

**School Nominations Direct Admission Scheme (SNDAS)**  
**Programme and Admission Requirements of Designated Programmes**  
**in the 2027/28 Academic Year**

**I. Programme information**

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| (a) | University           | The Chinese University of Hong Kong  |
| (b) | Programme            | Government and Public Administration |
| (c) | JUPAS programme code | JS4848                               |
| (d) | Programme duration   | 4 years                              |

**II. Programme admission requirements**

| Admission requirements |                                                                                                   |           |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| (a)                    | Top 10% in class ranking in Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 (1st term)                                | Mandatory |
| (b)                    | Predicted grade of Level 5 or above in English Language and Chinese Language of HKDSE Examination |           |
| (c)                    | Nominees should possess good communication and analytical skills.                                 |           |
| (d)                    | Outstanding academic results in English and Chinese                                               | Preferred |
| (e)                    | Received scholarships due to outstanding academic performance                                     |           |

**III. Application requirements**

| Application requirements               |                                                                                                                       |           |
|----------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| <b>(a) JUPAS application</b>           |                                                                                                                       |           |
| (i)                                    | Band A choice in nominee’s JUPAS application                                                                          | Mandatory |
| (ii)                                   | Submission of Other Experiences and Achievements in Competition / Activities (OEA)                                    |           |
| (iii)                                  | Submission of Student Learning Profile (SLP)                                                                          |           |
| <b>(b) Other application materials</b> |                                                                                                                       |           |
| (i)                                    | Nominees may demonstrate in a personal statement in no more than 300 words why they are interested in the programme   | Mandatory |
| (ii)                                   | Recommendation letter                                                                                                 |           |
| (iii)                                  | School reports showing the nominees’ academic performance and class ranking in Secondary 5 and Secondary 6 (1st term) |           |
| (iv)                                   | School’s assessment on the nominees’ predicted grades in the 2027 HKDSE examination                                   |           |

#### IV. Assessment of application

| Assessment |                                                                       |           |
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| (a)        | Nominees should demonstrate outstanding performance in the interview. | Mandatory |

#### V. Enquiry and nomination submission channel

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

Name: Office of Admissions and Financial Aid, CUHK

Telephone: 3943 8947 / 3943 0387

Email: [sndas@cuhk.edu.hk](mailto:sndas@cuhk.edu.hk)

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

Online system (URL link: <https://admission.cuhk.edu.hk/jupas/sndas.html>)