



**DEPARTMENT OF LIVESTOCK AND AVIAN SCIENCES
FACULTY OF LIVESTOCK, FISHERIES & NUTRITION**

1st INTAKE (2022-2024)

WAYAMBA UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA

HIGHER DIPLOMA IN ANIMAL HUSBANDRY

Department of Livestock and Avian Sciences of the Faculty of Livestock, Fisheries and Nutrition, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka (WUSL) offers a Higher Diploma in Animal Husbandry.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

The Higher Diploma in Animal Husbandry (HDAH) program has been designed for those who are employed as farmworkers, supervisors, livestock officers and farmworkers of public, semi-governmental or private sector livestock farms; candidates who wish to hold a reputed qualification in Animal Husbandry; and any person who wishes to start a livestock venture having any one of the following qualifications.

1. Passed G.C.E. (Advanced Level) examination in any stream in a single attempt with at least 02-year working experience in a related field
Or
Successful completion of Diploma Course offered by the Department of Livestock and Avian Sciences of WUSL or any other diploma course relevant to Livestock field of education which is equivalent to or above SLQF-III or NVQL-V.
2. Qualifications other than not listed above, but may be considered case by case and acceptable to the Board of Study and the Senate of WUSL.

MODE OF SELECTION: Applicants fulfilling admission requirements will be called to appear for an aptitude test on basic knowledge in Animal Husbandry in Sinhala/English. Those who obtain a minimum of 40% will be called for a selection interview. Only the candidates who successfully complete the above evaluations will be selected.

DURATION: Two (02) years.

MODE & MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION: The medium of instruction will either be Sinhala or English and an in-person mode of education will be used in instructing the students. Printed learning materials will also be provided. All the lectures and practical sessions will be conducted at DLAS during the weekends.

COURSE FEE: Rs. 180,000/- for the 02-year program (to be paid in two equal installments in addition to the registration fee of Rs. 5,000/-).

COMMENCEMENT: May, 2022

MODE OF APPLICATION: Application forms can be downloaded from the web www.wyb.ac.lk (Announcements).

Completed applications with copies of certificates to prove educational qualifications and other relevant documents (letter of appointment and copy of a salary slip with EPF/ETF number) to prove employment should be sent through registered post on or before **1st March 2022** to reach the **Assistant Registrar, Faculty of Livestock, Fisheries & Nutrition, Wayamba University of Sri Lanka, Makandura, Gonawila (NWP)**. Application fee of Rs. 1,000/- should be credited to the **Wayamba University of Sri Lanka**, account number **137100130041538** of the **People's Bank, Makandura Branch** and the payment slip should be enclosed. Name of the course should be written on the top left hand corner of envelope. Incomplete and late applications will be rejected.

**Registrar,
Wayamba University of Sri Lanka, Kuliapitiya.**