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## Circular

As per the Office order letter No DSE/SLCD/Adm(1.1-A) /2023/350, Ministry of Education and Skills Development(MOESD), there were some changes in the Arts Subjects from the academic year 2024. An emergency Academic Board meeting was held on 14<sup>th</sup> February 2025, to discuss on the Ability Rating Points for Arts subjects. Due to the changes in arts subjects from MOESD, the previous Ability Rating Points are not applicable for arts stream students to be admitted into the Khesar Gyalpo University of Medical Sciences of Bhutan. Therefore, the Academic Board of KGUMSB has revised the Ability Rating Points for Arts subjects in accordance to change made by the MOESD. This circular supersedes circular letter No KGUMSB/SA/2025/301 sent on 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 2025.

The revised Ability Rating Points are as cited below for Arts stream only:

SI#	Programs	Eligibility criteria	Ability rating points
	Diploma in	Class XII pass Science with	Bio science:
1	General Nursing	a minimum of 40% each in	Biology-5, Chemistry-4
	& Midwifery (GNM)	English, Dzongkha, Biology or Physics or Chemistry	Physics- 3, English -3, and Dzongkha -2
			Pure science:
		Commerce:	Chemistry – 4, Physics-3
		Class XII pass Commerce	Math – 2, English -3 and Dzongkha- 2
		with a minimum of 40% in	Commerce:
		all subjects	Commerce/Accountancy/Business and Entrepreneurship -4
		Arts:	English- 3, Dzongkha- 2
		Class XII pass Arts with a minimum of 40% in all	2 other subjects- 2 each Arts:
		subjects	English- 4, Dzongkha -3
			3 other subjects- 3 each

The revised Ability Rating Points shall be implemented with immediate effect.

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