

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

unizik.edu.ng

Verdict

100

OUT OF 100

HIGH TRUST

unizik.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 2026-08-03 by automated analysis. Classification confidence 55%.

What this site appears to be

Homepage presenting Nnamdi Azikiwe University in Awka, Nigeria, with information about admissions, faculties, research, campus facilities, leadership, news, events, alumni, and student resources.

Evidence status and limitations

Evidence completeness: UNKNOWN

- 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	17 years old Registered history	CLEAR
Web archive	Never archived No public history of this site	WATCH
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).
- No flags from the reputation services TrustSniffer consulted at assessment time.
- The operator behind the site could not be independently connected to a real-world brand or person.

Full analysis

Overview

The website is the official-facing institutional portal of Nnamdi Azikiwe University in Awka, Nigeria, presenting the university's academic programmes, admissions pathways, research activities, leadership, campus services, news, events, alumni resources, and student portal access.

Scam/Impersonation Risk

No identity contradictions, phishing indicators, brand impersonation, or other scam signals were observed. The homepage consistently identifies Nnamdi Azikiwe University, states its Awka location and public-university purpose, and contains substantial institution-specific material. Its claims of more than 31,000 students, 1,850 academic staff, 54 accredited programmes, and establishment in 1992 are presented as institutional statistics; none is paired with investment, income, or other financially deceptive promises. The domain's long registration history and clean external threat reputation strongly support legitimacy.

- Domain-registration records show registration on 13 May 2009, making the domain approximately 17.23 years old.
- The homepage consistently names Nnamdi Azikiwe University, Awka, and identifies it as established in 1992.
- Homepage inspection found no login form, hidden form, suspicious script, cloaking, clipboard manipulation, cryptocurrency mechanism, or wallet interaction.
- External threat checks recorded 0 malicious and 0 suspicious detections, no unsafe-browsing finding, no reported infrastructure abuse, and no detected blacklist or phishing match.

Regulatory Verification Notes

The homepage clearly presents a Nigerian federal university and provides identifiable academic, administrative, and campus functions. Its use of the academically restricted `edu.ng` namespace further aligns with the stated institutional role. The supplied pages do not establish the precise statutory instrument, governing authority, or programme-by-programme accreditation basis; this is a limited disclosure-verification point rather than evidence of misrepresentation. No adverse broker-related reputation match was identified, although such broker intelligence is not material proof of educational authorization.

- The homepage describes the institution as a "Federal University of Excellence" located in Awka, Anambra State, and presents named admissions, faculty, research, leadership, and student-service functions.
- The domain uses the Nigerian academic suffix `edu.ng`, consistent with the site's public-university presentation.
- The site's transport encryption uses a WE1-issued domain-validated certificate, valid until 23 September 2026.

- The homepage states that 54 programmes are accredited but does not identify the relevant accrediting bodies or provide programme-level accreditation references in the supplied content.
- What to Verify Next**
- For formal due diligence, institutional status should be confirmed through the appropriate Nigerian higher-education authority, and any programme-specific accreditation should be checked against the responsible professional or academic regulator. Prospective applicants should also confirm fee instructions, admissions notices, and official contact channels through independently sourced university records before making consequential payments or submitting enrolment documentation.
- The homepage advertises undergraduate, postgraduate, and international admissions pathways, making independent confirmation of current entry requirements relevant.
 - The student portal is described as supporting fees, results, timetables, and course registration, indicating that authenticated account and payment-related workflows may occur beyond the informational homepage.
 - The homepage offers an application pathway for the 2026/2027 academic session, providing a specific admissions cycle against which official notices can be checked.

Summary Verdict

The site presents as a legitimate, established, and trustworthy institutional website. Its coherent identity, mature provenance, substantive academic content, and clean security reputation converge without contradictory risk signals.

Infrastructure Integrity

The site is served through Cloudflare’s mainstream CDN/WAF infrastructure, with all four observed addresses operating as edge nodes rather than exposed origin hosts. This reduces direct origin exposure and provides conventional availability and filtering protections, although infrastructure protection is a mitigating control rather than independent proof of institutional legitimacy.

- The hosting infrastructure is served from AS13335 (Cloudflare, Inc., US).
- Four Cloudflare edge addresses were observed, and no origin-server candidate was exposed during the assessment.

Closing Assessment

Normal interaction, including account login and standard use, is appropriate; consequential admissions or payment instructions may be handled under ordinary institutional due-diligence procedures.

Written analysis generated 2026-08-03 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	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 unizik.edu.ng.

- The request stayed on unizik.edu.ng. It was not redirected to another domain. CLEAR
- Registration is published under skanhost. CLEAR
- DNS for this domain is served by cloudflare.com, across 2 name servers. NOTED
- The registration is paid up to 2026-07-13. NOTED
- It is hosted on CLOUDFLARENET, from a server in US. NOTED

Domain intelligence

Registrar	skanhost
Hosting	CLOUDFLARENET - Cloudflare, Inc., US
Country	US
Server IP	2606:4700:3036::6815:b20
Name servers	chip.ns.cloudflare.com, kenia.ns.cloudflare.com
SSL issuer	WE1
SSL expiry	2026-09-23
Domain age	17.2 years
Domain expiry	2026-07-13
Archive first seen	Not available
Archive snapshots	0
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 unizik.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.