Assessment & Award Regulations

1. **Course**  
   Bachelor of Veterinary Medicine - Honours Points

2. **Year**  
   5

3. **Applicable to Academic Year**  
   2019/20

4. **Aspects of Course Covered by Examination**  
   All Years

5. **Form of Examination**  
   Three parts:  
   - Finals Part 1
   - Finals Part 2
   - Finals Part 3

6. **Requirements for Award of BVetMed**  
   To have successfully passed Finals Parts 1, 2 and 3 according to the requirements of each Part.
   AND
   To have completed 12 weeks of AHEMS experience and 26 weeks of EMS experience (in accordance with the EMS and AHEMS regulations applicable to their year of study)
   AND
   To have successfully passed all parts of Finals within 5 years of commencing Year 3.

7. **Award of Honours**  
   Honours points are awarded as follows:

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   (i) A candidate who has undertaken the 5 year programme, or entered via the Gateway programme with 18 or more points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled

   (ii) A candidate who has undertaken the Accelerated or Combined Degree programmes with 12 or more points shall be eligible for honours, provided that the criteria described in (iii) and (iv) are fulfilled

   (iii) At least 10 points must be obtained from the Finals BVetMed Examinations

   (iv) The candidate has not been required to defer Finals Part 1 as a result of earlier failure.