

**DETAILS WITH REGARD TO ADMISSION OF CIVILIAN STUDENTS TO
BACHELOR OF MEDICINE AND
BACHELOR OF SURGERY (MBBS) DEGREE PROGRAMME OF
GENERAL SIR JOHN KOTELAWALA DEFENCE UNIVERSITY (KDU)**

Basic Eligibility Criteria for candidates:

- Completed GCE (A/L) in the year 2022 or Cambridge/ Edexcel (A/L) or equivalent examination in the year 2023 and be qualified for university admission.
 - **GCE Advanced Level (Local):**
Followed Biological Science Stream (Biology, Chemistry and Physics) at the Advanced Level Examination and obtained a minimum of two Credit Passes (C) and one Simple Pass (S) at the GCE (A/L) examination in one sitting.

Or

 - **IGCSE / GCSE (Cambridge) or Advanced Level (Edexcel) or equivalent:**
Followed Biological Science Stream (Biology, Chemistry and Physics) at Cambridge or Edexcel (A/L) Examination and obtained a minimum of two “B” Passes and one “C” pass in one sitting.
- Be a citizen of Sri Lanka.
- Be between 16-24 years of age on the closing date of applications.
- The results should be in one and the same sitting and a maximum of three attempts are allowed.
- Have obtained a pass mark (marks 30 and above) for the Common General Test at the GCE A/L examination.
- Have obtained a minimum of a Credit pass (C) for English Language at the GCE (O/L) examination and minimum of ‘C’ Grade for English Language at the Cambridge or Edexcel (O/L) examination or equivalent.
- Have obtained a pass mark for the Aptitude Test and for the Structured Interview conducted by the KDU to be selected as a Day Scholar of KDU.

Composition of the Admission Committee:

Deputy Vice Chancellor (Defence and Administration)	- Chairman
Deputy Vice Chancellor (Academics)	- Member
Dean – Faculty of Medicine	- Member
Registrar	- Member
Head of the Department – Dept. of Pre-Clinical Sciences - FOM	- Member
Head of the Department – Dept. of Para Clinical Sciences - FOM	- Member
Head of the Department – Dept. of Clinical Sciences – FOM	- Member
Head of the Department – Dept. of Medical Education – FOM	- Member
Deputy Registrar	- Member
Assistant Registrar – Enlistments	- Member

Structure of the Aptitude Test

- Paper 01** - Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs) on Subject Knowledge, Intelligent Quotient (IQ) and General Knowledge
- Paper 02** - English Language
- Paper 03** - Psychometric Assessment

Composition of the Interview Panel

Members

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| i. Vice Chancellor | - Chairman |
| ii. Dean, Faculty of Medicine | - Member |
| iii. Registrar | - Member |

Observers

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| iv. Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Defence & Administration) | - Observer |
| v. Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Academic) | - Observer |
| vi. Head of the Department, Pre-Clinical Sciences | - Observer |
| vii. Head of the Department, Para – Clinical Sciences | - Observer |
| viii. Head of the Department – Clinical Sciences | - Observer |
| ix. Head of the Department – Medical Education | - Observer |
| x. Chairman, University Grants Commission/ or Representative | - Observer |
| xi. Representative from Sri Lanka Medical Council | - Observer |