



LILONGWE UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES – BUNDA CAMPUS CALL FOR APPLICATIONS FOR ADMISSIONS INTO MATURE ENTRY FOR THE 2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR

The Lilongwe University of Agriculture and Natural Resources (LUANAR) – Bunda Campus is inviting applications from suitably qualified persons for admission into its mature entry programmes for the 2024/2025 academic year.

1. Preliminary information for interested applicants

A. Minimum entry requirements for admissions

Programme	Minimum criteria for admission	Year of Entry	Programme Duration
1. Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Extension	MSCE certificate/equivalent O-Level qualifications OR 3 passes with at least grade 'C' in Biology, Mathematics, English and Chemistry & Physics at A-Level or any comparable qualification AND a relevant Agriculture diploma (which also covered basic science courses) obtained from an accredited institution of higher learning	Two	Four years
2. Bachelor of Science in: a. Biotechnology b. Horticulture	A pass-with-credit certificate in agricultural sciences from a LUANAR Senate recognized institution OR have a diploma in agricultural sciences from a LUANAR Senate recognized institution with passes in basic sciences (Biology, Chemistry and Physics) OR have a pass-with-credit diploma in agricultural sciences from a LUANAR Senate recognized institution. Applicants in possession of Diploma in Agricultural sciences may at the discretion of the Faculty of Agriculture be admitted into year three of the programme.		

2. Additional Information

All applicants for Mature entry bachelor's degree programmes are required to submit their applications using UGMEB-2024/2025 Application Form for the 2024-2025 Academic Year.

2. Other relevant information

i. Additional requirements for admission

Candidates must also meet the specific entry requirements for each Faculty/programme as outlined under the programme details section of the application form.

ii. International students

International students are admitted using the same criteria for Malawian candidates. Successful international candidates are required to submit police clearance reports from their countries of origin and pay USD100 processing fee for a study permit, during their registration at LUANAR.

iii. Tuition fees for the 2023/2024 academic year

Level of study	College	Tuition and administrative fees/Year
Bachelor's Degree	Bunda College (Bunda Campus)	MWK950,000.00 (Subject to change at any time)

3. Application procedure

a. Address for submitting application forms is:

The University Registrar, LUANAR, P.O. Box 219, Lilongwe, (Attention Academic Office). The application forms can also be downloaded from www.luanar.ac.mw or can be collected at Bunda Campus premises.

b. A complete application package must include:

- An appropriate application form as indicated under section B.
- Copies of all relevant degrees/diplomas/certificates/academic transcripts which have been indicated on the application form. These must be duly certified as true copies of the originals by a recognised Commissioner of Oaths.
- Original proof of availability of funds for training.
- Proof of payment of an appropriate application fee bearing the name of the applicant and the amount of application fee paid.
- Proof of English Language proficiency for international candidates whose first language is not English.

c. All applicants are strictly required to deposit a non-refundable application fee of K10,000.00 for Malawian and US\$30.00 for international applicants to the following bank account:

DETAILS	NATIONAL BANK OF MALAWI
Account Name	LUANAR Student Rentals
Account Type	Current
Account Number	1000969806
Branch	Lilongwe
Swift Code	NBMAMWMW008

3. CLOSING DATE

THE CLOSING DATE FOR RECEIVING APPLICATIONS IS FRIDAY, 12TH APRIL 2024.