



**Admission of Diploma Holders in Agriculture to
Bachelor of Science Honours in Agriculture Degree Programme
(2022/2023)**

The Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka calls applications from Diploma Holders in Agriculture to follow the BSc Hons (Agriculture) Degree Programme (2022/2023). The duration of the degree programme is four (04) academic years. The medium of instruction is in English. Maximum of ten (10) candidates will be selected 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. Employees in the Agricultural fields of Government and Private sector organizations, who possess the following qualifications, are eligible to apply for this programme.

Admission Criteria

a) Basic Qualifications

- GCE (A/L) (Old Syllabus): Minimum of four general passes at one sitting for Chemistry, Physics or Agriculture, Zoology and Botany
or
- GCE (A/L) (New Syllabus): Minimum of three passes at one sitting for Chemistry, Physics or Agriculture and Biology
and
- Full time two (02) year diploma course in Agriculture offered by the government or recognized private institution (minimum total credits 60) or equivalent qualifications
and
- **Experience:** Minimum of five (05) years research, teaching or field experience in the field of Agriculture in the government or recognized private sector organization after awarding the diploma certificate

b) General Conditions

- Age should be below 40 years as at the closing date of the applications.
- The Head of institutions concerned should make arrangements to grant scholarships/study leave for a period of 04 years for the selected persons to follow the programme on full-time basis.
- Selected candidates are not entitled for the residential facilities at the University.

Application forms and other details can be obtained from the Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka after a cash payment of Rs.1000/= to the Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka. Those who wish to obtain application form and other relevant particulars by post, should send a self-addressed stamped envelope of the size 9"x 4" addressed to the Assistant Registrar, Faculty of Agriculture along with a Bank Deposit Slip to the value of Rs. 1,000/= written in favor of "Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka", Account No **008-1-001-4-8565998** held at the Peoples' Bank, Anuradhapura indicating the applicant's name and address. Completed applications should be forwarded through the respective Heads of the Institutions or Organization to reach the *Assistant Registrar, Faculty of Agriculture, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka, Puliyankulama, Anuradhapura (025-2221613) on or before 28.02.2024.*

You can access the online application and other details from University website at <http://www.rit.ac.lk> or Faculty website at <https://foa.rjt.ac.lk/>

**Registrar
Rajarata University of Sri Lanka
10.01.2024**