



## Application Checklist: Graduate STEM Programs

All applicants to Katz School graduate STEM programs must submit the following:

- A submitted [online application](#).**
- US\$50 non-refundable application fee.**
- Transcripts (in English) from all colleges and universities attended** – Unofficial transcripts are acceptable for admissions review purposes. Upon arrival on campus and before the first day of classes, you must submit final official transcript(s) and all official test scores. In case of any discrepancies between your official documents and unofficial documents submitted at the time of application, your admission will be rescinded.
- Statement of Purpose** – Your statement should describe your academic and professional goals, interest in the Katz School master's degree, and readiness for success in the program.
- Resume/CV**
- 2 Letters of Recommendation** – required for Mathematics and Physics programs only.
- English Proficiency** – All non-native English-speaking applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency before they can enroll in a Katz School degree. Applicants must meet one of the following minimum requirements:
  - TOEFL – 85 overall, with sectional score on speaking no less than 20 and other sections no less than 18.
  - IELTS Academic – 6.5 overall with no sectional score less than 6.0.
  - Duolingo – 115 overall with no sectional score less than 100.
  - PTE – 61 overall with no sectional score below 55.

**Tests must be taken no more than two years prior to the date of your application.** All official test score reports must be sent electronically from the respective testing agency directly to Yeshiva University before enrollment. TOEFL home tests are not accepted.

**Use the following codes when sending official test scores to the Katz School:**

TOEFL: 2990; IELTS: Yeshiva University Graduate School; Duolingo: Yeshiva University Katz School of Science and Health; PTE: Yeshiva University Katz School of Science and Health.

*Please note: Applicants who received a bachelor's degree or higher from a university in the U.S. do not need to provide evidence of English proficiency. Students who completed their degree (bachelor's or higher) [in any of these countries](#) are also exempt from the English proficiency requirement.*

- GRE and/or GMAT** – required for Physics and Mathematics programs only. Optional for all other programs. Use this code when sending official test scores to the Katz school: *Math 4778*.
- Three-Year Bachelor's Degree** – We accept the traditional 3-year bachelor's degree from countries that participate in the [Bologna Process](#). For students who received a 3-year degree from an accredited institution in India, you must meet **one** of the two requirements below:
  - Your undergraduate college (not affiliated university) must have a NAAC "A" or better grade and you must be graduated in First Class. Please provide the proof of NAAC accreditation document along with your transcript.
  - You obtained a master's degree or post graduate diploma.