



FACULTY OF DENTAL SURGERY

BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY (B.CH.D.)

Course Duration

The course of studies leading to the degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery extends over a period of five years.

Admission Requirements

Applicants may apply for admission to the course leading to the Degree of Bachelor of Dental Surgery, if they are in possession of the Matriculation Certificate Examination, have obtained passes in the Secondary Certificate Examinations at Grade 5 or better in Maltese, English Language and Mathematics, and satisfy the following Special Course Requirements:

(A) Advanced Level passes at Grade C or better in: **Biology and Chemistry;**

and

(B) An Intermediate Level pass at Grade C or better in: **Physics,**

Provided that the grades indicated above are obtained together in one session (i.e. one sitting) and are from one recognized Examining Board.

Note: There may be a limit to the number of students admitted in the course who shall be chosen according to the Regulations for the Selection of Applicants for Admission to the B.Ch.D. Course.

Note for International Applicants

International applicants should contact the International Admissions Office before submitting their application.

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The Course Structure

Year I

- ♦ Anatomy
- ♦ Physiology
- ♦ Behavioural Sciences

Year II

- ♦ Preventive and Community Dentistry
- ♦ Restorative Dentistry
- ♦ Clinical Medical Sciences
- ♦ Behavioural Sciences
- ♦ General Pharmacology

Year III

- ♦ Restorative Dentistry
- ♦ Oral Medicine, Oral Surgery and Oral Pathology
- ♦ Child Dental Health and Orthodontics
- ♦ Preventive and Community Dentistry
- ♦ Behavioural Sciences

Year IV

- ♦ Restorative Dentistry
- ♦ Oral Medicine, Oral Surgery and Oral Pathology
- ♦ Child Dental Health and Orthodontics

Year V

- ♦ Ethics and Jurisprudence
- ♦ Behavioural Sciences

Assessment

Progress tests are held regularly throughout the course

The First B.Ch.D. Examination shall be held in June at the end of the second year of the Course and there will be a Supplementary Session in September. The subjects are:

- ♦ Anatomy
- ♦ Physiology and Biochemistry

The Second B.Ch.D. Examination shall be held in June at the end of the third year and a Supplementary Session in September at the end of the third year in the following subjects:

- ♦ Clinical Medical Sciences
- ♦ Preventive and Community Dentistry (Including Practice Management)

The Final Examinations are held in June of the fifth year of the Course with a supplementary session in September as well. The subject in the examination include:

- ♦ Restorative Dentistry
- ♦ Oral Medicine, Oral Surgery and Oral Pathology
- ♦ Child Dental Health and Orthodontics