

# Bridging Programme(Faculty Foundation) Session 20202021-2

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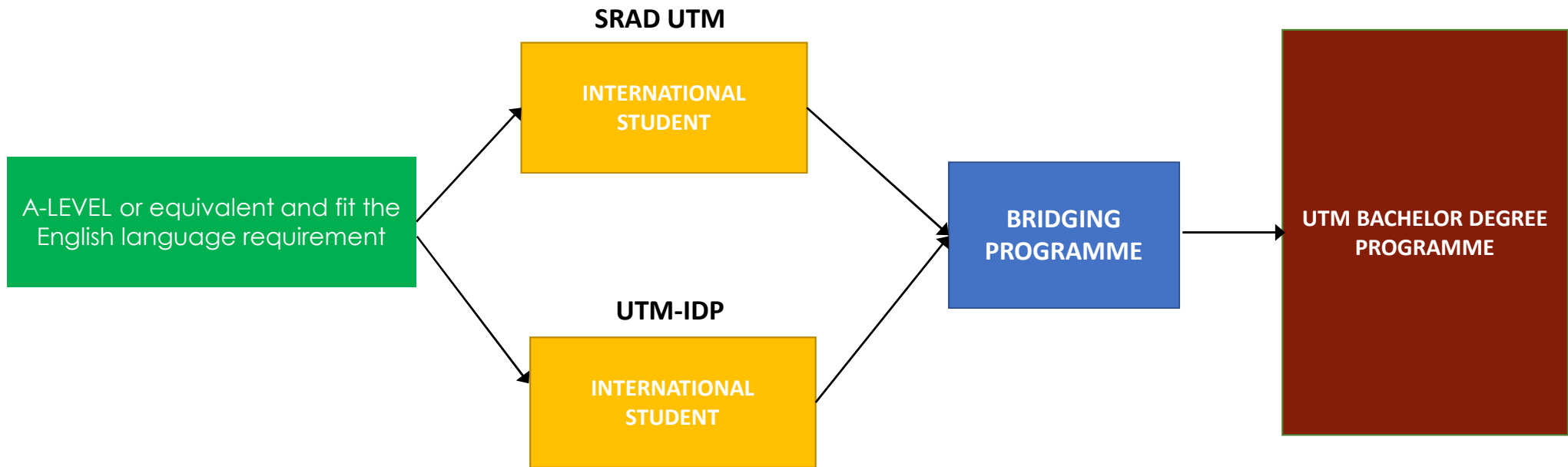


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# BRIDGING PROGRAMME PATHWAY



# Bridging Program(Objective)

The objectives of the Bridging Programme are as follows :

- To facilitate the international students to be enrolled into the Undergraduate programmes at the various faculties in the University
- To ensure sufficient knowledge on basic fundamentals of Science and Mathematics in preparation for Undergraduate education

# Foundation Subjects

COURSE CODE	COURSE	CREDIT
<b>Module 1: Engineering &amp; Science</b>		
IFM 1004	Mathematics	4
IFP 1014	Physics	4
IFC 1024	Chemistry	4

- *Civil*
- *Electrical*
- *Chemical & Natural Resources*
- *Biomedical & Health Science*
- *Mechanical*
- *Bioscience & Bioengineering*
- *Science*
- *Education*

# Foundation Subjects

COURSE CODE	COURSE	CREDIT
<b>Module 2: Computer Science and Others</b>		
IFM 1004	Mathematics	4
IFP 1014	Physics	4
IFT 1064	ICT	4

- *Computer Science & Information System*
- *Geomatic Science & Engineering (SGS, SGU, SGG)*

# Foundation Subjects

COURSE CODE	COURSE	CREDIT
<b>Module 3: Non-Engineering</b>		
IFB 1034	Business Mathematics	4
IFB 1044	Intro to Business	4
IFE 1054	Economics	4

- *Management & Human Resources*
- *Built Environment*
- *Education (SPL, SPI)*
- *Geomatic Science & Engineering (for SGP, SGT programmes)*

# Credits and Grading Scheme

The Relationship between Marks and Grades

Marks	Grade	Pointer
90 - 100	A+	4.00
80 - 89	A	4.00
75 - 79	A-	3.67
70 - 74	B+	3.33
65 - 69	B	3.00
60 - 64	B-	2.67
55 - 59	C+	2.33
50 - 54	C	2.00
45 - 49	C-	1.67
40 - 44	D+	1.33
35 - 39	D	1.00
30 - 34	D-	0.67
00 - 29	E	0

The table is annotated with two brackets on the right side. A blue bracket groups the rows from '40 - 44' (D+) up to '90 - 100' (A+), with a blue box labeled 'PASS' next to it. A red bracket groups the rows from '00 - 29' (E) up to '35 - 39' (D), with a red box labeled 'FAIL' next to it.

- Assessments - tests, quizzes, assignments and final examination throughout the semester.
- The final examination date is set by UTM.
- **Pass every course with minimum grade D+ AND average grade CGPA 2.00**
- Student who failed, he is allowed to repeat for 1 semester.

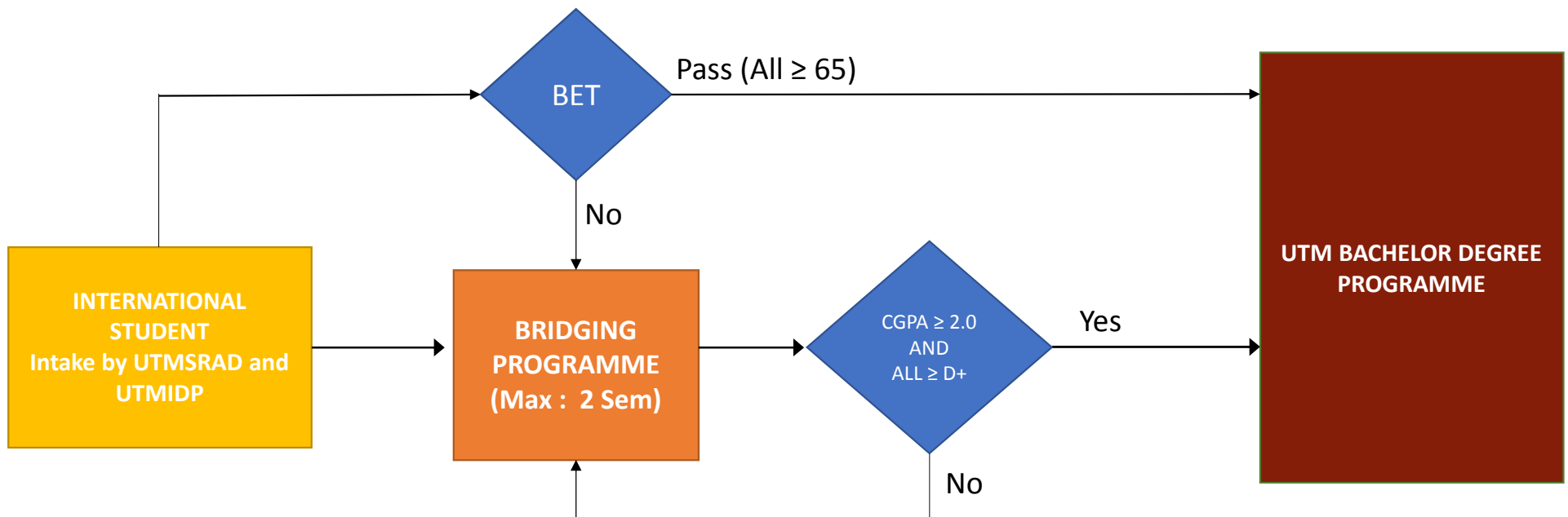


# ATTENDANCE

The student should adhere to the rules of attendance as stated in the University Academic Regulation:

1. Student must attend **not less than 80%** of lecture hours as required for the course.
2. The student will be prohibited from attending any lecture and assessment activities upon failure to comply with the above requirement.

# BRIDGING PROGRAMME PATHWAY(New)



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## Bridging Exemption Test (BET)

- Objective : to be exempted for Bridging Programme. Not compulsory.
- Students who take the BET Test and passed, can skip Bridging Programme and can register for the degree programme
- Passing Marks : 65 % for all Courses according to Module
- Students who take the BET Test and failed, will need to continue for Bridging Programme
- Fee : RM 500.
- Due date for registration : 19<sup>th</sup> March 2021.
- for more information, check our website or scan the QR code [https://studentppi.utmspace.edu.my/?page\\_id=3345](https://studentppi.utmspace.edu.my/?page_id=3345)

# Teaching and Learning for 20202021-2

- Based on new circular from Ministry of Higher Education and UTM, all teaching and learning (TnL) activities should be **implemented online until further notice**.
- All new and senior students must register and follow all the classes online until further notice, based on new developments of COVID-19.
- For Bridging Programme, the platform that will be used for online learning is **Blackboard**. I will explain later on how to use the basic function of Blackboard.

# Teaching and Learning for 20202021-2

- Classes will be implemented according to Malaysia time.
- Please be aware on the timezone difference if you are not in Malaysia.
- Discuss with your lecturer if you have trouble attending the synchronous online class due to the time difference constraint. The decision is up to the lecturer.
- For now, students who in KL Centre (MJIT) have to join the section from JB Centre until further notice. Please note the weekdays difference between JB(Sunday-Thursday) and KL(Monday-Friday).
- Class Timetable, sections category will be sent to students via email and student portal by the end of this week. Class will start on 14<sup>th</sup> March 2021.

# Academic Calendar Session 20202021-2

DATE		PROGRAMME	PUBLIC HOLIDAY
8 March 2021	8 March 2021	Student Briefing for New Students Semester II Session 2020/2021	
<b>UTM JB</b>	<b>UTM KL</b>	<b>LECTURE SEMESTER II, SESSION 2020/2021</b> *14 March 2021 - 30 September 2021 - UTM JB / 15 March 2021 - 1 October 2021 - UTM KL (29 weeks)	
14 March - 6 May 2021	15 March - 7 May 2021	Lecture Semester II / First Half (8 weeks)	Birthday of His Majesty the Sultan of Johor (JB Only) – 23 March 2021 (Tuesday) *First Day of Ramadhan (JB Only) - 13 April 2021 (Tuesday) Nuzul Al Quran (KL Only) - 29 April 2021 (Thursday) Labour Day - 1 May 2021 (Saturday) *Eid Al - Fitri - 13 - 14 May 2021 (Thursday & Friday) *Eid Al - Fitri - 16 May 2021 (Sunday- JB Only) Wesak Day - 26 May 2021 (Wednesday) Agong's Birthday - 7 June 2021 (Monday) Eid Al - Adha - 20 July 2021 (Tuesday) Awal Muharram - 10 August 2021 (Tuesday) National Day - 31 August 2021 (Tuesday)
9 - 13 May 2021	10 - 14 May 2021	Mid-Semester Break (1 week)	
16 May - 24 June 2021	17 May - 25 June 2021	Lecture Semester II / Second Half (6 weeks)	
27 June - 1 July 2021	28 June - 2 July 2021	Revision Period Semester (1 week)	
4 - 15 July 2021	5 - 16 July 2021	Final Examination for Semester II (2 weeks)	
29 July 2021		*SPACE Academic Committee Meeting	
18 July - 30 September 2021	19 July - 1 October 2021	Final Break for Semester II (10 weeks)	

\*Subject to changes

Updated: 23 December 2020

# Student's Actions - What you need to do?

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- **Do course registration**
- - The due date is by 12<sup>th</sup> March 2021

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- **Join the Bridging Whatsapp group**
- <https://chat.whatsapp.com/CKEy5LYdjWAD9N3GDPWBGL>

Bridging 2021-2  
WhatsApp group



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- **Fill up the TnL Readiness Survey form**
- <https://forms.gle/zVwAjDEL43oCz5ev8>

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- **Wait for the student's listname by section and timetable to be released on student portal**
- -check the website <https://studentppi.utmspace.edu.my/?cat=6> . It will be released by 13<sup>th</sup> March

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- **Wait for the Blackboard account to be created**
- -Students who registered later than 12<sup>th</sup> March will need to wait around two working days for their Blackboard account to be ready.
- -Once your BB account is ready, please check the Blackboard manual on how to use it

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- **Attend the online class**
- -Once you have your Blackboard account, you can attend the online class, starting on 14<sup>th</sup> March. Refer to your timetable

# Course Registration

1. Download the course registration form from the website. Refer to this manual <https://studentppi.utmspace.edu.my/wp-content/uploads/2021/02/How-to-register-course-online-bridging-semester-220202021-1.pdf>
2. Install an app to fill and sign the form on smartphone/PC.
3. Fill in the course registration form.

Please ensure that the following information is correctly filled in:

1. Name
2. Passport Number
3. Matric Number (e.g. T20EA0001)
4. Session/Semester (e.g. 20202021-1)
5. Email Address
6. Course Code (e.g. IFM1004) - click [here](#) for more details
7. Mailing Address
8. Phone Number
9. Student's signature
10. Date

See the sample of course registration:

- [Engineering/Science student](#)
- [Computer science student](#)
- [Management/Business Student](#)
- [Repeating Student](#)



## Course Registration (continued)

- For now, lecturer's signature, academic advisor's signature are not required. Just leave it blank.
  - Make sure you write the right Course Code of your Module, according to your Degree Programme. Refer to previous slide or page 7-8 of [Guideline Book for Foundation Programme\(Bridging\)](#)
  - For repeating students, insert only the courses that you failed in previous semester, or the courses you need to improve.
4. Submit the registration form online through the given link.

# FAQ

## 1. What platform do we use for online learning?

You will use a platform called Blackboard for online learning. Refer to the Blackboard manual that we put on the website on how to use it.

## 2. When can we login to Blackboard account ?

We will try to create those who did the registration, by 14<sup>th</sup> March the latest. Student who registered later than 12<sup>th</sup> March, will need to wait for couple of days for their Blackboard account to be created.

## 3. Is the class is going to be online until the end of semester ?

We do not have a definite answer for that. It depends on UTM and Ministry of Higher Education's decision from time to time. For now, it will be online. Any changes, we will update you.

# FAQ

## 4. How about student's visa?

Refer to UTMI(UTM International) anything on visa problem. We can only provide you supporting documents such as verification letter, copy of registration form etc. Please email [utmstp@utmstp.edu.my](mailto:utmstp@utmstp.edu.my) if you need the supporting documents.

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