

## Assessment & Award Regulations

<b>1.</b>	<b>Course</b> BSc Pre-Clinical Veterinary Sciences								
<b>2.</b>	<b>Applicable to Academic Year</b> 2014/15								
<b>3.</b>	<b>Applicable to</b> Students who have taken their Year 3 examinations since 2008/09								
<b>4.</b>	<p><b>Aspects of Course Covered by Examination:</b></p> <p>Critical Literature Review. Candidates must normally submit a Critical Literature Review within six months of registration as a full-time student or twelve months if registered as a part-time student.</p>								
<b>5.</b>	<p><b>Form of Examination:</b></p> <p>5.1 BVetMed Years 1, 2 and 3 examinations previously taken</p> <p>5.2 Project Report (RP2) from Final Year BVetMed* OR Critical Literature Review of between 7000 and 10000 words and associated Oral Examination</p> <p><i>*Applies to projects completed in 2012 or later.</i></p>								
<b>6.</b>	<p><b>Requirement to be Completed to Permit Entry to the Examination</b></p> <p>The student must have formally relinquished their registration for the award of BVetMed and have met the entry requirements of the course regulations.</p>								
<b>7.</b>	<p><b>Marking Criteria</b> <b>Critical Literature Review</b> College Common (0-100) Grading Scheme.</p>								
<b>8.</b>	<p><b>Allocation of Marks and Any Additional Requirements</b></p> <p>8.1 <b><u>Element 1: BVetMed Year 1 Result</u></b> <span style="float: right;">200 marks</span> This will be a maximum of 80 marks if the student passed at the second attempt having achieved less than 40% at the first attempt.</p> <p>8.2 <b><u>Element 2: BVetMed Year 2 Result</u></b> <span style="float: right;">700 marks</span> This will be a maximum of 280 marks if the student passed at the second attempt having achieved less than 40% at the first attempt.</p> <p>8.3 <b><u>Element 3: BVetMed Year 3 Result</u></b> <span style="float: right;">550 marks</span> This will be a maximum of 220 marks if the student passed at the second attempt having achieved less than 40% at the first attempt.</p> <p>8.4 <b><u>Element 4:</u></b> either of the two options below:</p> <p>8.4.1 <b>BVetMed Final Year Research Report (RP2)</b> <span style="float: right;">550marks</span> OR</p> <p>8.4.2 <b>Critical Literature Review</b> comprising:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 20px;">Critical Literature Review Written Report</td> <td style="text-align: right;">440marks</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 20px;">Supervisor's Assessment</td> <td style="text-align: right;">55 marks</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="padding-left: 20px;">Oral</td> <td style="text-align: right;">55marks</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2" style="text-align: right;"><b>Total: 2000 marks</b></td> </tr> </table> <p>8.5 A percentage score will be scaled from the total of 2000 marks.</p>	Critical Literature Review Written Report	440marks	Supervisor's Assessment	55 marks	Oral	55marks	<b>Total: 2000 marks</b>	
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<b>9.</b>	<p><b>Requirements to Pass Overall</b></p>														
9.1	<p><b>For BSc Honours</b>            According to the allocation of marks described in section 8, to have achieved at least:                80 marks for the BVetMed Year 1 Result            AND                280 marks for the BVetMed Year 2 Result            AND                220 marks for the BVetMed Year 3 Result            AND                220 marks for the Research Project or Critical Literature Review</p>														
9.2	<p><b>For BSc Ordinary</b>            According to the allocation of marks described in section 8, to have achieved at least                80 marks for the BVetMed Year 1 Result            AND                280 marks for the BVetMed Year 2 Result            AND                220 marks for the BVetMed Year 3 Result</p>														
<b>10.</b>	<p><b>Consequences of Failure</b></p> <p>A candidate who fails is required to withdraw from the course and has a right of appeal as described in College Regulations.</p>														
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<b>12.</b>	<p><b>Disclosure of Marks</b></p> <p>Candidates will receive a letter informing them of the classification of their degree.</p>														
<b>13.</b>	<p><b>Late Submission of Work</b></p>														
13.1	<p>Reports, Projects and Assignments submitted after the due deadline will be subject to the late submission policy set out in the College's General Assessment Regulations.</p>														
13.2	<p>Within this year, the major pieces of work are as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Literature Review</li> </ul>														