National Outreach Programme (NOP)

Deadline for NOP Applications
March 5, 2019

If you are a brilliant and aspiring young student who excels academically yet is constricted by financial circumstances, then the LUMS National Outreach Programme (NOP) is for you! We aim to bring the brightest minds together from every corner of Pakistan to study at LUMS on full scholarship. Since its establishment in 2001, the NOP has successfully instated more than 1,100 brilliant students and continues to facilitate many more annually. Almost 540 graduated students have gone out to achieve, thrive and make an impact in their communities.

THE PROCESS

- The NOP team visits schools/colleges in various cities, towns and villages all over Pakistan to give presentations about the LUMS National Outreach Programme.
- Students send their online applications for the NOP Summer Coaching Session to LUMS and the shortlisted students are invited on campus in the summer to experience university life.
- Students hoping to attain the NOP scholarship apply for admission at LUMS along with other regular students.
- Students take the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) which is funded by the NOP Centre.

A student from anywhere in Pakistan can apply if they meet the criteria of marks and financial need. There are no separate seats/quota for students based on region, ethnicity and/or extracurricular activities.

UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES OFFERED AT LUMS

Suleman Dawood School of Business
- BSc (Honours)
  - Accounting & Finance
  - Management Science

Mushtaq Ahmad Gurmani School of Humanities and Social Sciences
- BA (Honours)
  - English
  - History
- BSc (Honours)
  - Anthropology & Sociology
  - Economics
  - Economics & Mathematics
  - Economics & Politics
  - Political Science

Syed Babar Ali School of Science and Engineering
- BS
  - Biology
  - Chemistry
  - Computer Science
  - Chemical Engineering
  - Electrical Engineering
  - Mathematics
  - Physics

Shaikh Ahmad Hassan School of Law
- BA - LL.B (Honours)

Syed Ahsan Ali and Syed Maratib Ali School of Education plans to offer a Minor in Education.
ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- At least 80% marks in Matric or equivalent in O Levels
- Financial need

The students shortlisted on the above criteria are invited to the NOP Summer Coaching Session, where they are examined through different exercises and tests. Students are evaluated on their performance at the Summer Coaching Session and are registered for the entrance test, completely paid for by LUMS. Finally, students who apply to LUMS and qualify on merit are offered admission on full scholarship.

All students, irrespective of whether they apply directly or through the NOP, are evaluated on the same admission criteria. While assessing financial need, a review committee ensures transparency in the process of awarding scholarships to all those who qualify for admission.

HOW TO APPLY

Students who meet the eligibility criteria can apply through the following process:

STEP 1 APPLICATION PROCESS

Apply to NOP while you are in the first year of Intermediate or A Levels. This will be two years before the start date of the undergraduate programme at LUMS. Students attending the coaching session in 2019 will be able to join in 2020. You can fill out your online application at https://nopscs.lums.edu.pk

STEP 2 SUMMER COACHING SESSION

Shortlisted candidates will be called in for a two week long Summer Coaching Session (SCS) at LUMS. The session will be arranged during the summer holidays and all expenses, except travelling will be covered by LUMS.

STEP 3 SAT REGISTRATION

LUMS will pay the SAT registration fee of candidates who successfully complete the Summer Coaching Session.

STEP 4 LUMS ADMISSION FORM

The next step for successful NOP Summer Coaching Session candidates is to fill an online application for LUMS admissions through the following link: https://admissions.lums.edu.pk.

Qualifying students will become LUMS NOP Scholars!

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Cities of NOP Scholars

Abbottabad
Abdul Hakeem
Aliabad
Alipur
Alipur Chatha
Arifwala
Astore
Attock
Bagh
Bahawalnagar
Bahawalpur
Bannu
Bhakkar
Bhalwal
Bhera
Bhimbir
Bhojwala
Burewala
Chakwal
Chenab Nagar
Charsadda
Chichawatni
Chiniot
Chishtian
Chitral
Chunian
D.G Khan
D.I Khan
Daharki
Dahranwala
Depalpur
Duki
Faisalabad
Farooqabad
Fateh Jhang
Fort Abbasi
Gakhur
Ghizer
Ghotki
Gilgit
Gojra
Gujar
Gujranwala
Gujrat
Hafrizabad
Haripur
Harnoorabad
Haipur
Haveli Lakh
Hujran
Hunza
Hyderabad
Islamabad
Jagharabad
Jhang
Jhelum
Jhuddo
Kabirwala
Karachi
Kasur
Khairpur
Khanewal
Khaplu
Kohat
Kurram Agency
Lahore
Lakki Marwat
Lodhran
Loralai
Mangla
Mansehra
Mardan
Manwali
Mirpur
Mirpur Khas
Multan
Muridke
Muzaffarabad
Muzaffargarh
Nankana Sahib
Narowal
Nowshera
Okara
Pakpattan
Panja Sharif
Parachinar
Pattoki
Peshawar
Phool Nagar
Pir Mahal
Quetta
Rahim Yar Khan
Rajanpur
Rawalakot
Rawalpindi
Renala Khurd
Sahiwal
Sangla Hill
Sargodha
Shahkot
Shakargarh
Sheikhpura
Sialkot
Skardu
Sohawa
Sukkur
Swabi
Swat
Tando Allahyar
Taxila
Toba Tek Singh
Usta Mohammad
Vehari
Wah Cantt
Wazirabad

Total students inducted: 1,100+
Number of NOP graduates: 540+
NOP graduates who have received international scholarships: 35+
NOP scholars came from all over Pakistan: 115 Cities