

Frequently Asked Question

✓ **When do I need to take MUET Test?**

The students of all UTAR Bachelor Degree Programme are required to pass the MUET before graduation.

✓ **What is the minimum requirement for MUET that I need to achieve before I graduate?**

Students of UTAR Bachelor Degree Programme are required to pass the MUET with a minimum of **Band 3** (or its equivalent). However, students who are taking the following programmes must pass the MUET with a minimum of **Band 4** (or its equivalent):

- i. Bachelor of Medicine and Bachelor of Surgery
- ii. Bachelor of Arts (Hons) English Language and Bachelor of Arts (Hons) English Education - May 2015 Intake Onwards

✓ **Besides MUET Test, is there any other equivalent English Language Competency Qualifications to MUET Test?**

The following are the equivalent minimum English Language competency qualifications to MUET Band 3,

- CEFR High Level B1
- IELTS Band Score 5.0
- TOEFL iBT Score 42
- Pearson Test of English Score 47
- Cambridge English Qualifications and Tests Score 154

The following are the equivalent minimum English Language competency qualifications to MUET Band 4:

- CEFR Mid Level B2
- IELTS Band Score 6.0
- TOEFL iBT Score 60
- Pearson Test of English Score 59
- Cambridge English Qualifications and Tests Score 169

✓ **Is the equivalent qualifications applicable for all programmes?**

Yes, these equivalent qualifications for MUET Band 3 and MUET Band 4 would be applicable with immediate effect for all programmes.

✓ **Where do I need to submit the MUET Result for update?**

A copy of MUET Result need to be submitted to DACE (Division of Admissions and Credit Evaluation).

✓ **When is MUET held?**

MUET is administered three times a year, and the sessions are named MUET Session 1, MUET Session 2 and MUET Session 3.

✓ **Can I register for MUET in UTAR?**

Yes, UTAR had been approved by Ministry of Education as one of the MUET Centres. The MUET centres are as follows:

- i. UTAR Sungai Long Campus
- ii. UTAR Kampar Campus

✓ **I am not a UTAR student. Can I register and take MUET Examination in UTAR?**

No. Only UTAR student can register and sit for MUET Examination in UTAR.

✓ **What is the entry requirement for MUET?**

No condition is imposed as eligibility to sit for MUET.

✓ **How many test components are there in MUET?**

The test has four components: Listening, Speaking, Reading and Writing. The duration and weighting of the components are as follows:

Paper Code	Paper	Duration
800/1	Listening	30 minutes
800/2	Speaking	30 minutes
800/3	Reading	90 minutes
800/4	Writing	90 minutes

✓ **How much is the MUET Test fees?**

MUET test fees are RM100.00. Payment of fees must be made by purchasing a MEC PIN number from Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN) or through internet banking. For further information, please visit <http://online.mpm.edu.my>.

Note: **BSN will charge RM1.00 for every MEC PIN number purchased.**

✓ **If I buy the MEC Pin Number for Session 1 and did not register, can it be used when I register for Session 2?**

No. The MEC PIN can be used once for the specified session only.

- ✓ **How does one register for MUET in UTAR?**
 - Download the MUET Registration Form.
 - Fill in the registration form and make a payment of **RM100.00** at any **Bank Simpanan Nasional (BSN)** counter (RM100 is for registration and subject fees).
 - Submit the completed registration form, receipt of payment which is issued by Bank Simpanan Nasional and a photocopy of NRIC to any of the following counter for registration:
 - i. Sungai Long Campus - DEAS Office (KB007)
 - ii. Kampar Campus - DEAS Office (F004 - Administration Block)

- ✓ **After registering, how do I check my registration status?**

DEAS will make an announcement through **UTAR Student Portal** and **DEAS notice board** when the candidates can check their MUET registration. The candidates need to come to DEAS Office to ensure the Name and IC Number were correct.

- ✓ **How do I amend the spelling and the identity card number that is wrongly printed on the MUET registration slip?**

Please inform the DEAS office within the time frame given. The amendments will not be done to the MUET registration slip but on the MUET results slip. If you missed the dateline, you will be charged RM25.00 by MEC before the release of the MUET result. If the result is already released, you will be charged RM40.00 by MEC.

- ✓ **I have lost/have not received my MUET registration slip (MUET/D). How do I get it?**

Candidates can download the MUET registration slip (MUET/D) from MEC's portal <http://www.mpm.edu.my>.

- ✓ **How can I know the date of the MUET Test after I register for the MUET Test?**

Candidates can obtain information about the date of the test using the MUET registration slip (MUET/D), which can be downloaded from the MEC portal <http://www.mpm.edu.my>.

- ✓ **How to apply for a change of MUET test centre?**

Candidates who wish to change their test centre must apply through their respective State Education Departments not later than two weeks after the MUET/D is uploaded to the MEC portal. An administrative fee of RM25.00 will be charged.

- ✓ **Can I postpone the MUET test and how?**

Candidates who wish to postpone taking the test must apply in writing for permission from the MEC before the date of the test, stating reasons supported by evidence. The MEC may at its own discretion approve the postponement of the test. Candidates who wish to sit for the test at another session must pay the basic fee.

- ✓ **I am planning to withdraw from sitting for MUET. Is it allowed and how do I apply to do so?**
Candidates are required to fill a withdrawal form which can be printed from the MEC's portal <http://www.mpm.edu.my>. The test fee will not be refunded, with the exception of a candidate who is suffering from a prolonged illness with a letter of confirmation from the Government Medical Officer, or a candidate who passed away (a copy of death certificate should be submitted by a family member or a representative).

- ✓ **What is the validity period for the MUET results?**
The validity period for MUET results are as follows:
 - (a) Those released before 2009 are valid until 18 July 2013.
 - (b) Those released since 2009 are valid for five years from the date of the release of the result.

- ✓ **Where can I check the MUET Result?**
Candidates can check the MUET results online from MEC's portal <http://www.mpm.edu.my> and by SMS by typing MUET RESULT<space><identity card number> and send to 15888.

- ✓ **I am not satisfied with my MUET result. Can I appeal for rechecking of the result?**
The forms for rechecking of MUET results can be printed from MEC's portal <http://www.mpm.edu.my>. A fee of RM 70.00 will be charged. The closing date for appeals for rechecking is one week after the announcement of results.

- ✓ **Why did I get an X in MUET, when I did not attend for only one paper?**
In MUET, candidates are required to sit for all the components of MUET. If a candidate fails to sit for at least one of the test component, the candidate will get an X for the MUET result.