

Is covenantuniversity.edu.ng legit? TrustSniffer's high-trust assessment: 90/100

covenantuniversity.edu.ng

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

covenantuniversity.edu.ng appears legitimate.

Our checks found nothing pointing to fraud. Ordinary care still applies when you pay or sign in.

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-11 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Official university homepage with navigation for About, Study (programmes), Admissions, News, Events, Contact details, and campus information. Contains announcements and images and provides contact email and phone.

Evidence status and limitations

- Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN
- The real-world operator identity was not independently verified.
 - Module-level completeness metadata is unavailable for this legacy report.

At a glance

The checks that decide most of this verdict.

Malware engines	1 flagged it VirusTotal	RISK
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	17 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 2009 2195 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by YE1	NOTED

The page as captured

No screenshot is retained for this report.

Key findings

- Automated classification: Not Scam.
- Domain age: more than 10 years (registration continuity).
- Public web-archive history exists since 2009.
- At least one reputation service TrustSniffer consulted had flagged this domain at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

Covenant University's website is an institutional university portal presenting information about academic programmes, undergraduate and postgraduate study, admissions, scholarships, campus life, research, news, events, and official contact channels; its apparent purpose is to support prospective students, current students, staff, and other university stakeholders.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No contradictions were observed between the site's stated university identity, its educational content, and its historical presentation. The homepage provides coherent institutional navigation, including information about the university, principal officers, colleges, admissions, student services, research centres, campus facilities, and contact details. One isolated external malicious classification was recorded, but it is unconfirmed and is not accompanied by a confirmed blacklist, phishing, impersonation, or other corroborating threat finding; it therefore remains a soft reputational signal rather than evidence of a scam. The available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate university website, although the operator's real-world identity is not independently verified.

EVIDENCE

- Domain continuity indicates registration in 2009, with an age of approximately 17.26 years.
- The site's historical record contains 2,195 archive snapshots spanning 2009–2026, with 18 years tracked.
- The homepage identifies the institution as Covenant University and presents consistent university-specific sections for academic programmes, admissions, officers, campus information, and student services.
- Behavioural inspection of the homepage found no login form, hidden form, wallet connection, clipboard activity, cloaking, or suspicious inline scripting.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The website presents an academic-institution business model rather than a financial or other regulated-service offering. Its About, Admissions, Contact, and institutional information areas provide substantial organisational and programme content, but the supplied evidence does not independently verify the real-world operator, and no specific licence or registration number is claimed on the reviewed pages. That is a regulatory and disclosure verification point, not evidence of impersonation or fraud. The site's academic-domain context and consistent

institutional disclosures support an established-site assessment, while the absence of independent identity verification warrants ordinary confirmation before credential or payment interactions.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and About area provide the university's stated institutional structure, including the Chancellor, Vice Chancellor, principal officers, management team, colleges, and research centres.
- The Admissions and Study areas describe undergraduate, postgraduate, international-student, internship, and distance-learning offerings without identified fraud indicators.
- Hosting telemetry records AS13335 through CLOUDFLARENET — Cloudflare, Inc., US.
- The site's transport encryption uses a DV certificate issued by YE1, valid until 2026-09-30T18:31:16+00:00.

What to Verify Next

Before credential submission or payment connected with admissions, an independent institutional channel should confirm that the site and the relevant admissions process belong to Covenant University. Any tuition, application, scholarship, or payment instruction should be cross-checked against independently obtained university contact details and the institution's published payment-protection and refund procedures. The official education or institutional registry applicable to the jurisdiction should also be consulted where formal accreditation or registration confirmation is required.

EVIDENCE

- The Contact area provides the stated institutional contact channels that can be compared with independently sourced university details.
- The Admissions and Study areas identify the programmes and applicant pathways that should be matched to independently confirmed application instructions.
- The About and Documents & Policies areas provide the institutional and policy context against which payment, admissions, and student-service instructions can be checked.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate university website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture. The conclusion is strong because the site's institutional content, long-running historical continuity, stable technical operation, and absence of corroborated threat or impersonation indicators converge in the same direction; it does not, however, independently prove the operator's real-world identity.

Infrastructure Integrity

Cloudflare CDN and WAF protection provide a mitigating layer for delivery and edge exposure. All observed addresses were Cloudflare edge infrastructure, including 104.26.12.200, 104.26.13.200, 172.67.70.209, and 2606:4700:20::681a:cc8; no origin candidate was observed in the supplied infrastructure analysis.

Closing Assessment

Normal informational browsing is proportionate to the assessed posture, while admissions, credential, and payment activity should proceed only after the ordinary independent identity, policy, and payment-protection checks described above.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	UNVERIFIED
Identity score	55/100
Identity verification confidence	60%

- Identity verified on page

Identity verification measures whether the site can be independently connected to a real-world brand or person. It is separate from the classification confidence.

What TrustSniffer observed

First-party facts recorded during the assessment of covenantuniversity.edu.ng.

- The request stayed on covenantuniversity.edu.ng. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 2009-05-07. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Not available
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:20::681a:dc8
Name servers	Not available
SSL issuer	YE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-30
Domain age	17.26 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	Not available
Archive first seen	2009-05-07
Archive snapshots	2195
Reputation	VirusTotal: 1 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about covenantuniversity.edu.ng at assessment time. It is a starting point for your own judgement, not a guarantee: a high score means the signals were

consistent with a legitimately operated site, a low or critical score means several risk patterns were present.

TrustSniffer assesses a website from the evidence it can collect at a point in time: domain registration and age, hosting and certificate, the content the site served, and third-party reputation feeds. A score is a summary of that evidence, not a guarantee and not a legal finding. There is no human rating and no user review in it. A site can change after it is assessed.

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