

Welcome to the webpage of SSST University. In this document, you will be able to find introductory information about take the English Language Entrance Exam at SSST. Please look at the other documents in this section (<u>Sample Examinations</u> and <u>English Language Entrance Exam - Resources</u>) for practice exams and helpful information on how to improve your English.

# English Language Entrance Requirements at SSST

You are expected to be reasonably proficient in the English language: comprehension, writing, and speaking.

You will be given a written examination and an oral interview:

- You will have up to 2 hours to complete the written test.
- You will be given a general interview of between 10 and 15 minutes

## Written Examination:

The written test will include:

- a) grammar
- b) comprehension
- c) paragraph writing

### English language requirements

In order to follow courses and coursework at SSST students must have adequate knowledge of English. The English entrance test, with a pass mark of 61%, is a requirement for all applicants.

Do not be discouraged if you feel or find out that your English is not up to standard. Those who achieve a borderline mark will be given links to language exercises to be done before coming to SSST, and will also be given an additional labs and seminars in the first year.

The entrance exam includes four parts:

### PART I Grammar - 40 points

Verb tenses and forms, including questions and negative statements. Adjectives, comparatives and superlatives Prepositions Pronouns

### PART II Reading comprehension - 20 points

A passage (about a page long), followed by about 15 questions.

### PART III Essay - 20 points

Students are asked to choose between different essay questions. Some essay topics target the specific fields the students are applying for; however, students are free to choose any topic of their interest.

### PART IV Oral exam - 20 points

You will be interviewed for 10-15 minutes by a member of the English Faculty.