

More information on the programme is available on the website  
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our Facebook page: SciMathUS

SciMathUS is one of Stellenbosch University's University Preparation Programmes, offered by the Centre for Pedagogy (SUNCEP).



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Stellenbosch University will only offer students the opportunity to study at the university if their Grade 12 results are in line with the minimum entry requirements specified by the respective faculties.  
Visit the University's website for details about entry requirements ([www.sun.ac.za](http://www.sun.ac.za)).

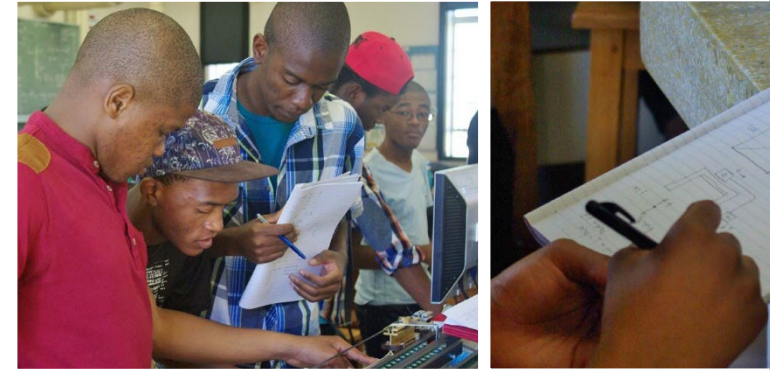
### \*Subjects designated for university admission

Accounting, Agricultural Sciences, Business Studies, Consumer Studies, Dramatic Arts, Economics, Engineering Graphics and Design, Geography, History, Information Technology, Languages (one language of learning and teaching at a higher education institution and two other recognized language subjects), Life Sciences, Mathematics, Mathematical Literacy, Music, Physical Sciences, Religion Studies and Visual Arts



# SciMathUS

## Science and Mathematics Programme at Stellenbosch University



SciMathUS is a second chance university preparation programme for students who did not qualify for higher education degree programmes or programmes with specific selection criteria. In SciMathUS students can improve their National Senior Certificate (NSC) results in Mathematics and Physical Sciences.

With improved NSC results, students may reapply for higher education.

## To be considered for the programme, applicants should have:

- passed Grade 12 with an average of at least 60% (excluding Life Orientation) the previous two years before applying.
- at least four subjects from the group of subjects designated for university admission\*.
- obtained a minimum of 50% in Afrikaans or English (Home Language or First Additional Language).
- a minimum of 45% in Mathematics AND a minimum of 45% in Physical Sciences is required.
- Meeting the above-mentioned criteria does NOT guarantee selection. All applications will be considered on merit.

This programme prepares students for university studies. Participants will therefore have to be highly motivated and hard-working, with drive and ambition to obtain a university qualification.

SciMathUS is offered in line with Stellenbosch University's commitment to diversify its student corps. Preference will be given to students from educationally disadvantaged circumstances that prevented them from demonstrating their academic potential and therefore hindered their access to higher education.

## SciMathUS offers:

- quality tuition in Mathematics and Physical Sciences.
- an opportunity for students to improve their NSC results in Physical Sciences & Mathematics.
- tuition in Academic Literacy, as well as in Computer Literacy.
- the opportunity to acquire the skills necessary for successful study at university level.
- an opportunity to discover how to take responsibility for one's own learning.
- access to all SU facilities.
- tuition in Afrikaans and English.

## How to apply:

- online (a link will be made available on the website: [www.suncep.sun.ac.za](http://www.suncep.sun.ac.za) in November).
- download the application form from the website: [www.suncep.sun.ac.za](http://www.suncep.sun.ac.za).
- an application form can be e-mailed to prospective students on request.
- online applications are submitted online.
- hard copy completed forms (on paper) can be mailed or scanned and e-mailed to SciMathUS.
- ONLY fully completed applications will be considered.

Selection will take place in January after the closing date of all applications and after all applicants have submitted their results.

A selection committee will decide on the most suitable candidates for the programme.

The decision of the selection committee is final.

Successful candidates will be informed of their acceptance as soon as the selection process has been concluded.

The programme accommodates about 100 students per annum.

Limited accommodation is available.

An admission fee is payable.