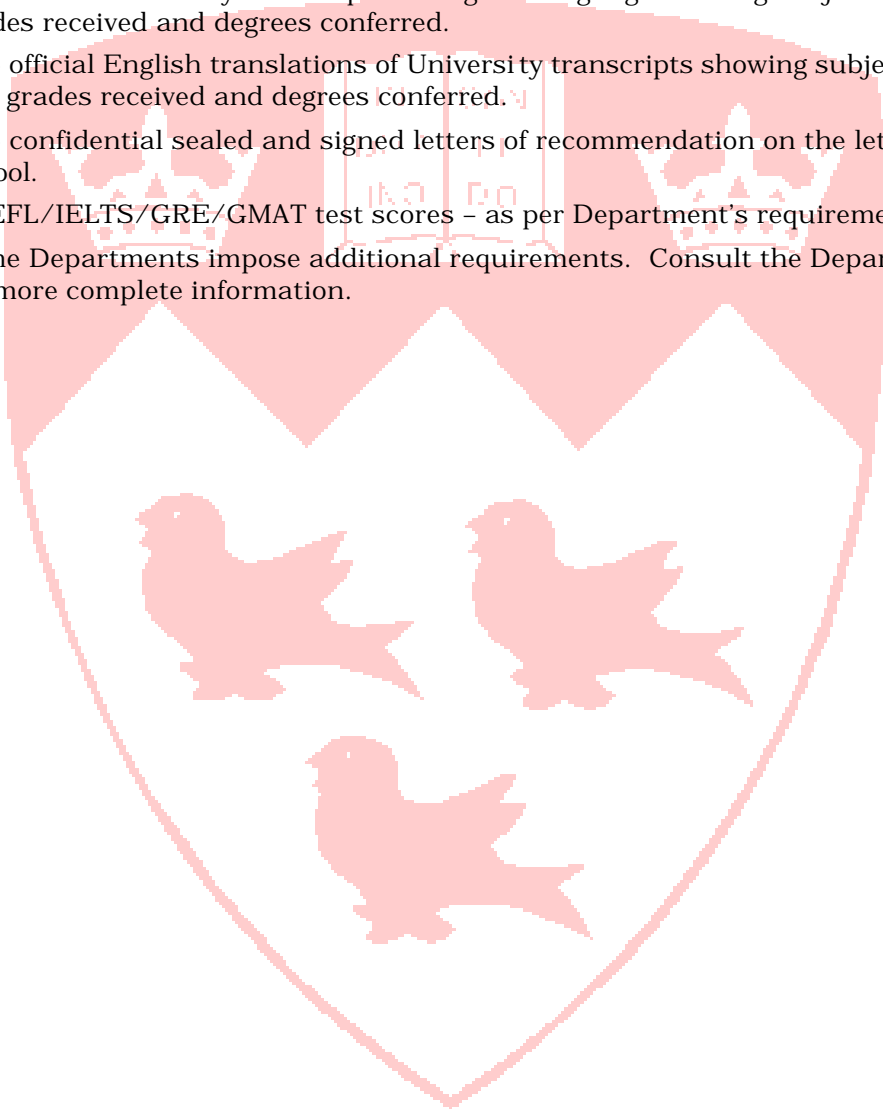
Grade	10-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	9-10	Excelent (Excellent)	4
B	7-8	Bun (Good)	3
C	5-6	Suficient (Sufficient)	2
F	Below 5	Fail	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Calculation:
$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores - as per Department's requirements.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.



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RUSSIAN FEDERATION

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Diplom spetsialista (Diploma of Specialist)
- Diplom magistra (Magistr Diploma)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Kandidat Nauk (Candidate of Sciences)

Degree must be awarded from an institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale:

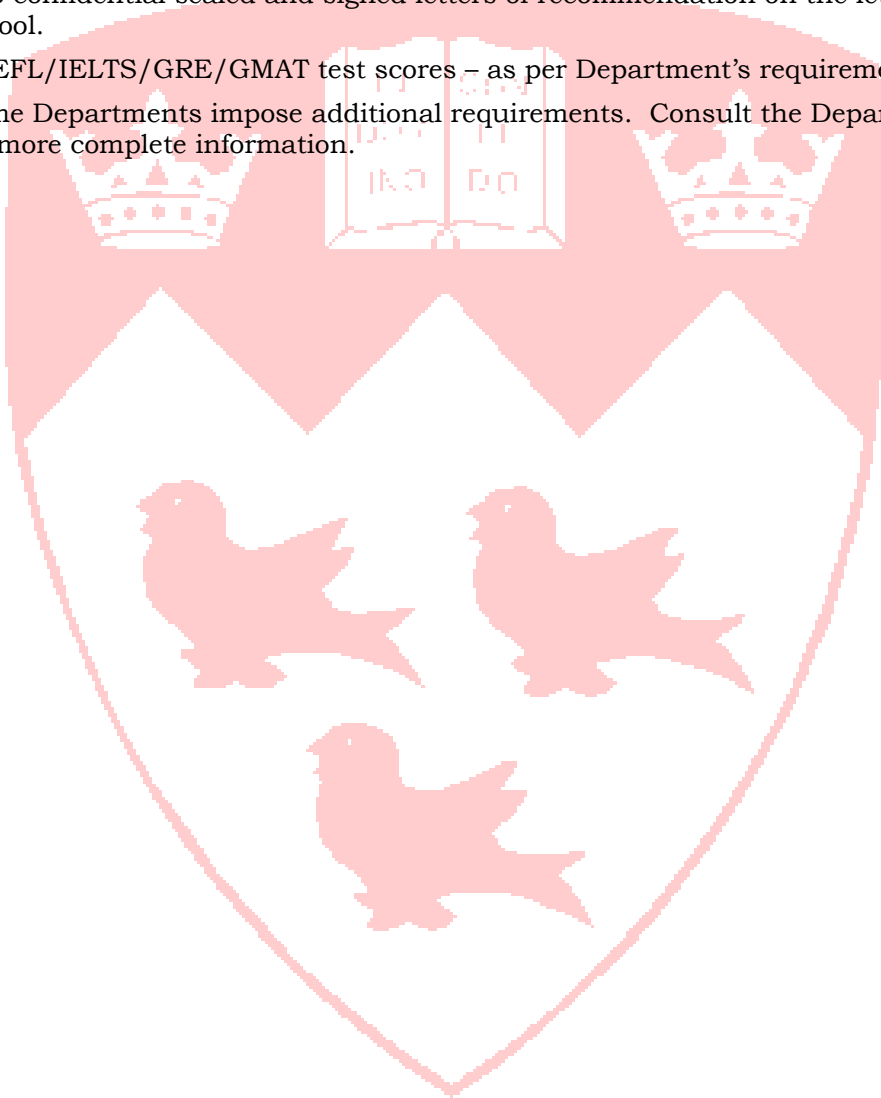
Grade	5-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	5	Otlichno (Excellent)	4.0
B	4	Khorosho (Good)	3.0
C	3	Udovietvoritel'no (Satisfactory)	2.0
F	2	Neudovietvoritel'no (Fail)	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

$$\text{CGPA Calculation: } GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department’s requirements.
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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Licenciado or Licenciatura (five years)
- Bachiller (four to five years)
- Ingeniero (five years)
- Arquitecto
- Grado de Licenciado

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Licenciado or Licenciatura (seven years)
- Doctorado/Doctorate (two years of coursework plus dissertation following completion of Licenciado, Arquitecto and Ingeniero degree)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale

Letter	Numeric Grade	Description	Grade Points
A	9-10	Sobresaliente (Outstanding)	4.0
A-	7-8	Notable (Very Good)	3.7
B	6	Bien (Good)	3.0
C	5	Aprobado (Pass)	2.0
F	0-4	Suspenso/Insuficiente (Fail)	0

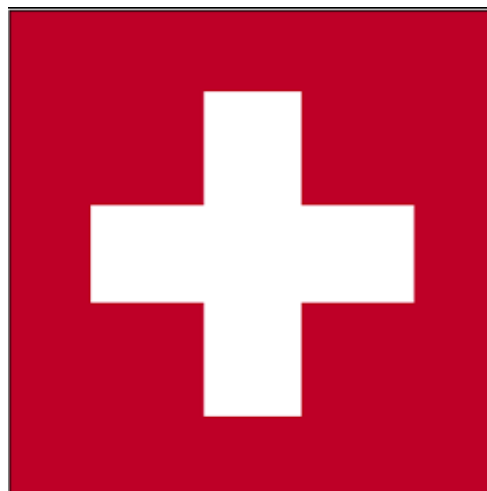
- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Calculation:
$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department’s requirements
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Switzerland (Europe)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Swiss System:

- **Licence/Lizentiat or Diploma/Diplôme** - awarded after four to six years of university study or from a Federal Institute of Technology

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Bachelor's degree**- comprising 180-240 ECTS credits

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Swiss System:

- **Doctorat** - awarded after three to five years of study following Licence/Lizentiat or Diploma/Diplôme
- **Diplôme d'Etudes Approfondies (DEA)** - awarded after one to two years of study following Licence/Lizentiat or Diploma/Diplôme

Current European system (Bologna):

- **Master** - comprising 90-120 ECTS credits

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	6 point scale	10 point scale	5 point scale	Grade Points
A	6	9-10	1	4.0
A-	5.5	-	-	3.7
B+	5	8	-	3.3
B	4.5	7	2	3.0
B-	-	-	-	2.7
C	4	6	3	2.0
D	-	5	4	1.0
F	0-3.9	0-4	5	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

Turkey (Europe)



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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Turkish System:

- Lisans Diploması (Licentiate diploma) or Bachelor's degree, after four years of study
- Mühendis Diploması (Engineering degree)

Current European system (Bologna):

- Lisans Diploması (Licentiate diploma) or Bachelor's degree comprising 180-240 ECTS credits.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

Former Turkish System:

- Yüksek Lisans Diploması (Higher Licentiate Diploması) or Master's degree
- Yüksek Mühendis Unvanı (Master of Engineering)

Current European system (Bologna):

- Yüksek Lisans Diploması (Higher Licentiate Diploması) or Master's degree comprising 90 - 120 ECTS credits.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	10-Point Scale	Description	Grade Points
A	85-100	9-10	Pek iyi (Excellent)	4.0
B	65-84	7-8	Iyi (Good)	3.0
C	50-64	5-6	Orta (Average)	2.0
F	0-49	Below 5	Gecmez (Failure)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- Students who have completed a 90 ECTS credit Masters degree may be required, by the academic department, to complete extra course work as part of the McGill PhD.
- Students who have completed a 60 ECTS credit Masters Degree will normally be considered for admission to the McGill Masters.
- Transcripts should show local grades and may also show ECTS grades. ECTS grades cannot be used to calculate the CGPA accurately.
- Transcripts and/or Diploma Supplements should show ECTS credits for each course.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (including Diploma Supplement, if applicable) in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

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UKRAINE

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained at least one of the following:

- Diplom Spetsialista (Diploma of Specialist)
- Magistr (Master)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Kandidat Nauk (Candidate of Sciences)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: 3.0/4.0 or equivalent. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

Typical Grading Scale:

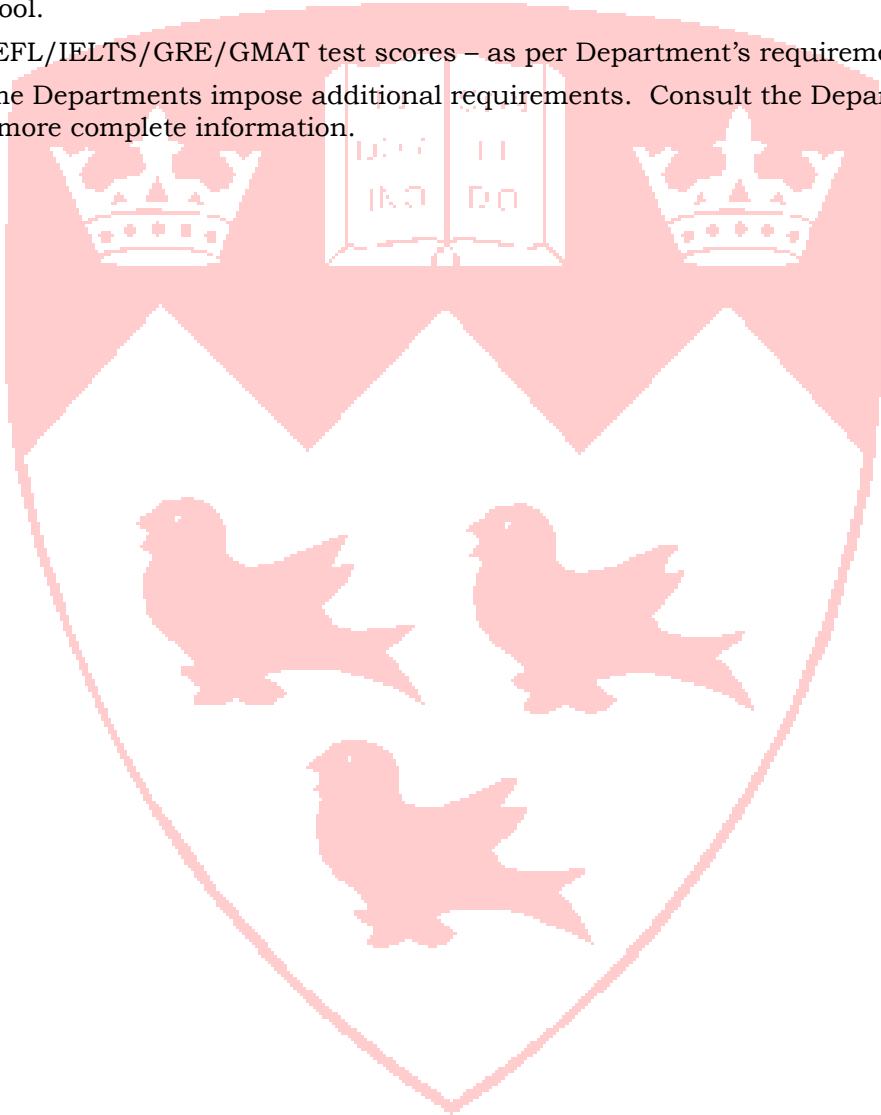
Grade	Numeric	Description	Grade Points
A	5	Excellent	4.0
B	4	Good	3.0
C	3	Satisfactory	2.0
F	2	Fail	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Calculation:
$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied, grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department’s requirements.
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UNITED KINGDOM

(England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland)

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTER'S program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree (England, Wales and Northern Ireland)
- Bachelor's degree, after four years of study at University (Scotland)
- Master of Arts degree (Scotland)

Degree must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's degree (England, Wales and Northern Ireland)
- Master's degree (other than Master of Arts) (Scotland)

Degree must be awarded from an institution which is recognized by the Graduate & Postdoctoral Studies Office.

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: Second Class Honours, Upper Division. Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department's web site.

In this system, where standings are reported in lieu of an average, the CGPA is determined on the following basis:

<i>Grade</i>	<i>Percent</i>	Class/Division	Grade Points
<i>A</i>	<i>70 -100</i>	First Class Honours	4.0
B	60 - 69	Second Class Honours, Upper Division	3.0
<i>B-</i>	<i>53-59</i>	Second Class Honours, Lower Division	2.7
<i>C</i>	<i>42-52</i>	Third Class Honours	2
<i>D</i>	<i>38-41</i>	Pass	1
<i>F</i>	<i>0-37</i>	Fail	0

- Grading scales may vary by University. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

$$\text{CGPA Calculation: } GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

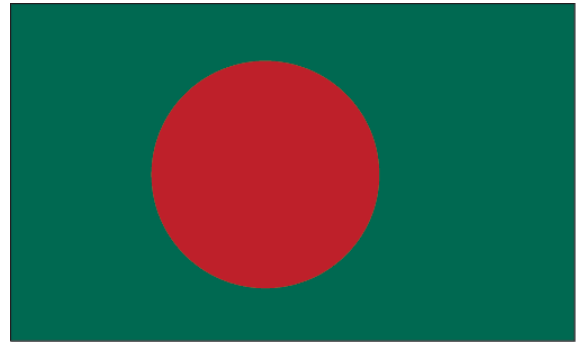
For Fellowships, and in order not to penalize potential applicants with regard to preselection for various funding programs, a “Second Class Honours, Upper Division” standing from this country will be treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A “Second Class Honours, Lower Division” standing will be treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing will be converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as per Department’s requirements.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department web site for more complete information.

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Bangladesh (Asia)



Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	75 – 100	First Class (Honours)	4.0
A-	60 – 74	First Class	3.7
B	55 – 59	Second Class, Upper	3.0 – 3.3
B-	50 – 54	Second Class, Lower	2.7
C	33 - 49	Third Class	2.0
F	Below 33	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 2nd Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

For Fellowships, a "Second Class, Upper Division" standing from this country is treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A "Second Class, Lower Division" standing is treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing will be converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Bachelor of Law (LLB), Bachelor of Engineering or Bachelor of Science (Engg), Bachelor of Science (Honours) in agricultural-related fields, Doctor of Veterinary Medicine – awarded after four years of study.
- Bachelor of Architecture, Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS), Bachelor of Dental Science (BDS) - awarded after five years of study.
- Master of Arts, Commerce, Education, Fine Arts or Science - awarded after a three-year Bachelors degree.
- Masters of Business Administration; Master of Defense Studies

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

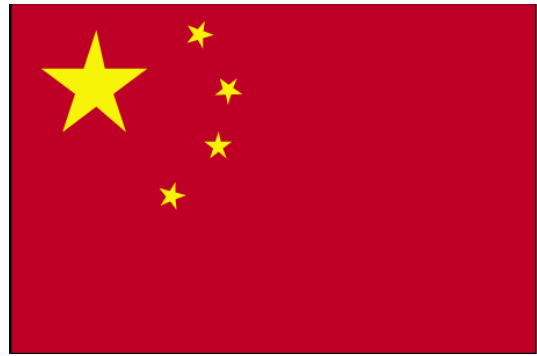
- Master of Law (LLM), Master of Philosophy (M. Phil), Master of Science in agricultural-related fields, Master of Engineering or Science (Engineering), Master of Library Science or Statistics.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (Mark Sheets) showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts (Mark Sheets) showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two certified copies of original language degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two certified English translations of degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

People's Republic of China (East Asia)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's Degree (学士学位)** – awarded after four or five years of university studies.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's Degree (硕士学位)** - awarded after two or three years of study following the Bachelors degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Related Information:

- The bachelor's degree (after 4 years of study) is considered the minimum degree required to pursue graduate studies.
- Failing grades are rare and grades tend to be inflated.
- Students must supply a degree certificate (学位证书) **and** a graduation certificate (毕业证书) as it is possible to graduate without earning a degree.
- An additional two years of study after the bachelor's degree can lead to a 2nd bachelor's in another area of study.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two certified copies of original language degree certificate and graduation certificate showing degree conferred.
- Two certified English translations of degree certificate and graduation certificate showing degree conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	90-100	Excellent	4.0
B	80-89	Good	3.0
C	70-79	Average	2.0
D	60-69	Pass	1.0
F	0-59	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

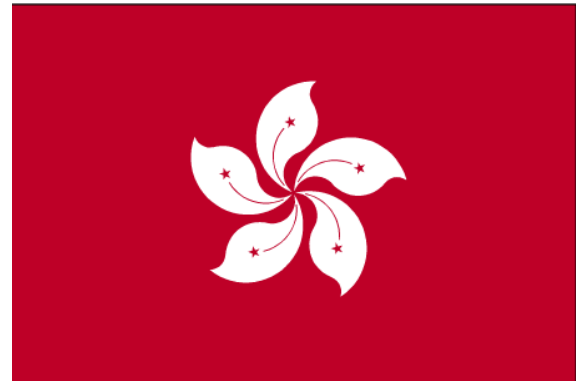
Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Hong Kong (Asia)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	Description	Grade Points
A	First Class Honours	4.0
B	Second Class Honours, Upper Division	3.0
B-	Second Class Honours, Lower Division	2.7
C	Third Class	2.0
D	Pass	1.0
F	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Second Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate:

For Fellowships, a "Second Class, Upper Division" standing from this country is treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A "Second Class, Lower Division" standing is treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing will be converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's degree (Honours)** – awarded after four years of study depending on the program.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** – awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
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- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

India (Asia)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Division or Class	Grade Points
A	80-100	Distinction	4.0
A-	60-79	First Division	3.7
B	55-59	Upper, Second Division	3.0
B-	50-54	Lower, Second Division	2.7
C	33-49	Third Division	2.0
F	0-32	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Second Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

In this system overall standings are reported in lieu of an average. Therefore the CGPA is determined on the basis of annual or overall standings as reported on the transcript or degree certificate.

For Fellowships, a "Second Class, Upper Division" standing from this country is treated as a B+. This is consistent with a number of external agencies. A "Second Class, Lower Division" standing is treated as a B- since it does not meet our minimum for admission. No standing will be converted to B for the purposes of fellowships.

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** – awarded after four or five years of study
- **Bachelor's degree** – awarded after three years of study if the school awarding the degree has a current NAAC rating of "A" or higher
- **Master of Arts, Master of Science, Master of Education, Master of Commerce or Master of Business Administration** - awarded after two years of study beyond a three year Bachelor's degree if the school awarding the Bachelor's degree is **not** currently rated "A" or higher by the NAAC

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Master's degree** - awarded after two years of study beyond a four or five year Bachelor's degree (a three year Bachelor's degree if the school awarding the Bachelor's degree is currently rated "A" or higher by the NAAC)
- **Master of Philosophy** – awarded after one to two years of study following the Master of Science, Arts or Commerce
- **LLM** - awarded after two years of study beyond the Bachelor of Laws

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

N.B. Bachelor's degrees awarded by schools with a current NAAC rating of "A" or higher, are recognized as equivalent to a McGill Bachelor's degree.

Related Information:

- At the Master's level students must obtain at least a 40% overall grade in order to graduate.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Indonesia (Asia)



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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Sarjana S1 (Strata Satu)** – awarded after at least four years of study. Studies in Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Science, Pharmacy and Engineering require from one to three additional years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Magister S2 (Strata Dua)** - awarded after at least two years of study following the Sarjana S1.
- **Doktor S3 (Strata Tiga)** – awarded after two to four years of study following the Magister S2.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	4-point scale	Description	Grade Points
A	4	Excellent	4.0
B	3	Good	3.0
C	2	Average	2.0
D	1	Passed	1.0
F	0	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

Related Information:

- **Sarjana** degree certificates should include the subject studied in addition to the degree name.
- In special cases students may pursue a **Doktor** degree upon completion of their first degree.

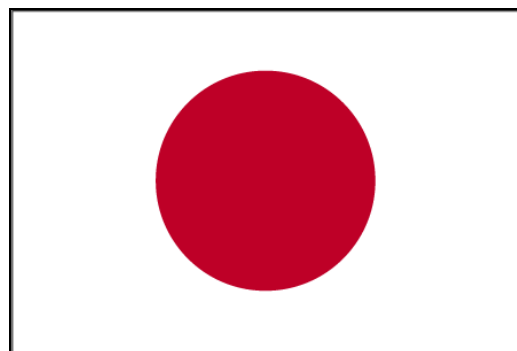
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- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Japan (Asia)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	80-100	Shu (Superior)	4.0
B	70-79	Yu (Excellent)	3.0
C	60-69	Ryo (Good)	2.0
F	0-59	Fuka (Fail)	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum (\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum (\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Gakushi (Bachelor's degree)** - awarded by a Daigaku (University) after four years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

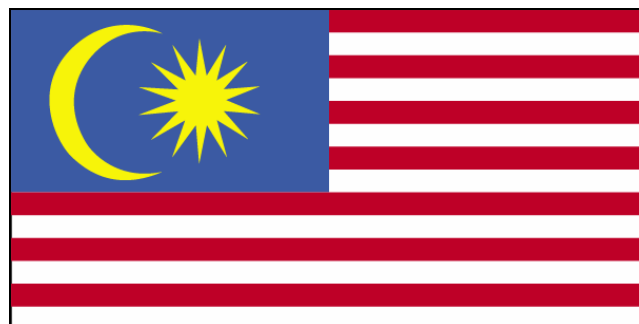
- **Shushi (Master's degree)** - awarded by a Daigaku (University) after two years of study following a four year Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Malaysia (Asia)



MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** - awarded after four to five years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** - awarded after at least two years of study following a four year Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Related Information:

- Some universities use alternate overall standings to those listed in the typical grading scale. The alternates are : Pass with distinction = A, Pass with High Credit = B, Pass with Credit = C, Pass = D, Fail = F.

Typical Grading Scale:

Letter	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	70-100	First Class	4.0
B	60-69	Second Class: Upper Division	3.0
B-	50-59	Second Class: Lower Division	2.7
C	40-49	Third Class	2.0
F	0-39	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

**Minimum undergraduate CGPA required:
Second Class, Upper Division.**

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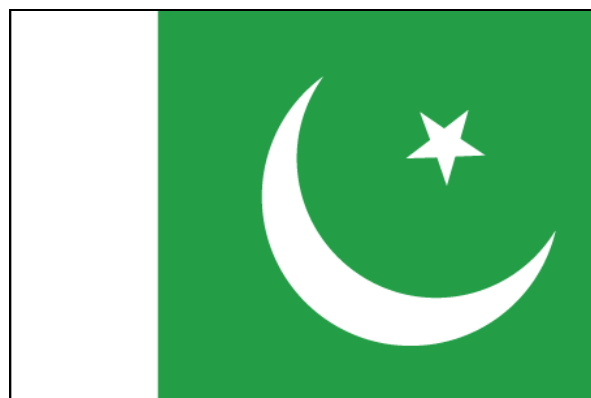
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- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Pakistan (Asia)



Postdoctoral Studies.



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Description	Grade Points
A	75-100	Division I	4.0
A-	60-74	Division I	3.7
B	55-59	Division II, Upper	3.0
B-	45-54	Division II, Lower	2.7
C	33-44	Division III	2.0
F	0-32	Fail	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required: Second Class, Upper Division.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Bachelor of Dental Surgery; Doctor of Veterinary Medicine; Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Husbandry; Bachelor of Engineering; Bachelor of Science (Engineering); Bachelor of Science (Town Planning); Bachelor of Science (Agricultural Engineering); Bachelor of Arts (Honours) or Bachelor of Science (Honours); Bachelor of Technology; Bachelor of Laws – awarded after four years of study.
- Bachelor of Medicine – Bachelor of Surgery; Bachelor of Architecture - awarded after five years of study.
- Master of Arts; Master of Arts, Library Science; Master of Business Administration; Master of Education; Master of Fine Arts; Master of Science; Master of Science, Home Science – awarded after one or two years of study following a two or three year Bachelor's.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- Master of Education (Business Education, Industrial Arts); Master of Law; Master of Philosophy; Master of Science in Engineering; Master of Science in Basic Medical Sciences, Master of Science in Forestry; Master of Surgery; Doctor of Education or Doctor of Medicine – awarded after two years of study following a four year Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts (Mark Sheets) showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts (Mark Sheets) showing subjects studied and grades received.
- Two certified copies of original language degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two certified English translations of degree certificate/diploma showing degree conferred.
- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Singapore (Asia)



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Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Description	Grade Points
A	Distinction/Excellent/First Class	4.0
B	Very Good/Second Class, Upper Division	3.0
B-	Good/Second Class, Lower Division	2.7
C	Pass/Third	2.0
F	Fail	0

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CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: Second Class, Upper Division.

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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Bachelor's Degree (Honours)** – awarded after four years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

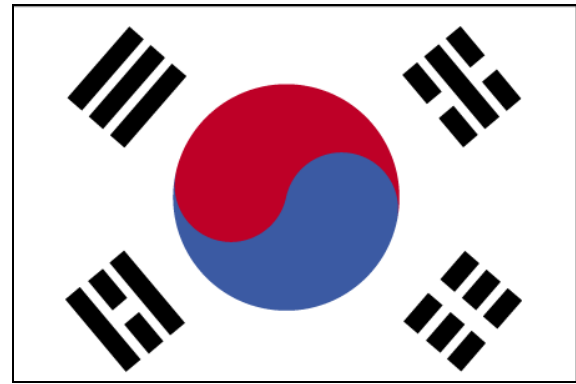
- **Master's Degree** – awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

South Korea (Asia)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Grade Points
A	90-100	4.0
B+	85-89	3.3
B	80-84	3.0
C+	75-79	2.3
C	70-74	2.0
D	60-69	1.0
F	0-59	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

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MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained one of the following:

- **Bachelor's Degree** - awarded after four years of study.
- **Bachelor of Science Medicine or Dentistry** - awarded after six years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

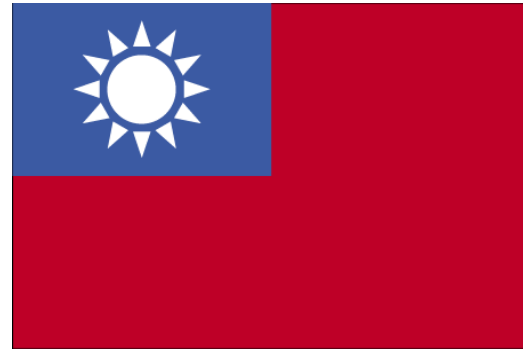
- **Master's Degree** - awarded after two years of study following the Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

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- Two confidential sealed and signed letters of recommendation on the letterhead of the school.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.

Taiwan (East Asia)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Percent	Grade Points
A	80 - 100	4.0
B	70 - 79	3.0
C	60 - 69	2.0
F	0 - 59	0

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained on of the following:

- **Bachelor's degree** (学士学位) - awarded after completion of a four/five year program, depending on the field of study.
- **Bachelor's degree in Dentistry** (学士学位牙医) - awarded after six years of study.
- **Doctor of Medicine** (医学博士) – awarded after a seven-year program or a five year program requiring a four/five year Bachelor's degree.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- **Master's degree** (硕士学位) - awarded after a Bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

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Related Information:

- The minimum passing grade for graduate students is 70

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- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
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THAILAND (Asia)



Typical Grading Scale:

Grade	Grade Points
A	4.0
B+	3.3
B	3.0
C+	2.3
C	2.0
D+	1.0
D	1.0
F	0

Grading scales may vary. Please refer to grading scale on transcript. Some subjects granted on a Pass/Fail basis.

CGPA Required:

Minimum undergraduate CGPA required is: 3.0/4.0.

Many departments have higher minimum requirements. Please refer to individual Department websites.

$$GPA = \frac{\sum(\text{course credit} \times \text{grade points})}{\sum(\text{GPA course credits})}$$

MINIMUM CREDENTIALS REQUIRED:

To be admitted to a McGill MASTERS program, you must have obtained the following:

- Bachelor's degree – awarded after four to five years of study.
- Doctor of ... – awarded after six years of study.

To be admitted to a McGill DOCTORATE program, you must have obtained the following:

- Master's degree – awarded after one to two years of study beyond the bachelor's degree.

Degrees must be awarded from an accredited institution which is recognized by Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies.

REQUIRED ADMISSION DOCUMENTATION:

- Two official University transcripts in original language showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two official English translations of University transcripts showing subjects studied and grades received and degrees conferred.
- Two confidential letters of recommendation sent according to GPS reference letter guidelines.
- TOEFL/IELTS/GRE/GMAT test scores – as required.
- Some Departments impose additional requirements. Consult the Department website for more complete information.