

Updates on Admissions Arrangements in Response to the COVID-19 Pandemic

For applicants who have genuine difficulty taking the TOEFL or IELTS test in a testing centre under the COVID-19 pandemic, the University is now accepting the following test results as alternatives in meeting the English language requirements of our taught programmes for the September 2023 entry:-

- i) TOEFL iBT Special Home Edition: A score of 80 or above
- ii) IELTS Indicator: An overall band score of 6 or above
- iii) IELTS Online: An overall band score of 6 or above

Please note that the Duolingo English Test is **NOT** one of the alternatives for meeting the University's English language requirements for admission purposes. Please also note that some programmes may stipulate other English language requirements for admission. For details, please refer to [Study@PolyU](#).

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