

- **Competition is keen.** Each year MUT receives over 80 000 applications. Putting us first gives your application a better chance for consideration.
- **If you meet qualification requirements, your application will be given immediate attention.** You could be one of the first among your classmates to own a MUT student card!

FINANCIAL MATTERS

Did you know you can afford to study at MUT?

Providing access to academically excelling students is our main objective, and we believe your financial circumstances should never stand in the way. That is why MUT offers the most competitive tuition fee structure, ranging between R4 530 and R15 350 per semester depending on the course and subjects. Our financial aid resources and policies ensure that MUT is affordable for all prospective students.

MUT BRIEFLY

Mangosuthu University of Technology (MUT) is uniquely located in a semi-urban setting at the heart of Umlazi Township, the fourth-largest township in South Africa. We are a diverse institution anchored in our communities and driven by our strategy statement which is: **shape and own the future**. MUT is a research-informed University of Technology with a work-integrated curriculum that seeks to provide experiential learning and exposure to professional practice.

If you are interested in engineering, natural sciences, or management sciences, MUT has a place for you. Regardless of who you are, where you come from, or where you want to go from here, as a MUT student you will be valued as an important part of our family. Our students and academic staff represent a diverse group of South Africans and Africans from across the continent and outside the African borders.

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FACULTY OF NATURAL SCIENCES



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Natural science is a discipline focusing on studying the physical and natural world or the events that happen in nature. The faculty houses the health sciences programmes with a focus in Medical Laboratory Science and Environmental Health. All students who take up any of the health sciences programme is required to register with the Health Professions Council of South Africa (HPCSA).

The Faculty of Natural Sciences offers a Bachelor of Applied Science in Nature Conservation, Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health, Bachelor of Health Sciences: Medical Laboratory Sciences, Diplomas: Agriculture, Analytical Chemistry, Community Extension, Information Technology and Nature Conservation.

MINIMUM SUBJECTS REQUIRED:

- English | Maths | Physical Science | Agricultural Science | Life Sciences
- All at 50% and above
- Further departmental screening processes

ACADEMIC PROGRAMMES

Qualification	Minimum requirements	CAO Code
Bachelor of Applied Sciences in Nature Conservation	Mathematics 3 English 5 Life Sciences 5	MN-M-BNT
Bachelor of Health Sciences: Medical Laboratory Science	Mathematics 4 English 4 Life Sciences 4 Physical Science 4	MN-M-BLS

Qualification	Minimum requirements	CAO Code
Bachelor of Science in Environmental Health	Mathematics 4 English 4 Life Sciences 4 Physical Science 4 Recommended subjects: Geography 4 Agricultural Science 4	MN-M-BE4
Diploma: Agriculture	Mathematics 3 OR Mathematics Literacy 4 English 4 Physical Science 3 Agricultural Science 4 OR Life Science 4	MN-M-DPN
Diploma: Analytical Chemistry	Mathematics 4 English 4 Physics 4	MN-M-DAN
Diploma: Community Extension	English 4 Agricultural Science 4 OR Consumer Studies 4 OR Life Science 4 OR Geography 4 OR Economics 4	MN-M-DCX
Diploma: Information Technology	English 3 Mathematics 3 OR Mathematics Literacy 5	MN-M-DIT
Diploma: Nature Conservation	English 4 Mathematics 3 Agricultural Science 3 OR Life Science 4	MN-M-DCN



ADVANCED DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES

- Agriculture in Crop Production
- Agriculture in Animal Production
- Chemistry
- Agriculture Extension & Community Development
- ICT in Applications Development
- Nature Conservation

The minimum admission requirement to the Advanced Diploma programme is an appropriate diploma at NQF Level 6 with an average of 60%.

APPLICATION PROCESS

WHERE AND WHEN TO APPLY?

All first-year applications to study at MUT are submitted through the Central Applications Office (CAO) online at www.cao.ac.za/apply. This is a simplified way of applying for more than one programme, using one application form, and paying a single application fee. You can track the progress of your application by going to www.cao.ac.za and enter your CAO number, or sending an email to enquiries@cao.ac.za or call +27 268 4444.

Applications open in January and close on 30 September with late applications accepted until 30 November. Please Note: Late applications accumulate a fee determined by the CAO.

MUT MY FIRST CHOICE!

The number of spaces for first-time entering students is around 3500 across all faculties. By the end of October, we receive over 80 000 applications for first-time entering students. The selection process is quite difficult and without a doubt, we select those that chose MUT first, provided they meet our selection requirements.

Each year, thousands of students ask us why they should apply on time and make MUT their first choice. Here are some of the reasons:

- **Making MUT your first choice is the ultimate way to demonstrate your interest in MUT.** An opportunity for you to differentiate yourself from the rest of the crowd.