

NJALA UNIVERSITY

Office of the Registrar

Secretariat Njala, Sierra Leone



ONLINE APPLICATION FOR THE 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

Njala University wishes to inform prospective applicants and the general public that it will open the online applications on **Wednesday, 3rd August 2022 for Undergraduate and Postgraduate Courses tenable at Njala University for the 2022/2023 academic year.**

All prospective applicants wishing to gain admission into Njala University **MUST** obtain application PINS at the Sierra Leone Commercial Bank in Freetown or any of their branches in the regions at the cost of Le 400 (new denomination) for Undergraduate Courses and Le 600 (new denomination) for Postgraduate Courses in lieu of application processing fee.

Applicants are strongly advised to visit Njala University website <https://njala.edu.sl> for details of the entry requirements into the various Programmes offered by the Schools and Departments.

All prospective applicants **MUST** apply **ONLINE** through the Njala University website: <https://njala.edu.sl>

Deadline

The **DEADLINE** for submission of applications is **Saturday, 10th September 2022**

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Dr. Muneer Jalloh (PhD)

Registrar

General Admission Requirements for Undergraduate Programmes

A. Undergraduate Degree Programmes

1. The University's requirements for the Degree Programme are five (5) Credits in WASSCE or its equivalent including English Language in not more than two sittings.
2. Applicants should note that there are additional school and departmental requirements.

B. CERTIFICATE & DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

1. Higher Diploma Programme

- a. Admission into the Higher Diploma in Nursing (SRN) and Community Health and Clinical Sciences (CHO) programmes requires Five (5) Credit in WASSCE including English Language in not more than two sittings;
- b. For Community Health and Clinical Sciences (CHO) programme, candidates with Community Health Assistant Qualification (CHA) plus **Five (5) years** working experience can apply;

2. Diploma Programme

Admission into ALL Diploma programmes requires Three (3) Credits in WASSCE

3. Certificate Programme

Admission into ALL Certificate programmes requires Two (2) Credits in WASSCE

General Admission Requirements for Graduate Programmes

A. Taught Masters Programmes

The basic requirement for admission into a postgraduate programme of Njala University is a degree from a recognized university in the relevant field of study. Departments may, however, demand additional requirements.

B. M.Phil and PhD Programmes

The Master of Philosophy (M.Phil) and Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) degrees of Njala University are, essentially, research-based degrees awarded to candidates of outstanding academic and professional standing. Admission into these programmes, therefore, is based on the number of criteria that candidate should meet. These include (but not limited to) the following:

1. Possession of a first degree of at least **Second Class, First division (2¹)**
2. Possession of postgraduate qualification (PGDE; M.A.; M.Sc.; M.Ed. etc.)
3. Clear articulation of a research focus to be contained in the Abstract submitted with the application form
4. Evidence that the candidate is in touch with or has identified a competent supervisor in the University willing to supervise him/her is an advantage.

Duration of Programme

Unless otherwise stated,

- Masters Programmes (Full-Time) are of Two (2) Calendar Years and (Part-Time) Three (3) Calendar Years duration.