Diploma specific admission requirements
For the Bachelor's programme in Biology (study year 2019-2020)

You need to have sufficient previous education to meet our admission requirements. Below, you will find the requirements for the most frequently obtained diplomas. If your diploma is not mentioned below, please send an email to the Admissions Officer of the Faculty of Science (admissionsforbachelors@science.ru.nl) to find out about the specific requirements in your case.

For this programme, specific requirements for the subjects from the field of Science (Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry and/or Biology) have been set. If you do not have the right course in your diploma, then you can take the CCVX test in VWO for the specific subject in English or Dutch on location in the Netherlands (www.ccvx.nl). You can also take the test and a preparatory course at the Boswell Institute (www.boswell-beta.nl).

International Baccalaureate
Diploma programme (not Career-related programme) with at least 30 points (not including points for CAS, EE and ToK)
2 of the 3 HL subjects should be from the field of Science (Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Mathematics). Biology is a required subject on HL. A third Science subject should be taken on SL. All points should be higher than 3, points for specifically mentioned subjects should be at least 4.
English language certificate: Not needed

European Baccalaureate
Diploma
Mathematics (5 periods), Physics, Biology and Chemistry. All of these courses must have been completed as final year courses with a passing grade
English language certificate: Not needed if English Language 2 or 1 is passed

Bulgaria
Diploma za Sredno Obrazovanie (academic stream), Natural Science & Mathematics profiles only. Diplomas from Language Schools are not taken into consideration

Cyprus
Apolytirio with an average grade of at least 15, grades for specifically mentioned subjects should be 16 or higher
Specific subjects: Biology, Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry

France
Baccalauréat Général, Serie Scientifique

Germany
Zeugnis der allgemeinen Hochschulreife
- Biology as “Prufungsfach” and at least two out of three other Science subjects (Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry). If Biology was not an “LK”, then at least one of two out of these three should be the “LK”.
- The (specifically mentioned) “LK” should have a grade 09 or higher, all other Science subjects (geprüft/ungeprüft) should have an average grade of 07, the lowest not being lower than 06
- English language certificate: Not needed if English was taken during High School, with a minimum grade 08 in the final year
- All grades mentioned are on a scale from 0 - 15
Greece
*Apolytirio Genikou Lykeiou* with an average grade of at least 15, grades for specifically mentioned subjects should be 16 or higher.
Specific subjects: Biology, Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry

Indonesia
*Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA)* from an Indonesian Top School (*) grants direct admission, provided that the right courses were taken (Biology, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry).

(*) Determining which school is considered to be a Top School is done at the discretion of the Admissions Officers of Radboud University

Ireland
*Leaving Certificate* with at least 6 exam subjects, of which at least 2 were at Higher Level. 1st HL subject is Biology, 2nd HL subject Physics, Chemistry or Mathematics. The 3rd and 4th Sciences subject which was not HL, should be on OL. All grades (HL and OL) should be >4 Leaving Certificate Vocational Programme is not taken into consideration.

Israel
*Te’udat Bagrut* with at least 21 units and all grades “almost good” or higher.
Mathematics 4 or 5 units
Biology, Physics + Chemistry 3 or more units each

Italy
*Diploma di Superamento dell’Esame di Stato Conclusivo* from a Liceo Classico or Liceo Scientifico

Lithuania
*Brandos Atestas par Visparejo Videjo Izglitibu*
Biology, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry should be taken on A-level

Romania
*Diploma de Bacalaureat* (with Liceul theoretic)
Only the Natural Sciences profile is taken into consideration

South Africa
*National Senior Certificate* with 7 examination courses with an overall average result of 70% (not included life orientation and mathematical literacy) + 1 Independent Examination Board (IEB) Advanced Programme Certificate (Mathematics or English) with a result of at least 55%
Subjects in the National Senior Certificate should at least include Biology, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry

Ukraine
*Atestat pro zagal’nu serednyu osvitu*
Subjects should at least include Biology, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry
Grades for all relevant subjects should be between 9-12

United Kingdom
General Certificate of Secondary Education (GCSE) in 6 subjects or more, plus a General Certificate of Education (GCE) with 3 subjects on advanced level (A-level)
- GCSE’s in 6 or more subjects
- 3 GCE A-levels (2 of them out of Physics/Chemistry/ Biology/Mathematics). Biology is a compulsory subject on A-level. The 3rd GCE A-level is non-specific, but should be an academic subject (that is: not being Art & Design, Music, Music Technology, Drama & Theatre Studies or Design & Technology)
- One of the GCSE courses should be the third subject of Physics/Chemistry/Mathematics which was not examined at GCE
- All 6 GCSE’s and 3 GCE A-levels should have grade B or higher
- English language certificate: Not needed
United States
High School Diploma with 4 AP Certificates
- Two of these 4 AP certificates are compulsory subjects: Calculus AB and Biology. All AP certificates should have a minimum score of 3 out of 5 (proven by the College Board)
- English language certificate: Not needed

Vietnam
Bang Tot Nghiep Pho Thong Trung Hoc from a High School of the gifted
GPA of at least 8, grades for all relevant subjects should be at least 9
Relevant subjects: Biology, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry