

EASTERN UNIVERSITY, SRI LANKA FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE

ADMISSION OF DIPLOMA HOLDERS IN AGRICULTURE TO B.SC. AGRICULTURE DEGREE – 2024/2025 UNDER THE PROVISION OF SPECIAL ENTRY FOR PUBLIC OFFICERS

The Faculty of Agriculture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, calls for applications from Diploma Holders in Agriculture to follow the B.Sc. Agriculture Degree under the provision of Special Entry for public officers 2024/2025. The duration of the degree programme is four (04) academic years. The medium of instructions is English. The intake will be limited to the number of admissions for only 5% of the student population (over and above the actual intake) of the particular batch, based on the performance of the written examination and the interview. The date and nature of the examination will be informed to the qualified applicants after shortlisting the applications.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

Permanent employees from the organizations who possess the following qualifications are eligible to sit for the entrance examination.

- (1) Two-year Diploma in Agriculture from any School of Agriculture of the Department of Agriculture, Advance Technological Institutes
- (2) Academic Qualifications

I. G.C.E. (O/L)

Six passes in one sitting with four credit passes including Science and Mathematics

And

II. G.C.E. (A/L) (Old Syllabus)

Passes in at least <u>three (03)</u> of the following G.C.E. (A/L) subjects in one sitting; Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics, Pure Maths, Applied Maths and Agriculture.

OR

G.C.E. (A/L) (New Syllabus)

Passes in at least <u>three (03)</u> of the following G.C.E. (A/L) subjects in one sitting Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Combine Maths and Agriculture.

(3) Experience:

Minimum Five years (05) of experience (on the closing date of application) as a permanent employee in the government or private sector, in the field of Agriculture after obtaining the Diploma in Agriculture.

HOW TO APPLY:

Application form and other details can be obtained from the Faculty website (https://fag.esn.ac.lk). Duly filled application, and bank slip to the value of Rs. 1,000.00 deposited to the Account No. 227-1001-40000-024, People's Bank, Chenkalady Branch, in favour of Bursar, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, should be forwarded through the respective Heads of Institutions to reach the Assistant Registrar/ Faculty of Agriculture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, Vantharumoolai Chenkalady on or before 16.01.2026. Indicate "Admission of Diploma Holders in Agriculture to B.Sc. Agriculture Degree – 2024/2025, under the Provision for Special Entry for Public Officers" on the top left-hand corner of the envelope.

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