

NUI Certification Form

This form should be completed by a qualified professional and attached to the online application.

This form is particularly relevant to students in schools not covered by DES circular letter M10/94.



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Students seeking to matriculate in the NUI are required to present six Leaving Certificate subjects, including Irish, English and a third language. Students may be exempted from presenting Irish or a third language for matriculation on certain grounds.

There are two scenarios where this form should be completed.

1. A student who is certified by a qualified professional as having a condition causing such a learning difficulty in relation to language acquisition.
2. A student who has another condition certified by a relevant professional that seriously impacts their engagement with the education system.

This means that the student may substitute other Leaving Certificate subjects in place of the Irish and another language. It is drawn to the attention of professionals completing this form that the purpose here is to make special provision for students who in all other respects can be expected to meet the standards required for NUI matriculation but who, because of their learning difficulty in relation to language acquisition, should not be required to present the subject 'Irish' or another language apart from English as a Leaving Certificate subject. It is not the intention that students should qualify for exemption on the basis of poor standards of literacy.

Please write in block capitals.

Applicant's surname

Applicant's first name(s)

In your professional opinion, has this student a condition causing such a learning difficulty in relation to language acquisition as to warrant exemption?

 Yes No

OR

In your professional opinion has this student another condition that seriously impacts their engagement with education?

 Yes No

On what evidence is this opinion based? Please indicate here the results of any relevant tests which you have carried out in assessing the student.

In your view, should this candidate be exempted from Irish and/or Third Language for NUI matriculation?

 Yes No

Relevant Professional's details

Surname

First name(s)

Address

Qualification(s)

Data Protection

NUI processes all personal data transparently and lawfully.

Please refer to NUI's general Data Protection Policy, available at www.nui.ie

I confirm that, to the best of my knowledge, the information given above is correct.

I declare that the information set out above is correct. I consent to NUI processing my personal data for this specific application, in line with stated regulations and NUI's data protection policy.

Signature of Professional

Date of signature

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