Total Fees Per Semester (Exclusive of Accommodation and Food)							
SEMESTER I	SEMESTER II	SEMESTER III	SEMESTER IV	SEMESTER V	SEMESTER VI		
SSFTEW	SSFTEW	SSFTEW	SSFTEW	SSFTEW	SSFTEW		
43,500	39,500	39,500	39,500	39,500	5,000		

Note: All applicable fees should be paid within one month of the start of the registered semester failure to which a late payment surcharge of Ksh.2,000 will automatically be debited to the student fee account.

2. ACCOMODATION & MEALS

- i). Self Contained Rooms (4 students sharing) inclusive of breakfast, Lunch & Supper = **Ksh. 30,000** per semester per student
- ii). Self Contained Rooms (6 students sharing) inclusive of breakfast, Lunch & Supper = Ksh. 28,000 per semester per student
- iii). General Rooms (Washroom facilities outside the rooms) inclusive of breakfast, Lunch & Supper = **Ksh.26,000** per semester per student

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT

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SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

CERTIFICATE IN NUTRITION AND DIETETICS



The School's Vision

To be a world class academic and professional centre of excellence in the provision of practical and research -based Health Sciences training.

The School's Mission

To train competent Health Professionals who will approach health issues with a holistic perspective and critically analyze problems with a view of integrating theory and practice in the assessment and provision of diagnostic, curative, preventive and promotive health care services so as to meet the dynamic health needs of the community.

Please Visit our website at: www.gretsauniversity.ac.ke

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OVERALL GOAL OF THE PROGRAMME

To produce articulate and competent nutrition professionals with knowledge and skills on nutrition issues and its relationship to health and disease so as to be able to guide and implement nutritional related projects at the community

CORE PROGRAMME LEARNING OUTCOMES

Upon completion of the programme a graduate should be able to:

- •Conduct nutritional assessment using various methods
- Conduct nutritional surveillance
- Identify and advice appropriately on how to deal with common nutritional problems in the community
- •Monitor and evaluate individual and community nutritional status
- Organize and participate in community health programmes
- •Participate in child nutritional health programmes
- •Plan and implement training on nutritional educational programmes in the community

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A candidate must satisfy the following minimum requirements:

KCSE mean Grade of Ď (Plain) or its equivalent as ascertained by the Ministry of Education . The Mandatory subjects shall be: **D (Plain)** in English,/Kiswahili **D (Plain)** in Biology, **D (Plain)** in Chemistry and **D (Plain)** in any of the following: Mathematics, physics, Home science, Geography, Agriculture or General Science

Bridging: A holder of KCSE certificate or equivalent with a minimum of D(Plain) but lacking the Mandatory
cluster subjects may be required to undertake a bridging course in the respective courses offered at Gretsa University to qualify for entry

REQUIRED RESOURCES

The leaner will also be required to buy the following equipment:

- •Laboratory Coat (White) and White Cap/Hat
- •Scientific Calculator

CAREER PROSPECTS

Nutritionists assess and deliver scientific evidence-based nutritional advice in a variety of settings to improve health and wellbeing. They work in non-clinical public and private settings such as: Educational and Research Institutions; food retailers and manufacturers; local authorities; national health service (NHS), overseas aid; sports organisations; media. and dietetics departments.

PROGRAMME DURATION

The duration of the programme will be 6 semesters (5 semesters' course work and one semester for Field attachment).

GRADING OF COURSES

Each unit is graded as follows: -

Overall Average Mark	Grade
75% and Above	A
65% to below 75%	В
50% to below 65%	С
Below 50%	F

COURSE REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS

The student will not be allowed to register for new courses offered in every semester unless they have passed the relevant preliquisite courses offered the previous semester as indicated under the program structure.

PROGRAMME STRUCTURE Semester I						
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	010	Basic Nutrition and Dietetics				
GUCC	006	Basic Communication Skills				
CFIT	015	Fundamentals of Information Technology				
CIPH	011	Basic Applied Sciences				
CIPH	012	Basic Health Psychology				
CIPH	013	Basic Human Anatomy and Physiology				
Semester 1	I	, , ,				
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	020	Basics principles of Human Nutrition	[Pre: CIND 010]			
CIND	021	Nutrition for vulnerable groups	[Pre: CIND 010]			
CIND	022	Introduction to Nutrition Care Process	[Pre: CIND 010]			
CIPH	020	Health Statistics	-			
CIPH	022	Principles of Communicable Diseases	[Pre: CIND 010, CICH 010]			
CIPH	025	Basic Primary Health Care	_			
Semester l						
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	030	Therapeutic Nutrition I	[Pre: CIND 010, 020, 022]			
CIND	031	Principles of Food and Food Groups	[Pre CIND 020]			
CIND	032	Basic Lifecycle Nutrition	[Pre: CIND 020,022]			
CIND	033	Basic Nutrition Assessment and Surveillance	[Pre: CIND 022]			
CIPH	031	Basic HIV & AIDS Management				
CIPH	035	Hygiene of Food and Food Products	Pre: CIND 010, CIND 020]			
Semester l						
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	040	Therapeutic Nutrition II	[Pre:CIND 030]			
CIND	041	Basic Nutrition in HIV & AIDS Management	[Pre CIPH 031]			
CIND	042	Management of Malnutrition	[Pre: CIND 020, 021]			
CIND	043	Meal Planning, Management and Service	[Pre CIND 022, 030]			
CIPH	024	Principles of Occupation Health				
CIPH	044	Maternal and Child Health	[Pre: CIND 024]			
Semester		C The				
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	050	Community Diagnosis and mobilization	[Pre : CIND 021, 023, 031, 032, 042, CIPH, 044]			
CIND	051	Basic Nutrition Anthropology	[Pre: CIND 043]			
CIND	052	Basic Emergency Nutrition	[Pre CIND 031]			
CIPH	050	Basic Health Education	[Pre: CIND 030, 033, 040]			
CIPH	056	Basic Public Health Law				
CEIN	055	Fundamentals of Entrepreneurship				
Semester VI						
Course	Code	Course Title				
CIND	060	Field Attachment	[Pre: All Units]			

Note: 'Pre' means pre-requisite course (s) offered in previous semester (s)

1. FEE STRUCTURE

	Fulltime Certificate
Tuition Fees for the Semester Tuition Fees (6 Courses)	Kshs. 25,000
Administrative Charges Per Semester	
Student Activity	1,500
Medical Fee	2,500
Library	1,000
ICT	2,000
Students Association (GUSA)	500
Exam Fee (6 Courses)	3,000
Practical's	2,000
Field visits	2,000
One - Off Administrative Charges (Payable once on entry)	
Student ID Card	500
Registration Fee	1,500
Caution Money (Refundable)	2,000
Internship/Field Supervision in 6th semester of Study	5,000