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ADVERTISEMENT ADMISSIONS FOR 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

Applications are hereby invited for admission into Certificate, Diploma, Undergraduate and Postgraduate Courses Tenable at Njala University for the 2023/2024 Academic Year.

A. UNDERGRADUTE PROGRAMMES

SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMMES LOCATED AT NJALA CAMPUS

1. SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SCIENCES

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Agriculture General
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Agricultural Extension and Rural Sociology
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Animal Science
- (d) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Crop Science
- (e) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Crop Protection
- (f) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Soil Science
- (g) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Home Economics and Community Development
- (h) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Nutrition and Dietetics
- (i) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Agribusiness
- (j) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Agricultural Communication & Media
- (k) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Clothing and Textiles
- (I) Bachelor of Science in Animal Health and Production
- (m)Bachelor of Science in Agribusiness Management

2. SCHOOL OF BASIC SCIENCES

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Biological Sciences
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Chemistry
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Environmental Chemistry
- (d) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Physics
- (e) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Biophysics
- (f) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Physics with Computer Science
- (g) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Physics with Telecommunications
- (h) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Environmental Physics
- (i) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Energy Studies
- (j) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Mathematics
- (k) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Mathematics with Computer Science
- (I) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Statistics

- (m)Bachelor of Science in Education (Chemistry)
- (n) Bachelor of Science in Education (Biology)
- (o) Bachelor of Science in Education (Mathematics)
- (p) Bachelor of Science in Education (Physics)

3. SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Rural Development Studies
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Environment and Sustainable Development
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Development Studies
- (d) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Environmental Management and Quality Control
- (e) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Geography and Geographical Information Systems
- (f) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Land Resource Management
- (g) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Surveying and Geo-informatics

4. SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Aquaculture and Fisheries Management
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Forestry
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Wood Science
- (d) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Wildlife Management and Conservation
- (e) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Horticulture
- (f) Bachelor of Science in Natural Resource Management (General)

5. SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Agricultural Engineering
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Business and Information and Technology
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Accounting and Information Technology
- (d) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Computer Science
- (e) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Electronics and Telecommunication
- (f) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Industrial Technology

6. Department of Agricultural & Home Economics Education

- (a) Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education
- (b) Bachelor of Science in Home Economics Education

SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMMES LOCATED AT BO CAMPUS

7. SCHOOL OF PUBLIC HEALTH

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Biostatistics and Epidemiology
- (b) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Behavioural Health Sciences
- (c) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Environmental Health and Sanitation

8. SCHOOL OF NURSING

(a). Bachelor of Science with Honours in Nursing

9. SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

- (a). Bachelor of Science with Honours in Community Health and Clinical Sciences
- (b). Foundation in Medicine One (Premed)

10. SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

i. Institute of Languages & Cultural Studies

- (a) Diploma in Development Communication & Media Studies
- (b) Bachelor of Arts in Education ((Linguistics/Literature)
- (c) Bachelor of Arts in Education (Literature/Linguistics)
- (d) Bachelor of Arts in Education (French/Linguistics)
- (e) Bachelor of Arts in Education (English)
- (f) Bachelor of Arts in Development Communication & Media Studies

ii. Department of Teacher Education (Secondary)

- (a) Bachelor of Arts in Education (Political Science)
- (b) Bachelor of Education (Adult Education and Community Development Studies)
- (c) Bachelor of Arts in Community Development Studies

iii. Department of Health Education & Behavioural Science

- (a) Bachelor of Science with Honours in Health Education (with various options)
- (b) Bachelor of Science in Health Education (General)

iv. Department of Human Kinetics & Sports

- (a) Bachelor of Education (Human Kinetics Option)
- (b) Bachelor of Science in Education (Human Kinetics)
- (c) Bachelor of Science in Education (Coaching & Officiating)

10. SCHOOL OF BASIC EDUCATION

I. DEPARTMENT OF TEACHER EDUCATION (PRIMARY)

- a) Teachers Certificate
- b) Higher Teachers Certificate (Primary)
- c) Higher Teachers Certificate (Secondary)
- d) Bachelor of Education (Primary)
- e) Bachelor of Education (Secondary) All Subjects in the JSS Curriculum

II. DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT

- a) Bachelor of Education in Early Childhood Care and Development
- b) Higher Teachers Certificate (Secondary) in Early Childhood Care and Development
- c) Teachers Certificate in Early Childhood Care and Development

I. DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS AND INTEGRATED SCIENCES

- a) Bachelor of Education (Mathematics)
- b) Bachelor of Education (Integrated Sciences)

11. SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES AND LAW

(a) Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance

- (b) Bachelor of Science in Business Administration and Management
- (c) Bachelor of Science in Banking and Finance
- (d) Bachelor of Science in Economics
- (e) Bachelor of Science in Sociology
- (f) Bachelor of Science in Social Work
- (g) Bachelor of Science in Peace and Development Studies
- (h) Bachelor of Laws (LLB)
- (i) Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Economics
- (j) Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Entrepreneurship and Industrial Management

B. **POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES**

SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMMES LOCATED AT NJALA CAMPUS

1. SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE AND FOOD SCIENCES

- (a) Master of Science in Agriculture General
- (b) Master of Science in Agricultural Extension and Rural Sociology
- (c) Master of Science in Animal Science
- (d) Master of Science in Agronomy
- (e) Master of Science in Crop Science
- (f) Master of Science in Crop Protection
- (g) Master of Science in Soil Science
- (h) Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics
- (i) Master of Science in Clothing and Textiles
- (j) Master of Science in Agribusiness Management
- (k) M.Phil. & PhD programmes are also available in the above disciplines

2. SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

- (a) Master of Science in Development Studies
- (b) Master of Science in Rural Development Studies
- (c) Master of Science in Environmental Management and Quality Control
- (d) Master of Science in Land Administration and Management
- (e) Master of Science in Geographic Information Systems
- (f) Postgraduate Diploma in Rural Development Studies
- (g) Postgraduate Diploma in Development Studies
- (h) Postgraduate Diploma in Geography
- (i) M.Phil. & PhD programmes are also available in Rural Development Studies, and Development Studies

3. SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

- (a) Master of Science in Forestry
- (b) Master of Science in Horticulture
- (c) Master of Science in Aquaculture and Fisheries Management
- (d) Master of Science in Natural Resources Management
- (e) Master of Science in Wood Science
- (f) M.Phil. & PhD programmes are also available in the above disciplines

4. SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

(a) Master of Science in Postharvest Technology

- (b) Master of Science in Soil and Water Engineering
- (c) Master of Science in Computer Science
- (d) Master of Science in Information Systems
- (e) Master of Science in Telecommunication Systems & Networking
- (f) MPhil in Health Management & Information Systems
- (g) PhD in Health Management & Information Systems
- (h) PhD in Agricultural Engineering
- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Post-Harvest Technology
- (j) Postgraduate Diploma in Statistics
- (k) Postgraduate Diploma in Information Technology

SCHOOLS AND PROGRAMMES LOCATED AT BO CAMPUS AND HENRY STREET (FREETOWN)

5. SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

- (a) Master of Education (MEd) with the following Options
 - i. Educational Administration & Management
 - ii. Guidance & Counselling
 - iii. Measurement & Evaluation
 - iv. Science Education
 - v. Curriculum Development
 - vi. Adult Education
 - vii. Community Development Studies
- (b) Master of Science in Agricultural Education
- (c) Master of Science in Education with the following Options
 - a. Physics
 - b. Chemistry
 - c. Mathematics
 - d. Biology
 - e. Geography
 - f. Exercise Physiology
- (d) Master of Arts in Education Literature
- (e) Master of Arts in Education Sports Administration & Management
- (f) Master of Arts in Descriptive & Applied Linguistics
- (g) MPhil & PhD Programmes are also available in the above disciplines

6. SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

- (a) Master of Science in Economics
- (b) Master of Science in Sociology with option in Community Development Studies
- (c) Master of Science in Agricultural Economics
- (d) Master of Business Administration (Executive)
- (e) Master of Business Administration (with the following options) Human Resource Management, Finance, Marketing, and Project Management
- (f) Master of Public Administration
- (g) Master of Art in Peace and Development Studies
- (h) Postgraduate Diploma in Public Administration and Management

- (i) Postgraduate Diploma in Local Government and Finance Management
- (j) Postgraduate Diploma in Economics

7. COLLEGE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES

- (a) PhD in Public Health
- (b) Master of Public Health

C. DIPLOMAS AND CERTIFICATES

1. COLLEGE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES (BO CAMPUS)

- (a) Higher Diploma in Nursing (SRN)
- (b) Higher Diploma in Community Health and Clinical Studies (CHO)
- (c) Higher Diploma in Environmental Health Sciences
- (d) Diploma in Community Health Assistant (CHA)
- (e) Higher Diploma in Laboratory Sciences
- (f) Diploma in Pharmacy Technician

2. CENTER FOR PEDAGOGICAL EXCELLENCE (BO CAMPUS)

- (a) Technician Diploma in Accounting
- (b) Diploma in Business Administration
- (c) Higher Diploma in Banking and Finance
- (d) Diploma in Social Work
- (e) Certificate in Social Work
- (f) Diploma in Health Education
- (g) Distance Learning Programmes in the Following Options:
 - i. Teachers Certificate (TC)
 - ii. Higher Teachers Certificate (Primary)
 - iii. Higher Teachers Certificate (Secondary)
 - iv. Bachelor of Education (B.Ed)
 - v. Postgraduate Diploma in Education (PGDE)
 - vi. Diploma in Development Communication
 - vii. Certificate in Development Communication

3. CENTER FOR PEDAGOGICAL EXCELLENCE (NJALA CAMPUS)

- (a) Higher Diploma in Agriculture (Agronomy Option)
- (b) Higher Diploma in Agriculture (Forestry Option)
- (c) Higher Diploma in Agriculture (Livestock Option)
- (d) Higher Diploma in Food Technology and Nutrition
- (e) Ordinary Diploma in Agriculture General
- (f) Certificate in Agriculture General
- (g) Diploma in Environmental Management and Quality Control
- (h) Higher Diploma in Data Processing and Information Technology
- (i) Higher Diploma in Computer Hardware and Electronics
- (j) Higher Diploma in Industrial Technology
- (k) Higher Diploma in Computer Science and Information Technology

- (I) Diploma in Computer Science and Information Technology
- (m)Ordinary Diploma in Data Processing and Information Technology
- (n) Ordinary Diploma in Computer Hardware and Electronics
- (o) Ordinary Diploma in Industrial Technology
- (p) Higher Diploma in Aquaculture and Fisheries Management
- (q) Higher Diploma in Horticulture
- (r) Higher Diploma in Wood Science
- (s) Higher Diploma in Forestry
- (t) Higher Diploma in Wildlife Management and Conservation
- (u) Ordinary Diploma in Forestry
- (v) Ordinary Diploma in Horticulture
- (w) Ordinary Diploma in Wildlife, Management and Conservation
- (x) Ordinary Diploma in Aquaculture and Fisheries Management
- (y) Ordinary Diploma in Wood Science
- (z) Certificate in Wood Science
- (aa) Certificate in Forestry
- (bb) Certificate in Horticulture
- (cc) Certificate in Aquaculture and Fisheries Management
- (dd) Certificate in Wildlife Management and Conservation

(ee) DISTANCE LEARNING PROGRAMMES IN THE FOLLOWING OPTIONS:

- (i) Certificate in Agricultural Extension
- (ii) Ordinary Diploma in Agricultural Extension
- (iii) Higher Diploma in Agricultural Extension with options in either Crops or Livestock
- (iv) Diploma in para-vet (DPV)
- (v) Diploma in Organic Agriculture

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

A. UNDERGRADUATES/DGREE PROGRAMMES

The University's requirements for the Degree Programme are five (5) credits GCE O'Level /WASSCE including English Language in not more than two sittings. In the case of the West African Examination Council Exams, only grades varying from 1-6 are recognized as GCE O'Levels credit passes. For WASSCE it is A1 – C6 while for the Associate Examination Board (London GCE) only C or better are recognized.

Applicants should note that there are additional departmental requirements.

Also that some schools start their Honours programmes in the 3rd Year.

Students are admitted into the General programmes and have to Score above 3.60 and above before they can enter the Honours Programme.

B. CERTIFICATE & DIPLOMA PROGRAMMS

Four (4) WASSCE/GCE Credits including English Language will be considered for admission into Higher Diploma Programmes, Higher Diploma in Ophthalmic for Community Health Officers (OCHO) (only CHOs with 5 year working experience can apply) and Three (3) credits for Certificate and Ordinary Diploma including English Language.

Please note that admission into SRN and CHO programmes requires Five (5) Credits GCE O'Level/WASSCE including English Language in not more than two sittings.

Entry Requirements into Diplomas and Certificate programmes in the School of Social Sciences and Law are as follows:

i. Higher Diploma in Banking and Finance

An applicant must have passed the West African Senior School Certificate Examinations (WASSCE) with credit or better in at least four (4) subjects in not more than two (2) sittings and, perform reasonably well in the interview will be considered.

ii. Diploma in Social Work

An applicant must have passed the West African Senior School Certificate Examinations (WASSCE) with credit or better in at least three (3) subjects in not more than two (2) sittings and, perform reasonably well in the interview will be considered.

iii. Certificate in Social Work

An applicant must have passed O'Level or WASSCE credit or better in at least 2 subjects in not more than 2 sittings with a minimum of 5 years working experience in a reputable organisation.

- ii) Technician Diploma in Accounting (TDA)
- iii) Diploma in Business Administration and Management

An applicant must have passed the West African Senior School Certificate Examinations (WASSCE) with credit or better in at least four (4) subjects in not more than two (2) sittings and, perform reasonably well in the interview will be considered.

C. **POSTGRADUATE STUDIES**

Applicants must have a first Degree from a well-recognized University including Five (5) subjects at WASSCE or GCE O'Levels

D. **DISTANCE LEARNING**

ENTRY REQUIREMENT FOR TEACHERS CERTIFICATE (3 YEARS DURATION)

To be eligible, applicant should have:

- a) Two (2) G.C.E. 'O' level or WASSCE
- b) Completed Form 5 or SSS 3 and pass the University entrance Exam in Mathematics, English and General Studies
- c) Have at least two years of teaching experience and pass the University entrance examination in Mathematics and General Studies.

ENTRY REQUIREMENT FOR HIGHER TEACHERS CERTIFICATE (PRIMARY) (3 YEARS)

To be eligible, applicant must have:

- a) Three (3) WASSCE/GCE Credits including English Language in not more than two sittings
- b) Obtained a Teacher Certificate with at least two (2) years of teaching experience from an approved school with School Identification Number (SID).

ENTRY REQUIREMENT FOR HIGHER TEACHERS CERTIFICATE (SECONDARY)(3 YEARS)

- a) Applicant should have four (4) credit or better in relevant subject areas including English in not more than two sittings.
- b) Have Higher Teachers Certificate (Primary with at least three GCE O' Level or WASSCE including English Language in not more than two sittings.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS FOR BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (4 YEARS)

The Bachelor of Education (B.Ed) is a four-year, distance programme offering specialization in Early Childhood Development and Secondary School specializations in two teaching subjects.

To be eligible for this programme, applicant should have:

- a) Five (5) credits GCE O' Level/WASSCE/NVQ with unit 5 or better including English Language in not more than two sittings. In the case of WAEC only grades varying from 1-6 are recognized as GCE O Level credits passed and A1-C6 for WASSCE
- b) Obtained a Higher Teachers Certificate (Secondary with 4 GCE O' Level/WASSCE including English in not more than two sittings

c) Obtained a Higher Teachers Certificate (Primary) with four GCE O' Level/WASSCE including English Language in not more than two sittings with three-year teaching experience.

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (1 YEAR, 6 MONTHS) (18 MONTHS)

Applicant should have a degree with division two or better from a recognized university with at least a year working experience.