

Secondary Education (Year 12) minimum score requirement for international applicants

The Victorian School of Commerce (VSC) requires all international applicants, who have completed their secondary education (Year 12) within past two (2) years of applying to study at VSC, to have a minimum score that is equivalent to ATAR 55. To understand what an ATAR is, please visit the Victorian Tertiary Admissions Centre (VTAC) website.

The table below provides secondary education (Year 12) scores achieved in different countries that is equivalent to ATAR 55.

Country	Equivalent qualifications to Australian secondary education	Score equivalent to ATAR 55	Calculation method
Bangladesh	Higher Secondary Certificate or equivalent	GPA 3.5	GPA of all the studied Year 12 subjects
Canada	Alberta High School Diploma or British Columbia Senior Secondary School Graduation Diploma or Nova Scotia High School Completion Certificate or Ontario Secondary School Diploma or equivalent	55%	Overall percentage of the 6 best subjects
People's Republic of China	Senior Middle 3 or equivalent	65%	Overall percentage of all the studied subjects



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Hong Kong	Diploma of Secondary Education (HKDSE) or equivalent	12	Overall score of the 5 best subjects including 4 cores and 1 elective
India	All India Senior School Certificate (CBSE), or Indian School Certificate (CISCE) or equivalent	55%	Overall percentage of 4 best academic subjects
Indonesia	Secondary School Certificate of Graduation SMA 3 or SMK 3 or equivalent	65%	Overall percentage from the last two semesters
International	GCE A Levels	4	Overall score of 3 H2 level subjects
International	International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma Programme	21	Overall score of all studied subjects
International	Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT)	920	Overall score
Finland	Upper Secondary School Diploma or equivalent	8	Overall grade of 8 in English A



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Germany	A-Levels/ Abitur or equivalent	3	Overall grade of 3 in English
Japan	Upper Secondary School Certificate of Graduation or equivalent	2.00	Overall average of all studied subjects
Kenya	Certificate of Secondary Education (KCSE) or equivalent	C(6)	Overall score of the 7 best subjects including English
Malaysia	Malaysian Higher School Certificate (STPM) or equivalent	GPA 2.33	GPA of all the studied Year 12 subjects
New Zealand	National Certificate of Educational Achievement (NCEA) or equivalent	60 Credits	Overall 60 credits in Level 3
Nepal	Nepal School Leaving Certificate Examination (Year 11 and 12) or equivalent	2.8 %	Overall percentage of all the examined subjects
Norway	Secondary Education Diploma/ Vitnemål or equivalent	4	Overall grade of 4 in English



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Singapore	A Levels or equivalent	4	Overall score of 3 H2 level subjects
Sri Lanka	General Certificate of Education Advanced Level or equivalent	4	Overall score of 3 H2 level subjects
South Korea	Upper Secondary Certificate or equivalent	65%	Overall percentage of all the studied subjects
Switzerland	Secondary Education Diploma/Swiss Matura or equivalent		Overall grade of 4.5 in English
Taiwan	Senior High School Diploma or equivalent	65%	Overall percentage of all the examined subjects
Thailand	Matayom 6 Certificate of Secondary Education or equivalent	GPA 2.20	GPA of all the studied Year 12 subjects
United States of America	Senior High School Diploma or equivalent	GPA 2.20	GPA of all the studied Year 12 subjects



Country	Equivalent qualifications to Australian secondary education	Score equivalent to ATAR 55	Calculation method
Vietnam	Upper Secondary School Graduate Diploma or equivalent	GPA 6.50	GPA of all the studied Year 12 subjects
West Africa	West African Senior School Certificate Examination or equivalent	25	Overall score of the 5 best subjects including English

Note: If an international applicant's country is not listed in the above table, please contact VSCs' Reception on call XXXX or email on admin@thevsc.com.au to discuss further.