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Authentication of Academic Documents from Lebanon

Before you start make sure that your name in your Academic documents is exactly the same as that in your valid Passport. You must retain the same nationality and passport name for the duration of the programme in RCSI-Bahrain.

What is Authentication of Documents and why is it needed?

Academic qualifications intended for use in another country must be “authenticated” or “legalized” in order to be recognized as valid in the that country. The Higher Education Council (HEC) Bahrain requires all students commencing studies in Bahrain to obtain authentication of their High School/Secondary Transcript, Diploma and Degrees.

You are required to submit the following

Completed at a Government School in Lebanon	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Original High School Transcript (Grade 10-12) and High School Diploma• Stamp from the Ministry of Education in Lebanon• Stamp all above documents from Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Lebanon• Stamp all above documents from Lebanese Embassy in Bahrain• Stamp all above documents from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Bahrain.
Completed at a Private High School in Lebanon	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Original High School Transcript (Grade 10-12) and High School Diploma• Stamp from the Ministry of Education in Lebanon• An Equivalency letter from Ministry of Education Lebanon – Private directorate (check with your school if they will be processing this for you)• Stamp all above documents from Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Lebanon• Stamp all above documents from Lebanese Embassy in Bahrain• Stamp all above documents from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Bahrain.• Copy of AP Student Score Report (if applicable) – no stamps required

NOTE: We can have the attestation by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Bahrain done on your behalf however there is a cost associated with this. Please contact attestbahrain@rcsi-mub.com if you wish to avail this.

i Please note that these guidelines are subject to change at the discretion of external authorities such as the Higher Education Council (HEC) Bahrain, Foreign Affairs office, etc.