### WHY ENROLL AT PIMS?

Our qualified tutors (all have university degrees), facilities and other resources have enabled us to maintain a high quality and standard of education that gives our students the chance to succeed in their future endeavors. It is up to you the student now to take the opportunities being made available to you and utilize them fully.

### FINAL ASSESSMENT WEIGHING

The final assessment weighing for most adult matriculation subjects will be 30% internal and 70% final exams. There are no mid-semester exams but individual tutors are encouraged to set regular mini tests for revision and self-assessment purposes.

### AWARD CERTIFICATE

A matriculation certificate will be issued by PIMS after successful completion of minimum of eight (8) adult matriculation subjects (excluding pre-matriculation subjects).

# **END OF YEAR STUDENT CLEARENCE**

Clearance requirements must be completed at the end of each Semester before they leave. Clearance requirements will include setting of outstanding fees or debts, return of study materials/textbooks, return of equipment, etc. Failure to satisfy clearance requirements will affect processing/issuing of assessment, reports and other services required.

## UNIVERSITY STUDIES AFTER MATRICULATION

Graduating matriculation students from PIMS, are eligible to apply and be accepted by the universities in PNG. However, to have a realistic chance of being accepted, one must definitely score A or B grades in the majority of matriculation studies.



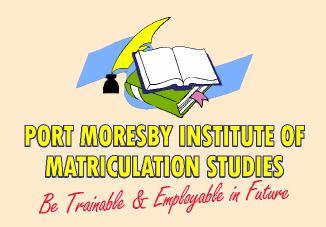








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**Enrollment Information Semester 1, 2022** 

Adult Matriculation (Fulltime)

Adult Matriculation (Corresp Online)

Grade 12 Upgrading

### INTRODUCTION

The Port Moresby Institute of Matriculation Studies (PIMS) is an open learning school and as such has a more flexible admission condition that ensures that many more students from differing educational background can enroll.

If you are a Grade 10 leaver not selected to continue into Grade 11 in an established school, or you are a Grade 12 leaver rejected by university due to low attainment, we are advising you now that alternative opportunities exist here at the Port Moresby Institute of Matriculation Studies (PIMS) to enroll/upgrade to enhance future opportunities.

#### WHAT IS MATRICULATION?

A matriculation qualification or certificate is a pre-university qualification. A Grade 12 certificate from a National High or Secondary School is an example of a matriculation certificate. Admission into a university or college and most employment organizations require a matriculation qualification. A matriculation qualification also gives you the edge over others, whether in job application, promotions or further training because of your knowledge and improved skills.

A matriculation level qualification is 'the' fundamental educational foundation that best equips a student to be more able to succeed in the pursuit of a future career. A matriculation certificate is the <a href="key qualification">key qualification</a> that opens up the closed door to a world of career choices for a student.

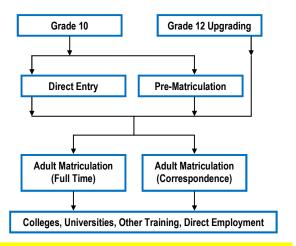
The Adult Matriculation Program offers:

- Adult Matriculation (Full time)
- Grade 12 Upgrading (Fulltime)
- Adult Matriculation (Corresp Online)
- Grade 12 Upgrading (Corresp Online)



# STUDY PROGRESSION PATHWAY

The study progression pathway at PIMS shown below shows that students failing short of minimum admission criteria (upper-pass in Grade 10) cannot gain direct entry into the Adult Matriculation program, but must enroll for the bridging Pre-Matriculation course for 6 months or one semester FIRST. Indicated are study options for both full time and correspondence studies.



### STUDENT ADMISSION & REGISTRATION

The minimum entry requirement into matriculation studies is a Grade 10 certificate. In the absence of a certificate, applicant may be asked to sit for an entry test before acceptance.

Admission into matriculation studies is through the completion of an application form available at all PIMS centers. There is no entry test, instead subject approvals will be based on attainment levels in Grade 10. Students who score below upper-pass (UP) in core subjects will be required to first of all do one or both of the two Pre-Matriculation subjects, namely, Basic English (or Introductory Language Skills) and Basic Math. Students who transfer from UPNG or other matriculation programs can also be considered for acceptance.

To register for the start of the Semester students must complete the following requirements and forms step by step:

- Complete Enrollment Application Form
- Produce a copy of the acceptance letter
- Full semester fee must be paid on enrolment
- Collect ID Card.
- Any other requirements as specified by the school.

### SCHOOL FEES

The fee charged for 2022 are as follows:

- Fulltime Matriculation: K950.00 per subject.
- Grade 12 upgrading: K950.00 per subject.
- Corresp Online Matriculation: K850.00 per subject.
- Corresp Online Gr12 Upgrading: K850.00 per sub-

### **BANK ACCOUNT**

- Account name: Port Moresby Institute of Matriculation Studies (PIMS)
- Branch: Boroko
- Account number: 1000489931

All fees MUST be deposited to the bank only!

#### COURSES OFFERED

- English 1
- Mathematics 1
- English 2
- Mathematics 2 A (Adv Math)
- Mathematics 2 B (Gen Math)
- History
- Economics
- Geography
- Biology 1
- Chemistry 1
- Physics 1
- Biology 2
- Chemistry 2
- Physics 2

