

FIMM ACADEMIC CERTIFICATE REVIEW GUIDE

As stated in **Appendix 1-A & 1-B (ii) of the FIMM's Consolidated Rules:**

An individual must meet the minimum academic qualification of having Sijil Pelajaran Malaysia (SPM) with credits in any three (3) subjects or its equivalent.

1. Credit Requirement in SPM

The applicant must obtain at least three (3) subjects graded from A1/1A/A+ to C6/6C/C as follows:

SPM Year		
Before 2000	2000 - 2008	2009 onwards
		A+
A1	1A	A
A2	2A	A-
C3	3B	B+
C4	4B	B
C5	5C	C+
C6	6C	C
P7	7D	D
P8	8E	E
F9	9G	G

2. Sijil Am Pelajaran (SAP)

If an applicant has no three (3) credits in SPM, **the applicant must retake the SPM or sit for July Paper.**

Retake SPM	July Paper
Registration https://sppat2.moe.gov.my/cp/spm/cpindex.asp	Registration https://sppat2.moe.gov.my/cp/spmu/epindex.asp
	Available subjects: (i) Bahasa Melayu (ii) Mathematics (iii) Sejarah

Helpful link: <https://eduadvisor.my/articles/quick-guide-retake-spm/> or <https://eduadvisor.my/articles/how-to-register-for-spm-as-a-private-candidate/>

3. Combination of SAP and SPM Certificates

Acceptable	Unacceptable
SAP/ Pernyataan Keputusan + SPM (July Paper) with minimum three (3) credits	SPM 1 + SPM 2
SPM + SPM (July Paper) with minimum three (3) credits	

***Note: Credits in two (2) same subjects are considered as one.*

4. Sijil Vokasional Malaysia (SVM)

Sijil Vokasional Malaysia (SVM) certificate is considered as SPM equivalent and is acceptable provided the minimum requirements stated in the link below are met.

https://www.mqa.gov.my/pv4/document/pekeliling/2018/Lampiran_Surat%20KPM%20DVM.pdf

5. Other Guides

a) Replacement of SPM Certificate

Guide to request for SPM certificate replacement from Ministry of Education Malaysia:

<https://www.moe.gov.my/en/orang-awam/sijil-spm>

b) Guide on Malaysian Qualification Equivalent

The equivalent of foreign academic qualification to Malaysian qualification (SPM and STPM) can be referred in the link below:

<https://studylib.net/doc/18559891/list-of-foreign-academic-qualification-equivalent-to-mala>

***Note: Certificates which are not listed in this link are subject to FIMM's review and consideration.*

c) Guide on Higher Academic Qualification Accreditation

Any certificate which has been accredited by MQA is acceptable.

Information on individual's qualifications for local and foreign programs can be obtained by checking against the Malaysian Qualifications Agency's (MQA) website <https://www2.mqa.gov.my/mqr/>.

Search can be done using a keyword or a combination of keywords.

Example of search: Diploma in Computer Science program

- a) Type **Computer Science** in the **Name of Qualification** column
- b) Choose **Diploma** at **Type of Qualification** column
- c) Click on **Search** button

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