

International Student Requirements

Note: both the admissions and graduate catalog web pages need to be updated. The table below represents the consolidated requirements from multiple locations. The intent is to provide the same revised information on all sites.

Current Requirements

	Graduate Applicants	
TOEFL	Regular Admission	Conditional Admission
Paper	550	500-547
Internet (iBT)	80 Minimum score of 18 on each section Speaking sub-score of 26 if awarded GTA	61-79 Or any sub-score less than 18
IELTS	6.5	6.0

Exempt from English Language Testing:

- Individuals who have completed a bachelors or master's degree from a regionally accredited institution in the U.S. or other English speaking country (See list below).
- Individuals who are in the process of earning an advanced degree from an accredited institution in the U.S. or another English speaking country may be **conditionally admitted**.
- Citizens of the following countries: Australia, Belize, Canada, Ghana**, New Zealand, Scotland, West Indies, and United Kingdom.

** Exemptions for citizens of other countries are considered on a case-by-case basis if the medium of instruction is English.

Proposed Requirements

	Graduate Applicants	
TOEFL	Regular Admission	Conditional Admission
Paper	550	500-549
Internet (iBT)	80 Minimum score of 18 on each section	61-79 Or any sub-score less than 18
Internet (iBT) Applicants awarded GTA	80 Speaking sub-score of 22 Reading & Writing sub-score of 18 <u>Minimum score of 18 on all other sections</u>	
IELTS	6.5	6.0

Exceptions to the minimum TOEFL score/sub-score requirements will be considered by the Graduate School Dean on request if:

- Applicants GRE Verbal score is greater than 500 (153 – revised GRE) OR
- The Chair of the Graduate Program (or designated faculty)

- has personally interviewed the student and establishes a plan for language support for the student, if needed, which may include additional English Language Training, **OR**
- arranges for the student to complete language training at INTO-OSU equivalent to the admission status as designated by the Conditional Admission Program -CAP

Exempt from English Language Testing:

Applicants who have demonstrated success by achieving an overall GPA greater than 3.0 on a 4.0 scale for 2 or more semesters/quarters in a rigorous undergraduate or postgraduate program in the U.S. or from one of the following English speaking countries**: Australia, Canada, New Zealand, and United Kingdom.

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