Proportion of students receiving financial aid to attend university because of poverty

Students receiving financial aid

Poverty is generally defined as the inability to secure sufficient income to meet basic needs, including food, housing, clothing, education, healthcare, and transportation required to access employment and maintain an adequate standard of living.

Isra University is committed to promoting equitable access to higher education and supporting students from low-income backgrounds. To help reduce financial barriers to education, the university provides financial incentives, grants, and tuition discounts for both undergraduate and postgraduate students. These initiatives reflect the university's commitment to expanding educational opportunities and ensuring that financial circumstances do not prevent students from pursuing their academic goals.

Located near communities facing economic challenges, including Karak, Madaba, and East Amman, Isra University recognizes the importance of making higher education more accessible to students from diverse socioeconomic backgrounds. Through its financial support initiatives, the university contributes to reducing educational inequalities and advancing the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 1 (No Poverty).

The following tables, provided by the Admissions and Registration Department, present data on student enrolment and tuition discounts for the 2023–2024 academic year, as well as the financial support mechanisms available to undergraduate and postgraduate students.

1**. Number of Enrolled Students**

The attached tables present the number of students enrolled in each university college during the 2024-2025 academic year, based on official data provided by the Admissions and Registration Department.

Bachelor's programs Student Number	**6106**
Master programs Student Number	**454**

College	Major	Jordanian	Non-Jordanian	Total
Information Technology	**College Total**	**959**	**121**	**1,080**
	Cybersecurity	204	25	229
	Data Science and Artificial Intelligence	118	14	132
	Computer Science / Computer Networks	42	6	48
	Computer Science	188	26	214
	Computer Science / Multimedia	40	1	41
	Computer Information Systems	56	7	63
	Software Engineering	311	42	353
Arts	**College Total**	**738**	**104**	**842**
	English Language and Literature	140	24	164
	English Language / Translation	195	37	232
	Arabic Language and Literature	216	17	233
	Psychology	187	26	213
Business	**College Total**	**835**	**94**	**929**
	Business Administration	198	27	225
	Banking and Financial Management	65	11	76
	Marketing	19	2	21
	Digital Marketing	166	12	178
	Accounting	246	17	263
	Management Information Systems	141	25	166
Nursing	**College Total**	**332**	**315**	**647**
	Nursing	332	315	647
Law	**College Total**	**371**	**19**	**390**
	Law	371	19	390
Pharmacy	**College Total**	**587**	**157**	**744**
	Pharmacy	587	157	744
Science	**College Total**	**200**	**23**	**223**
	Mathematics	44	3	47
	Physics	37	7	44
	Chemistry	119	13	132
Educational Sciences	**College Total**	**266**	**29**	**295**
	Education / Child Education	31	3	34
	Education / Classroom Teacher	217	25	242
	Early Childhood	18	1	19
Allied Medical Sciences	**College Total**	**390**	**339**	**729**
	Physical Therapy	67	275	342
	Respiratory Therapy	85	7	92
	Anesthesia and Resuscitation Technology	214	39	253
	Radiologic Technology	24	18	42
Engineering	**College Total**	**187**	**40**	**227**
	Civil Engineering	89	13	102
	Communications and Electronics Engineering	27	7	34
	Renewable Energy Engineering	47	14	61
	Architectural Engineering	24	6	30
Grand Total	**All Colleges**	**4,865**	**1,241**	**6,106**

2. **Financial Support for Students from Low-Income Backgrounds**

Isra University supports students from diverse economic backgrounds through tuition discounts and other financial assistance measures available across its undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. Eligible students benefit from financial support in accordance with the applicable university policies and the requirements of their respective programmes.

3. **Tuition Discount Rates Across Academic Programmes**

The enclosed tables outline the tuition discount rates applicable to the university's undergraduate and postgraduate programmes. These measures demonstrate Isra University's ongoing commitment to reducing the financial burden of higher education, widening access to academic opportunities, and supporting students who may face financial challenges.

Percentage of Tuition Discounts Stratified by Faculty Undergraduate Programs Year 2023/2024		
Faculty	**% Tuition Discounts**	**Programs**
Arts	50%	• English Language and Literature • Translation • Psychology
	40%	• Arabic Language & Literature
Business	50%	• Business Administration • Digital Marketing • Accounting • Management Information Systems
	%56.25	• Banking and Financial Management
Law	42%	• Law
Engineering	60%	• Civil Engineering
	%64	• Architecture Engineering
	55%	• Renewable Energy Engineering • Communication and Electronics Engineering
Pharmacy	52%	• Pharmacy

Information Technology	50%	• Cyber Security • Data Science and Artificial Intelligence • Computer Science\Computer Network • Computer Science \Computer Science • Computer Science\Multimedia Systems • Computer Information Systems • Software Engineering

Educational Sciences	50%	• Child Education • Classroom Teacher
Nursing	%55.5	• Nursing
Sciences	50%	• Mathematics • Chemistry
	58.3%	• Physics
Allied Medical Sciences	50%	• Respiratory Therapy • Technology of Radiation Imaging
	40%	• Anaesthesiology and Resuscitation
	%60	• Physiotherapy
Percentage of Tuition Discounts Stratified by Faculty Graduate Programs Year 2023/2024		
Faculty	**Percentage of Tuition Discounts**	**Programs**
Arts	– Excellent 70% – Very good 65% – Good 60%	• English Language and Literature • Arabic Language & Literature
Business	50%	• Business Administration • Accounting • Smart Business
Law	– Excellent 65% – Very good 60% – Good 55%	• Law
Engineering	50%	• Engineering Project Management • Structural Engineering
Pharmacy	50%	• Pharmaceutical Sciences
Information Technology	50%	• Software Engineering
Educational Sciences	50%	• Master Kindergartens • Educational Sciences Diploma
Nursing	– Excellent 70% – Very good 65% – Good 60%	• Chronic Care Nursing