Country: Malawi

Proof of English Proficiency Requirements:

• 550 on the paper-based TOEFL (PBT)
• 80 on the internet-based TOEFL (IBT)
• 6.5 on the IELTS
• 54 on the PTE
• 610 on the Critical reading portion of the SAT
• 25 on the English portion of the ACT
• successful completion of a college-level English class at a U.S. college or university (not an ESL class)

Students who are otherwise admissible and present one of the following scores may be considered for conditional admission:

• 480 on the PBT
• 55 on the IBT
• 5.5 on the IELTS

Documents Required for Freshman (first year) Admission: (one of the following)

• Malawi Certificate of Education (showing at least five subjects passed with distinction or credit)
• Cambridge School Certificate (showing at least five subjects passed)
• Certificate of Agriculture
• T3 Teachers’ Certificate

Most common secondary school grading scale:

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*If your school grading scale differs from the above, SLU will use your school’s grading scale when calculating your GPA.

Documents Required for both Freshman and Transfer Admission:

• Photocopies that have been certified (stamped) by the issuing institution are acceptable, but if you submit a certified copy, you must present the originals when you arrive.
• All official transcripts must be accompanied by translations in English.
• Transcripts must be received by the Office of Admission sealed in the original envelope provided by your institution. Transcripts submitted via e-mail or fax are NOT accepted.