

Assessment & Award Regulations

1.	Course	Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine - Honours Points		
2.	Year	5		
3.	Applicable to Academic Year	2021/22 (Graduating in 2022)		
4.	Aspects of Course Covered by Examination	All Years		
5.	Form of Examination	Three parts: Finals Part 1, Finals Part 2 and Finals Part 3		
6.	Requirements for Award of BVetMed	<p>To have successfully passed Finals Parts 1, 2 and 3 according to the requirements of each Part.</p> <p>AND</p> <p>To have completed 12 weeks of AHEMS experience and 13 weeks of Clinical EMS experience (in accordance with the EMS and AHEMS regulations applicable to their year of study)</p> <p>AND</p> <p>To have successfully passed all parts of Finals within 5 years of commencing Year 3.</p>		
7.	Award of Honours			
7.1	Honours points are awarded as follows:			
		Distinction	Merit	
	Gateway Year	0	0	
	First Year BVetMed	8	4	
	Second Year BVetMed	8	4	
	Graduate Entry Year BVetMed	0	0	
	Third Year BVetMed (<i>Professional Studies assignment only</i>)*	0.8	0.4	
	Fourth Year BVetMed	8	4	
	Finals Part 1	0	0	
	Finals Part 2	16	8	
	Finals Part 3	4	2	
	*weighted at 20% of the honours points available in Year 3 2019-20.			
7.2	For students graduating in 2022, the award of honours points will be calculated using two methods. A student will be awarded overall honours if they are eligible by either of the following two methods.			
7.2.1	Method 1 (7.3 below) will exclude honours points attributed to BVetMed Year 3 (academic year 2019-20) from the calculation.			
7.2.2	Method 2 (7.4 below) will include honours points gained for the BVetMed Year 3 Professional Studies assignment (academic year 2019-20), as stated in 7.1 above, from the calculation.			

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7.3	<p>Method 1 Calculation Honours will be awarded to students who meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) A student who has undertaken the 5 year programme, or entered via the Gateway programme, gaining 16.5 (37.5%) or more honours points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled.(ii) A student who has undertaken the Graduate Entry or Combined Degree programmes, gaining 10.5 (37.5%) or more honours points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled.(iii) At least 10 points must be obtained from the Finals BVetMed Examinations.(iv) The student has not been required to defer Finals Part 1 as a result of earlier failure.
7.4	<p>Method 2 Calculation Honours will be awarded to students who meet the following criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) A student who has undertaken the 5 year programme, or entered via the Gateway programme, gaining 16.8 (37.5%) or more honours points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled.(ii) A student who has undertaken the Graduate Entry or Combined Degree programmes, gaining 10.5 (37.5%) or more honours points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled.(iii) At least 10 points must be obtained from the Finals BVetMed Examinations.(iv) The student has not been required to defer Finals Part 1 as a result of earlier failure.