

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

ntu.edu.sg

Verdict

90

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

ntu.edu.sg appears legitimate.

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

Not Scam

Low Risk

Assessed 2026-08-13 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 75%.

What this site appears to be

Official university website content for Nanyang Technological University (NTU) covering about, admissions, research, colleges, campus services, events, contacts and news.

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	None flagged it VirusTotal	CLEAR
Google Safe Browsing	Not listed Google	CLEAR
Abuse reports on the host	0 reports AbuseIPDB; shared hosting inflates this count	NOTED
Domain age	30 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Archived since 1998 5000 snapshots	CLEAR
Certificate	Encrypted connection Issued by WE1	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 1998.
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is the official institutional website of Nanyang Technological University (NTU) Singapore, presenting information about the university's leadership, history, admissions, academic colleges, research, campus services, events, student support, news, visiting arrangements, and fundraising. Its apparent purpose is to provide public higher-education, research, and university-service information rather than operate as a direct online trading or financial-services platform.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No phishing, impersonation, blacklist, or other identity contradiction was observed. The homepage presents a coherent university identity, extensive institutional content, and links to established social platforms, while external reputation checks found no malicious or suspicious detections. A superficial automated naming-similarity signal was not corroborated by the page content or other evidence and is therefore not treated as impersonation. The available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate website, although the real-world operator identity is not independently verified.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage identifies Nanyang Technological University – NTU Singapore and provides university leadership, history, admissions, research, campus, and contact content.
- The site's historical record contains 5,000 snapshots spanning 1998–2024, with 27 years tracked.
- The domain was registered in 1996 and is approximately 30.07 years old.
- External reputation checks recorded zero malicious detections, zero suspicious detections, and no blacklist or phishing result.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The site's content is consistent with a public university: it describes academic programmes, research, student services, campus operations, events, and donations rather than presenting a regulated financial product. The available pages do not show a licensing or registration number, so any jurisdiction-specific authorization relevant to admissions, tuition collection, fundraising, or other payment activity remains a transparency item for independent confirmation rather than evidence of fraud. The university identity is presented on the site and supported by broad institutional content, but it should not be treated as independently proven solely from those on-site claims.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage and admissions pages cover undergraduate, postgraduate, and continuing-education programmes, colleges, research, and student services.
- The site's transport encryption uses a DV certificate issued by WE1, valid to 2026-10-29.
- The site is served through CLOUDFLARENET – Cloudflare, Inc., US, using AS13335.
- The page links to Facebook, X, Instagram, LinkedIn, YouTube, and TikTok accounts and includes university contact and visiting information.

What to Verify Next

Before credential submission or payment, an institution or prospective user should independently confirm the relevant university domain and contact channels through an official offline or previously trusted route. Any admissions, tuition, donation, or service payment should be checked against the institution's independently confirmed payment instructions, applicable refund or return terms, and available payment-protection mechanisms. Where a specific regulated activity is involved, the responsible institution or registry should confirm the applicable authorization directly.

EVIDENCE

- The homepage contains no login form, sensitive form, hidden form, or untrusted form destination in the observed page.
- The site presents dedicated admissions, contact, visiting, services, and fundraising pathways that can be checked against independently confirmed university information.
- The displayed business model is institutional education and research, with revenue described as primarily arising from tuition, grants, research funding, and donations.

Summary Verdict

Available evidence is consistent with an established, apparently legitimate university website and supports a high-trust, low-risk posture. No contradictory risk signals were observed, while the site's sustained institutional presence, coherent purpose, and clean external reputation materially support that conclusion. The operator's real-world identity remains likely rather than independently verified.

Infrastructure Integrity

Cloudflare CDN and WAF protection provide a mainstream defensive layer between visitors and the website infrastructure and help mitigate direct exposure of the service environment. This is a positive infrastructure characteristic, but it is treated as a mitigating control rather than proof of institutional legitimacy.

EVIDENCE

- Hosting infrastructure is served from AS13335 (CLOUDFLARENET – Cloudflare, Inc., US).
- The observed edge IP is 104.16.4.14 in the United States.

Closing Assessment

Normal informational use is proportionate to the available evidence; credential or payment interactions should proceed only after the ordinary independent identity, terms, and payment-protection checks appropriate to the specific transaction have been completed.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-13 by the TrustSniffer Analysis Engine from the evidence in this report.

What the analysis found

No rule findings contributed to this verdict.

Identity verification

Status	LIKELY
Identity score	80/100
Identity verification confidence	80%

- Identity verified on page
- Trusted social count=4

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 ntu.edu.sg.

- The request stayed on ntu.edu.sg. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under Singnet Pte Ltd. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by edu.sg, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2027-07-24. NOTED
- The earliest public archive of this site is from 1998-02-08. CLEAR
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	Singnet Pte Ltd
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	104.16.4.14
Name servers	dnstex.ntu.edu.sg, dnstex1.ntu.edu.sg
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-10-29
Domain age	30.07 years (continuous registration)
Domain expiry	2027-07-24

Archive first seen	1998-02-08
Archive snapshots	5000
Reputation	VirusTotal: 0 flagged AbuseIPDB: 0 reports Google Safe Browsing: 0 matches

About this assessment

A trust score summarises the evidence TrustSniffer could collect about ntu.edu.sg 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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