School Nominations Direct Admission Scheme (SNDAS) Programme and Admission Requirements of Designated Programmes in the 2026/27 Academic Year

I. Programme information

(a)	University	City University of Hong Kong	
(b)	Programme	BSc Data Science (Features: Data Science / Machine Learning / Data	
		Mining / Big Data Analysis)	
(c)	JUPAS programme code	JS1072	
(d)	Programme duration	4 years	

II. Programme admission requirements

Admission requirements				
(a)	Top 25% in Mathematics / M1 / M2 in form ranking of Secondary 4 to 6 (1st Term)			
(b)	Awardee of International / regional / local competitions in the Programming area, e.g. Hong Kong Olympiad of Informatics (HKOI), Hong Kong Secondary School Coding Challenge (HKSC)	Mandatory		

III. Application requirements

Application requirements				
(a)	JUPAS application			
(i)	Band A choice in nominee's JUPAS application			
(ii)	Submission of Other Experiences and Achievements in Competition / Activities	Manalatana		
	(OEA)	Mandatory		
(iii)	Submission of Student Learning Profile (SLP)			
(b)	Other application materials			
(i)	Personal statement			
(ii)	Recommendation letter			
(iii)	School report / result / assessment	Mandatory		
	(Specific requirement: F.4-F.6 (up to the first term))			
(iv)	School's assessment on the predicted HKDSE grades			

IV. Assessment of application

Assessment			
(a)	Interview	Mandatory	

V. Enquiry and nomination submission channel

(a) Enquiries from schools / students on the programme can be addressed to:

Name: Department of Data Science

Telephone: 3442 7887

Email: ds.go@cityu.edu.hk

(b) Nominations from school principals should be submitted via:

Online system under Special Consideration / Admission Schemes (URL link: https://www.cityu.edu.hk/admo/admissions/jupas-admission)