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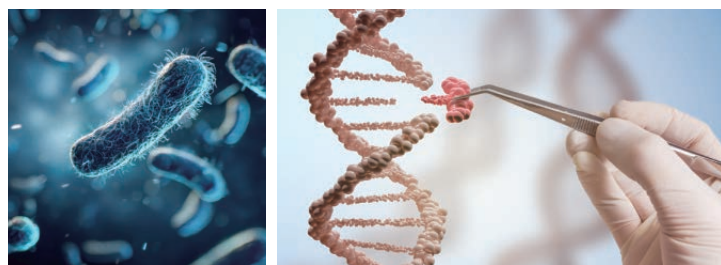
Applicant should submit:

- Duly completed application form;
- Photostat copies of the relevant certificates and transcripts; and
- An application fee (non-refundable) of HK\$150 by crossed cheque (payable to "HKU SPACE")

All documents should be sent to:

College of Life Sciences and Technology, HKU SPACE
 13/F Fortress Tower
 250 King's Road
 North Point Hong Kong
 Attn: Ms Kiki Man

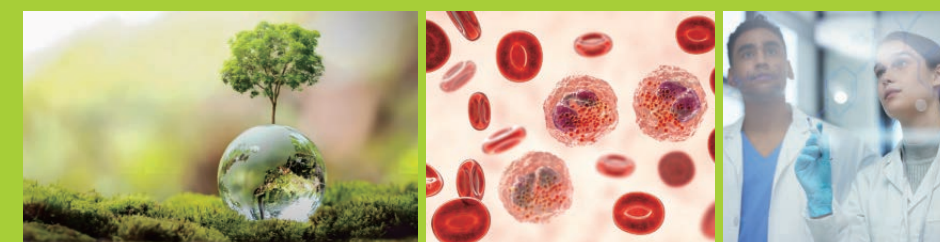
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Advanced Diploma in Applied Bioscience 應用生物科學高等文憑 HS241A

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HKU School of Professional and Continuing Education



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Advanced Diploma in Applied Bioscience

Programme Highlights

The programme is expanded upon the curriculum of the Advanced Diploma in Bioscience programme. It aims to provide students with further theoretical knowledge and practical laboratory skills necessary for the field of bioscience. It also equips students with knowledge and skills of biological applications in specialised areas, such as Public Health, Medical Laboratory Science, and Food Safety, allowing them to explore specific fields of interest and develop expertise in those domains.

Programme Structure

The programme has a total of 16 modules and all modules are compulsory. There is no pre-requisite of passing any module before progressing to the next module.

Modules	
1. Cell Biology and Diseases	9. Introduction to Clinical Microbiology, Chemical Pathology, Anatomical Pathology, and Haematology
2. Introduction to Microbiology	10. Molecular Biology and Human Genetics
3. Microbiology Technology	11. Critical Thinking and Problem Solving
4. Applied Microbiology	12. Testing for Food Safety and Toxicology
5. Human Anatomy and Physiology	13. Biochemistry 2
6. Human Anatomy and Physiological Technology	14. Biochemical Technology 2
7. Collaboration and Communication in the Workplace	15. Information Technology for Bioscience
8. Public Health and Human Diseases	16. Introduction to Ecology

Delivery Mode

This programme is delivered on a part-time basis. Normally, classes will be held on Tuesday and Friday evenings (6:30p.m. - 9:30p.m.).

Medium of Instruction

English

Duration of Study and Award

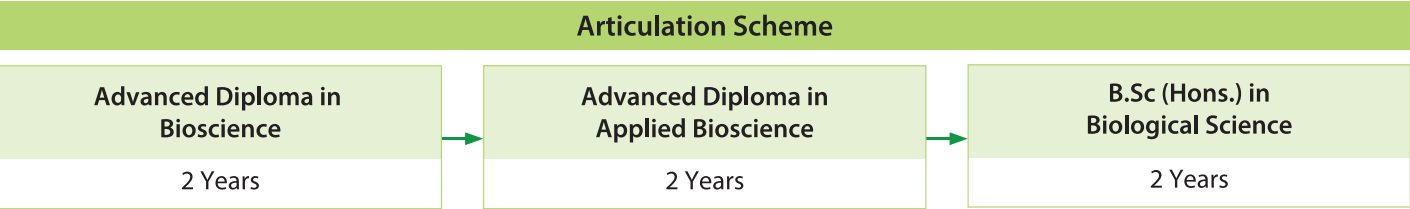
The normal and minimum programme duration of study is 24 months. The maximum duration is 48 months. Upon successful completion of all modules and meeting the attendance requirement of at least 80% for each module, students will be awarded the “Advanced Diploma in Applied Bioscience” within the HKU system through HKU SPACE.

Assessment

A variety of different assessments will be applied (e.g. class test, lab report, presentation and written examination).



Articulation / Admission to Higher Level Programme



This programme is a recognised qualification for admission to the B.Sc. (Hons.) in Biological Science*, which is offered by HKU SPACE in collaboration with Edinburgh Napier University.

**Students with a limited background in biological related disciplines may be required to take bridging course(s), which will be advised by the Programme Team (e.g. Advanced Diploma in Bioscience, Certificate in Microbiology Testing).*

Course Commencement and Teaching Venue

Tentatively, the programme will commence in June 2026. The classes are held in HKU SPACE Learning Centre (usually Admiralty, Causeway Bay, Fortress Hill, Island South (Pokfulam)).

Admission Requirements

Applicants shall:

- have gained in the HKDSE Examination Level 2 in five subjects including English Language, Chinese Language and a Science subject; OR
- have gained in the HKCEE Grade E in 3 subjects including a Science subject, and Level 2 in Chinese Language and English Language#;

AND

have completed the Advanced Diploma in Bioscience programme awarded within the HKU system through HKU SPACE or hold equivalent qualification(s) in biology-related subjects.

With effect from 2007, HKU SPACE recognises Grade E previously awarded for Chinese Language and English Language (Syllabus B) (Grade C in the case of English Language (Syllabus A)) at HKCEE as an acceptable alternative to Level 2 in these two subjects at HKCEE.

Applicants with other qualifications and at least 2 years of relevant work experience will be considered on individual merit.

Tuition Fees

Course fee (Year 1): HK\$33,000 (one single instalment, subject to review)
Course fee (Year 2): HK\$33,000 (one single instalment, subject to review)

