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What will you discover?

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Application Process and Admission Requirements

Complete an application online at iss.nmsu.edu. You will also need to pay the required non-refundable $50 international application fee.

TOEFL and IELTS required scores

TOEFL scores for regular NMSU admission:
• A minimum score of 58 on the Internet-based test (iBT) is required for graduate applicants.
• A minimum score of 51 on the paper-based test is required for graduate applicants.

IELTS scores for regular NMSU admission:
• A minimum score of 6.5 for graduate applicants
• A minimum score of 6.0 overall for undergraduate applicants

Note: Prospective students should review NMSU’s graduate and undergraduate catalogs for other application and admission requirements such as grade point averages, etc.

Freshman:
(1) Official secondary school transcript, (2) Graduation or a completion of secondary school document, (3) ACT or SAT results from applicants who have had the TOEFL waived or have graduated from an American high school.

Transfer:
(1) Official transcript from each secondary school attended, (2) May also be required to submit secondary school records, (3) Official TOEFL or IELTS scores.

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Modern need to submit official transcripts and diploma, official TOEFL/IELTS scores and department supporting documentation.

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