



Kirinyaga University

Our Programmes



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APPLICATION FOR KyU FULL TIME PROGRAMMES.

Kirinyaga University invites qualified applicants for the following programmes to be offered under full time mode of study in the academic year 2026/2027. The entry requirements for each programme are as shown below. Applications can be done online through <https://application.kyu.ac.ke/>, downloading the application form from the University website www.kyu.ac.ke or obtain the form from the University reception.

NAME OF THE PROGRAMME	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	PROGRAMME DURATION
SCHOOL OF BUSINESS AND EDUCATION		
POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Doctor of Philosophy in Business Administration. Specilizations: • Accounting • Finance • Human Resource Management • Strategic Management • Marketing Management • Entrepreneurship • Procurement and Supply Chain Management • Project Management	Be a holder of Master of Business Administration or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Master of Business Administration. Specilizations: • Accounting • Finance • Human Resource Management • Strategic Management • Marketing Management • Entrepreneurship and Small Business Management • Procurement and Supply Chain Management • International Business Management • Project Management	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in any discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience.	2 Years
Master of Economics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Economics or Economics and Statistics or Economics and Finance, or a relevant Social Science from a recognized University OR Lower Second Class with two (2) years relevant experience.	2 Years
Master of Science in Logistics and Supplies Chain Management	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Procurement and Supply Chain Management, or a relevant Social Science from a recognized University OR Lower Second Class with two (2) years relevant experience.	2 Years

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Master of Science in Accounting and Finance	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in any discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience.	2 Years
Master of Science in Human Resource Management	Be a holder of a bachelor's degree with at least Upper Second-Class honours in any discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate or be a holder of a Bachelors Degree with Lower Second Class honours in any discipline with proven evidence of research ability or two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 years
Master of Education	Be a holder of Bachelor of Education Arts with Second Class Upper Division or its equivalent from a recognized University OR Lower Second Class with two (2) years relevant experience OR Bachelor of Arts /Science degree with a postgraduate diploma in Education from a recognized University.	2 Years
Master of Arts	Be a holder of Bachelor of Education Arts with Second Class Upper Division or its equivalent from a recognized University OR Lower Second Class with two (2) years relevant experience OR Bachelor of Arts /Science degree with a postgraduate diploma in Education from a recognized University.	2 Years
Post Graduate Diploma in Education	Be a holder of any undergraduate degree from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	4 semesters
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Bachelor of Economics and Data Science	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Project and Disaster Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Business Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C (plain) in both Mathematics and English OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Procurement and Supplies Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C (plain) in both Mathematics and English OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Economics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Economics and Finance	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Economics and Statistics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Economics and Mathematics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters

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Bachelor of Economics and Global Business Studies	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Accounting and Finance	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Entrepreneurship with Innovation	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Human Resource Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum of C+ or equivalent and a minimum of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and C (plain) in English/ Kiswahili OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Education Technology. Options: • <i>Building and Construction Technology option</i> • <i>Electrical and Electronics Technology option</i> • <i>Mechanical Engineering Technology option</i> • <i>Fashion Design and Textile Technology</i>	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ and a minimum grade of C in both Mathematics and English and a minimum of C+ in the required cluster subjects for areas of specialization as follows: • Building and Construction technology option Minimum Requirements are: Mathematics C+, Physics C+ and Chemistry C+ • Electrical and Electronics Technology option Minimum Requirements are: Mathematics C+, Physics C+ and Chemistry C+. • Mechanical Engineering Technology option Minimum Requirements are: Mathematics C+, Physics C+ and Chemistry C+. • Fashion Design and Textile Technology Minimum requirements are: Chemistry C+ and Biology C+. OR Be a holder of a Diploma in a relevant discipline or equivalent.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Education (Arts)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate or its equivalent with a minimum aggregate of C+ and a minimum grade of C+ in any two teaching subjects from among the following subjects taught in secondary school level: History, CRE, Geography, English, Kiswahili, Mathematics and Business Studies and minimum C(Plain) in English and D+ in Mathematics OR Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C (Plain) with an overall credit pass at Diploma in Education level (S1 level).	8 semesters
Bachelor of Education (Science)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ and a minimum grade of C+ in the two (2) science teaching subjects (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics and Computer Studies, Geography) and C (Plain) in English and Mathematics OR Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C (Plain) with a Diploma in Education (Science) with minimum of a credit pass.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Arts (General)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C+ (plus) or equivalent and a minimum of C+ grade in any 3 of the following subjects: English, Kiswahili, Mathematics, History & Government, Geography, Business Studies and Religious Studies. OR Applicants with an overall KCSE mean grade C (Plain) and an overall credit pass at Diploma level.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Early Childhood Education	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C+ (plus) or equivalent Or Kenya Certificate of Secondary Examination (KCSE) or equivalent Certificate with a minimum grade of C with a Post -Secondary Certificate or Diploma in Education or Early Childhood Education from an institution of higher learning recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters

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Bachelor of Special Needs Education (Secondary Option)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C+ (plus) or equivalent and a minimum of C (Plain) in both Mathematics and English for Science and D+ for Mathematics and C (Plain) in English for Arts Students Or Kenya Certificate of Secondary Examination (KCSE) or equivalent Certificate with a minimum grade of C with a Post -Secondary Certificate or Diploma in Education or Special Needs Education from an institution of higher learning recognized by the University Senate.	8 Semesters
SHORT COURSES		
Proficiency Certificate in Supervisory Management Skills	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	1 week fulltime, 4 weeks parttime
Proficiency Certificate in Senior Management Skills	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	8 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Strategic Leadership Development	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	8 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Public Relations & Customer Care	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	2 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Entrepreneurship & Innovation	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	4 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Management for Effective Service Delivery	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	6 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Monitoring, Evaluation & Learning	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	8 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Performance-Based Management	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	8 weeks
Proficiency Certificate in Leadership and Management training for public officers	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	1 week fulltime, 4 weeks parttime

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Proficiency Certificate in Public procurement procedures	Degree Holders in any area relevant to the Public or Private Sector Services or KCSE/KCE/KACE qualifications and a relevant Diploma from an institution recognized by the University senate or a holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above	6 weeks
SCHOOL OF PURE AND APPLIED SCIENCES.		
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Doctor of Philosophy in Information Science	Be a holder of M.Sc. Information Science or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Applied and Computational Mathematics	Be a holder of Master degree in Applied Mathematics or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Pure Mathematics	Be a holder of Master degree in Pure Mathematics or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Information Technology	Be a holder of M.Sc. Information Technology or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Statistics	Be a holder of M.Sc. Statistics or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Biological Sciences	Be a holder of M.Sc. in Biological sciences or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	3 Years
Master of Science in Chemistry	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Chemistry or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Physics	Be a holder of Bachelor Degree in Physics or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Biological Sciences	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Biological Sciences or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Biostatistics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in statistics as a major subject or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Statistics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Statistics as a major subject or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Masters of Science in Computer Science	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Computer Science or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Information Science	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Information Science or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Information Technology	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Information Technology or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years

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Master of Science in Applied Mathematics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in Mathematics, or a closely related subject, with substantial applied Mathematics content with at least Upper Second Class Honors from a recognized university OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field	2 Years
Master of Science in Pure Mathematics	Be a holder of Bachelor of Science degree in Pure Mathematics, or a closely related subject, with substantial pure Mathematics content with at least Upper Second Class Honors from a recognized university OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Data Science and Analytics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Mathematics ,Data Science or Statistics as a major subject and at least an upper second-class Honors or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Actuarial Science	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with Actuarial Science or Applied Statistics as a major subject and at least an Upper Second Class Honors or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Science in Software Engineering	Be a holder of Bachelor of Science degree in Software Engineering or a closely related subject, with substantial Software Engineering content with at least Upper Second Class Honors from a recognized university OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Bachelor of Science in Information Technology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum an aggregate grade of C+ (Plus) at K.C.S.E. or equivalent and a minimum grade of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and Physics and a minimum grade of C (plain) in either English or Kiswahili or Kenya Sign Language OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate	8 semesters
Bachelor of Business Information Technology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+(plus) with a minimum of C in both Mathematics and English OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum an aggregate grade of C+ (Plus) at K.C.S.E. or equivalent and a minimum grade of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and Physics and a minimum grade of C (plain) in either English or Kiswahili or Kenya Sign Language OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum an aggregate grade of C+ (Plus) at K.C.S.E. or equivalent and a minimum grade of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and Physics and a minimum grade of C (plain) in either English or Kiswahili or Kenya Sign Language OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Statistics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with at least C+(plus) in Mathematics. OR Diploma in applied Sciences in which there has been a substantive Mathematics content, with at least a credit pass in relevant subjects from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters

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Bachelor of Science in Mathematics and Computer Science	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum an aggregate grade of C+ (Plus) at K.C.S.E. or equivalent and a minimum grade of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and Physics and a minimum grade of C (plain) in either English or Kiswahili or Kenya Sign Language OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Computer Systems Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum an aggregate grade of C+ (Plus) at K.C.S.E. or equivalent and a minimum grade of C+ (plus) in Mathematics and Physics and a minimum grade of C (plain) in either English or Kiswahili or Kenya Sign Language OR Mean Grade of C (Plain) at KCSE with a Diploma Certificate in a relevant discipline from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science (General)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C Plus (C+) or its equivalent and either a C+ in any two of the following subjects; Biology/ Biological Sciences, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics or Computer Science, depending on the preferred combinations.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Analytical Chemistry	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+(plus) with at least C+(plus) in mathematics and chemistry OR Diploma in applied Sciences in which there has been a substantive Mathematics and Chemistry content, with at least a credit pass in relevant subjects from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Applied Statistics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with at least C+(plus) in Mathematics. OR Diploma in applied Sciences in which there has been a substantive Mathematics content, with at least a credit pass in relevant subjects from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Financial Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C+ Plus (C+) and at least C+ in both English and Mathematics.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Data Science and Analytics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C+(Plus) and at least C+(plus) in Mathematics OR A Diploma in Statistics/Data Science/ Actuarial Science with at least a credit pass in relevant subjects from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Science in Industrial Chemistry	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+(plus) with at least C+(plus) in mathematics and chemistry OR Diploma in applied Sciences in which there has been a substantive Mathematics and Chemistry content, with at least a credit pass in relevant subjects from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES		
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES.		
Doctor of Philosophy in Clinical Medicine	Be a holder M.Sc. in Clinical Medicine or equivalent Master degree in the relevant area earned from KyU or universities recognized by the Commission for University Education (CUE) and must demonstrate ability in academic research. Be licensed to practice by Clinical Officer Council.	3 Years
Doctor of Philosophy in Forensic Science	Be a holder of Master degree in Forensic Science from a recognized university OR Be a holder of any other relevant qualification approved by the University Senate.	3 years
Doctor of Philosophy in Nursing	Be a holder of Master degree in Nursing from a recognized university OR Be a holder of any other relevant qualification approved by the University Senate.	3 years
M.Sc. paediatric Nursing	Be a holder of a B.Sc. Nursing degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years

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Master of Public Health	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in medical/clinical sciences/ Public health/Nutrition or holder of at least an upper second-class biomedical science/biological sciences/Epidemiology/community health/ Environmental Health or Any other relevant Biological Science and Health-related courses recognized by the University Senate OR Be holder of Second Class (Lower Division) Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
M.Sc. Forensic Science	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
M.Sc. Epidemiology and Medical Statistics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in medical/clinical sciences/Public health / Nutrition or holder of at least an upper second-class biomedical science / biological sciences / Epidemiology / community health / Environmental Health or Any other relevant Biological Science and Health-related courses recognized by the University Senate OR Be holder of Second Class (Lower Division) Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
Master of Technology in Medical Engineering	Be a holder of Bachelor Degree with a Second Class Honours (Upper division) in Medical / Biomedical Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering or any other relevant field from KyU or any other institution recognized by the University Senate. OR Be a holder of Bachelor degree, Second Class Honours (Lower Division), in Medical / Biomedical Engineering, Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering or any other relevant field from KyU or any other institution recognized by the University Senate. OR Two (2) years of relevant experience and professional development and academic advancement through research and publication since graduation with the bachelor's degree or a postgraduate diploma in the relevant field.	2 Years
M.Sc. Medical Genetics	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 years
M.Sc. Health Systems Management	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate. OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 Years
M.Sc. Clinical Medicine (Reproductive Health),	B.Sc. Clinical Medicine from an accredited University	9 Trimesters
M.Sc. Clinical Medicine (Paediatrics & Child Health)	B.Sc. Clinical Medicine from an accredited University	9 Trimesters
M.Sc. Clinical Medicine (Oncology with Palliative Care)	B.Sc. Clinical Medicine from an accredited University	9 Trimesters
M.Sc. Clinical Medicine (Forensic Medicine)	B.Sc. Clinical Medicine from an accredited University	6 Trimesters

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M.Sc. Nursing. Options: • <i>Critical Care Nursing</i> • <i>Community Health and Primary Clinical Care</i> • <i>Medical - Surgical Nursing</i> • <i>Nursing Leadership and Management</i> • <i>Mental Health and Psychiatry Nursing</i> • <i>Nursing Education</i> • <i>Midwifery Nursing</i> • <i>Oncology and Palliative Nursing</i>	1. B.Sc. Nursing from an accredited University 2. Valid practicing license 3. Registered with the Nursing Council of Kenya	6 Trimesters
M.Sc. Medical Microbiology	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in medical/clinical sciences, or holder of at least an upper second-class biomedical science/biological sciences from a recognized university. OR Be a holder Bachelor degree in biomedical science/ biological sciences with at least Second Class (Lower Division) and two years' relevant work experience will also be considered.	2 years
M.Sc. Community Health and Development	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in medical/clinical sciences/Public health/Nutrition or holder of at least an upper second-class biomedical science/biological sciences/Epidemiology/communityhealth/ Environmental Health or Any other relevant Biological Science and Health-related courses recognized by the University Senate OR Be holder of Second Class (Lower Division) Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field	2 years
Post Graduate Diploma in Nursing Oncology and Palliative Care	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Nursing from accredited University.	3 Trimesters
Post Graduate Diploma in Perioperative Nursing	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Nursing from accredited University.	2 Trimesters
Post Graduate Diploma in Nursing Midwifery	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Nursing from accredited University.	3 Trimesters
Post Graduate Diploma in Nursing Education	Be a holder of Bachelor degree in Nursing from accredited University.	3 Trimesters
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
B.Sc. Forensic Science	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) Chemistry and C+ (plus) Biology /Biological Sciences.	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Clinical Medicine & Community Health	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in English/Kiswahili, Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	12 Trimesters
B.Sc. Nursing	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics/physics.	12 Trimesters
B.Sc. Environmental health	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Community Health & Development	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C (plain) in Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics/physics	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Epidemiology and Medical Statistics	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in Biology and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters

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B.Sc. Medical Biotechnology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in Biology and C(plain) in Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Medical Biochemistry	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in Biology and C(plain) in Chemistry and Mathematics/physics	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Medical Microbiology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade of C+ (plus), with C+ (plus) in Biology and C(plain) in Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Science (Medical Laboratory Science)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C+ (plus) in English/Kiswahili, Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Medical Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus), with C+(plus) in Chemistry, Mathematics and physics.	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Health Records and Information Technology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a minimum aggregate of C+ (plus) with C(plain) in English/Kiswahili, Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics/physics.	8 Semesters
B.Sc. Health Systems Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate with a mean grade of C+ (plus) with C(plain) in English/ Kiswahili, Mathematics/Physics, Biology and Chemistry.	8 Semesters
PROFESSIONAL SHORT COURSES		
Short Course in Good Clinical Laboratory Practice (GCLP)	KCSE/KCE/KACE Certificate with a pass in Professional qualifications in laboratory sciences OR A holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above.	1 Week (Full time)
Short course in Mentorship	KCSE/KCE/KACE Certificate with a pass in health care Professional qualifications in laboratory sciences, nursing, medicine, clinical medicine, public health and community health and development OR A holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above.	1 Week (Full time)
Monitoring and Evaluation of Health Programmes	KCSE/KCE/KACE Certificate with a pass in health care Professional qualifications in laboratory sciences, nursing, medicine, clinical medicine, public health and community health and development. OR A holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above.	1 Week (Full time)
Infection prevention and Control	KCSE/KCE/KACE Certificate with a pass in health care Professional qualifications in laboratory sciences, nursing, medicine, clinical medicine, public health and community health and development. OR A holder of any other qualification accepted by the university senate as equivalent to any of the above.	1 Week (Full time)
SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY		
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
M.Sc. Electronics and Instrumentation	Be a holder of Bachelor of Science/Technology (Upper Second Class Honors and above) degree in Electronics and computer or other related areas such as but not limited to Engineering or Electronics Bachelor of Education Technology degree (Electrical and electronic option) with Upper Second Class Honors.	2 years
M.Sc. Construction Management	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field.	2 years
M.Sc. Renewable Energy	Be a holder of Bachelor degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors in relevant discipline or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate. OR Lower Second Class Honors with two (2) years relevant experience in a relevant field	2 years

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M.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering	First-class or an upper-second-class honours bachelor's degree in a field related to the built environment; or a lower second class honours bachelor's degree in a field related to the built environment and a postgraduate diploma in a relevant field; or a lower second class honours bachelor's degree in a field related to Renewable energy, and at least three years of postgraduate practice in a relevant field	2 years
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Bachelor of Technology in Construction Management	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+ (Plus) in Mathematics, C+(plus) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Electronics and Computer Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+ (Plus) in Mathematics, C+ (plus) in Physics/Chemistry/Biology/Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+(plus) in Mathematics, C+(plus) in Physics/Chemistry/Biology/Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Water Irrigation and Environmental Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Mechanical ventilation and air conditioning	Be a holder of KCSE Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A relevant of three-years in Diploma from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Renewable Energy	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Instrumentation and Control Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Telecommunication and Information Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Chemical Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by CUE and University Senate	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Architectural Studies	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Technology in Water, Sanitation and Habitat Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+(Plus) in Mathematics, C+ (plus) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V OR A Relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by CUE and Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters

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Bachelor of Technology in Renewable Energy	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C (plain) in Mathematics, C (plain) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+ (Plus) in Mathematics, C+ (plus) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	10 semesters
Bachelor of Science in Electrical and Electronics Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean Grade C+, (plus) with C+ (Plus) in Mathematics, C+ (plus) in Physics/ Chemistry/ Biology/ Geography OR any other from group III, IV, V. OR A relevant Diploma of three-years from an Institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 semesters
DEPARTMENT OF TEXTILE TECHNOLOGY.		
POST GRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
Doctor of Philosophy in Fashion Design.	Be a holder of Master of Fashion Design Or equivalent Master degree in the relevant field recognized by the University Senate	3 years
M.Sc. Fashion Design and Textile Technology	Be a holder of Bachelor Degree with at least Upper Second Class Honors Bachelor of Science in Fashion Design and Marketing or Textile Science and Design or B.Sc. in Textiles, Clothing or Bachelor of Education (Home Economics or Home Science) or Fine Art which has bias in textiles or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	2 years
UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES		
B.Sc. Fashion Design and Textile Technology	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean grade of C+ (plus) , C (plain) in art design/home science or one science subject (Chemistry, Biology and Physics /one art subject (Geography, History) OR Pass in Diploma in fashion design or its equivalent with minimum C- at KCSE	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Science in Travel and Tourism Management (BTM)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C+ (plus) or equivalent and a minimum of C (Plain) in both Mathematics and English or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Science in Cosmetology and Beauty Therapy (BCBT)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C+ (plus) or equivalent and a minimum of C (Plain) in both Mathematics and English or its equivalent from an institution recognized by the University Senate.	8 Semesters
Bachelor in Interior Design (BID)	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate Mean grade of C+ (plus), C (plain) in art design/home science or one science subject (Chemistry, Biology and Physics /one art subject (Geography, History) OR Pass in Diploma in interior design or its equivalent with minimum C- at KCSE	8 Semesters
Bachelor of Science in Textile Engineering	Be a holder of KCSE Certificate mean grade C+ (plus) or equivalent and a minimum of C (Plain) in both Mathematics and English. OR Applicants with an overall KCSE mean grade C (Plain) with KNEC/University Diploma in Textile Engineering with minimum of a credit pass.	8 Semesters
SHORT COURSES.		
Apparel Accessories	Be a holder of KCPE or KCSE Certificate	1 month
Interior Design and Fabric Decoration	Be a holder of KCPE or KCSE Certificate	3 weeks

HOW TO APPLY

Admission of candidates to Kirinyaga University for the post graduate courses, under graduate courses or other awards shall be open to all persons without discrimination on race, ethnicity, place of origin, political opinion, colour, creed, physical ability or gender.

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Application fee can be deposited in the university Account:

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Cooperative Bank	01129489200000
Equity Bank	0100299420333

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