



University Grants Commission

University Admission-Academic Year 2025/2026

Special intake for the applicants with exceptional abilities/skills in Sports to Universities

The University Grants Commission will entertain applications from candidates who have excelled in the field of sports to follow a course of study in Sports Science & Management conducted by Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka and University of Sri Jayewardenepura, for the course of study in Sports Science conducted by University of Kelaniya and to follow a course of study in Physical Education conducted by Sabaragamuwa University of Sri Lanka and University of Jaffna.

The requirements to be fulfilled for Special Admission:

- Winning medals or participation in Olympic Games.
- Winning at least Gold, Silver or Bronze Medals in Commonwealth Games, Asian Games or SAARC Games.
- Member of a national team representing Sri Lanka at Commonwealth Games, Asian Games, SAARC Games or in a recognized World Cup in a sport such as Cricket, Football, Rugby, Volleyball, Netball or any other sport as decided by the University Grants Commission.

The candidates selected for admission under this special category should complete a suitable foundation course conducted by the Open University of Sri Lanka before commencing of the academic programme.

The applications will be called from the applicants who fulfilled the aforesaid requirements until **08th September 2026**

The duly filled application form complying with the following format should be enclosed with the certified copies of the relevant Certificates and should be submitted by registered post to the Deputy Secretary /University Admissions, University Grants Commission, No: 20, Ward Place, Colombo 07 on or before **08th September 2026**

Closing date of the Applications will be **08th September 2026**

The application forms received after the closing date and which are not duly completed will be rejected.

Chairman
University Grants Commission.
No: 20, Ward Place,
Colombo 07.
09th August 2026