



Admission Examination HBO

You want to pursue a degree in Higher Professional Education (hbo). However, your prior education does not meet the prerequisite requirements for direct admission.

For whom?

This examination is intended for prospective students who, based on their previous education, are not admissible and are 21 years or older at the start of the program.

What?

The admission examination, conducted by Calder Werkt TalentCompaz, provides an independent assessment of the suitability of the specific program. You can use this advice when applying for the degree, indicating whether your intellectual capacities (aptitude and developmental potential) are sufficient to pursue an hbo-level study within the average duration.

Please note: The final decision on admission is always made by the institution.

Timeline

Take into account the submission deadline for the test results of your chosen program, as this date may vary for each program.

Procedure and duration

Exams are primarily conducted ONLINE (depending on the university and study direction/course). For the online exam, you need a laptop or computer with a camera and a quiet workspace with good internet connection. Beforehand, please check whether your webcam and microphone works.

The examination begins with a brief intake, explaining the test procedure and discussing your background and the reason for this examination. Following this, the diagnostic capacity test takes place. The advisor then discusses the results and conclusions with you. The entire process takes approximately half a working day.

Report

You will receive the report within 5 working days after the examination. You are responsible for sending the complete report to the institution.

As a tip, we recommend starting the day well-rested and to carefully review the instructions for the test components and practice exercises prior to starting the test.

What does the test include and how can I prepare?

The hbo admission examination includes an aptitude test. The capacity test consists of several subtests, depending on the agreements made with the school.

In general, the following guidelines apply when taking this test:

- Each test component has its own time limit.
- Allocate sufficient time for explanation and instructions for the subtests.
- Mobile phones may not be used.
- No aids are allowed. During the math tests, you may use roughwork paper, but not a calculator ie. no Windows calculator or mobile phone!

Each part begins with instructions, then one or several examples with explanation. It is also indicated how the answers to the questions should be provided.

The admission examination is conducted through the website [ixly.com](https://www.ixly.com)

You can find some practice tests at: <https://www.ixly.com/free-practice-tests>



Would you like to find out more?

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