

ANKARA BİLİM UNIVERSITY

2026–2027 ACADEMIC YEAR FALL SEMESTER

ERASMUS+ STUDENT MOBILITY FOR STUDIES CALL FOR APPLICATIONS

Project No: 2025-1-TR01-KA131-HED-000310333

APPLICATION AND SELECTION CALENDAR

23/03/2026 – 24/04/2026

Online Applications

20/04/2026 (Mon) Written Exam (including Writing section) (by English Preparatory School)

21/04/2026 Announcement of students eligible for the oral exam

22/04/2026 (Wed) Oral Exam

Erasmus Language Exam Registration (online)

<https://forms.office.com/r/w4c8d6fLG6>

27/04/2026 (Mon)

Announcement of Preliminary Results

<https://ankarabilim.edu.tr/uluslararasi-iliskiler-koordinatorlugu>

28/04/2026 – 30/04/2026 Objection Period

04/05/2026 (Mon) Announcement of Final Results

<https://ankarabilim.edu.tr/uluslararasi-iliskiler-koordinatorlugu>

04/05/2026 – 04/06/2026 – Withdrawal Period for Students with Grant Support

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Students who wish to benefit from Student Mobility for Studies must be enrolled in an undergraduate program at Ankara Bilim University and must have full-time student status for at least one semester during the 2025–2026 academic year in which the mobility will be carried out. Within this scope, a workload of 60 ECTS per academic year and 30 ECTS per semester (including coursework and non-course obligations) is required. Exceptional cases will be evaluated separately.
2. If partner universities have additional language requirements in English or another foreign language, students must ensure that they meet these requirements. Students are responsible for any loss of rights arising from failure to meet the language requirements.
3. Undergraduate students, except those in their final year, are eligible to apply for Student Mobility for Studies.
4. In order to apply, students must have a minimum Grade Point Average (GPA) of 2.20/4.00 at the undergraduate level.

5. Applications must be submitted online through the Turkish National Agency Erasmus Application Portal using e-Government credentials (username and password). The application process is entirely individual. In order for applications to be completed and evaluated properly, applicants are required to carefully review the call for applications and proceed accordingly.
6. Course Selection and ECTS Requirements: Before determining the universities to be included in their preference list, students must carefully examine the course catalogs of the relevant institutions. If the partner university does not offer at least 30–35 ECTS worth of courses in English, mobility cannot be carried out at that institution. Students are responsible for any loss of rights arising from this situation. In addition, during the mobility period, students must have a minimum course load of 30 ECTS at Ankara Bilim University (ABU).
7. In the event of any changes to the courses to be taken at the partner university during the mobility period, it is mandatory to maintain a minimum workload of 30–35 ECTS at both institutions within the scope of the updated Learning Agreement.
8. Students holding green (special) or grey passports are required to obtain a visa within the scope of Erasmus+ Student Mobility for Studies, even if they are normally exempt from visa requirements. As some countries do not issue visas on green passports, students must carefully examine the visa procedures of the country they intend to apply to and, if necessary, apply with a burgundy passport. If a visa is not issued on a green passport, no grant payment will be made until the student enters the country where the partner university is located and obtains a residence permit. Furthermore, Ankara Bilim University (ABU) does not provide grey passports to students.
9. Visa procedures within the scope of the Erasmus+ Programme are entirely the responsibility of the students. The relevant units of Ankara Bilim University (ABU) are not involved in visa application processes. Students must contact the consulates or authorized intermediary institutions of the relevant country regarding visa procedures.
10. The eligibility of students who have an ongoing disciplinary investigation or who have received a disciplinary penalty during their studies at Ankara Bilim University (ABU) shall be evaluated at the discretion of the ABU Erasmus+ Commission. If such a situation is identified after the announcement of the application results, the student's mobility may be cancelled.

APPLICATION PRINCIPLES

11. Accommodation arrangements are entirely the responsibility of the students. Some partner universities may offer on-campus or off-campus accommodation and may require a separate application within this scope. Students are required to review the official websites of partner universities regarding accommodation options and complete the necessary applications in a timely manner. Within the scope of the Erasmus+ Programme, neither Ankara Bilim University (ABU) nor partner universities are obliged to provide accommodation to students.
12. Applications submitted with incomplete, outdated documents or incorrect information will be deemed invalid if detected during the evaluation process. It is the responsibility of the applicant to prepare all application documents completely and accurately and upload them to the system within the application period. No documents will be accepted after the completion of the application process.

13. While selecting partner universities, students must take into consideration factors such as accommodation opportunities, academic calendar, visa procedures, and health insurance. Students are responsible for any problems or disruptions arising from these factor

LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

14. Students applying for Erasmus+ Student Mobility for Studies are required to submit a valid foreign language exam result at the time of application. The Foreign Language Proficiency Exam organized by our University, as well as internationally recognized exam results such as TOEFL, are accepted. Exemption/proficiency exams taken for preparatory classes are not considered valid.
15. The exam results of students who take the foreign language exam organized by Ankara Bilim University (ABU) within the scope of this call will be entered into the application system by the relevant unit. Therefore, students who take this exam are not required to upload any additional documents or enter their scores during the application process.
16. For other valid foreign language exams (TOEFL, E-TEP, etc.), it is mandatory to upload the exam result document to the system during the application. Students who fail to achieve the required score in these exams are not eligible to apply
17. Students who have more than one valid English language exam result are only required to submit the exam result with the highest score.
18. The foreign language exam measures reading/language use, listening, and writing skills.
19. In the foreign language exam conducted by our institution, the written exam accounts for **70%** and the oral exam accounts for **30%** of the total language score.
20. The minimum required foreign language score for participation in mobility is set as **60 (sixty)**.
21. Students who fail to achieve the minimum required score in the foreign language exam conducted by our institution will not be evaluated.
22. The results of all foreign language exams previously conducted by the School of Foreign Languages within the scope of Erasmus+ are valid for this application period, and applicants may apply using their existing scores..

QUOTA PRINCIPLE

The total quota is 28 students, distributed as follows: Faculty of Fine Arts and Design: 3, Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences: 12, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture: 10, and Faculty of Law: 3. The quota distribution by faculty and department is provided below.

Faculty	Quotas
Faculty of Fine Arts and Design	3
Film Design and Management (English) 1	1
Interior Architecture and Environmental Design (English) 1	1
New Media and Communication (English)	1
Law	3

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Faculty of Humanities and Social Sciences	12
Business Administration (English)	1
İngilizce Mütercim ve Tercümanlık	2
Psikoloji (İngilizce)	2
Psikoloji (Türkçe)	3
Siyaset Bilimi ve Kamu Yönetimi (İngilizce)	1
Yönetim Bilişim Sistemleri (İngilizce)	1
Yönetim Bilişim Sistemleri (Türkçe)	2
Mühendislik ve Mimarlık Fakültesi	10
Bilgisayar Mühendisliği (İngilizce)	3
Bilgisayar Mühendisliği (Türkçe)	1
Bilişim Sistemleri Mühendisliği (İngilizce)	1
Elektrik-Elektronik Mühendisliği (İngilizce)	2
Endüstri Mühendisliği (İngilizce)	1
Yazılım Mühendisliği (İngilizce)	2
GENEL TOPLAM	28

Principles for Determination and Distribution of Quotas

- Quotas are determined based on **1% of the number of students** at the faculty and department level. In cases where there are not enough eligible applicants meeting the application requirements within a department, the relevant quota will first be allocated to other departments within the same faculty. If necessary, it may be redistributed across the university based on academic ranking and/or student density.
- In the distribution of quotas, in order to ensure a balanced distribution among departments, students with the highest scores within each department will be evaluated first. If the quota allows, other students within the same department will be placed according to their ranking.
- The final distribution of quotas will be carried out by the Ankara Bilim University (ABU) Erasmus+ Commission in accordance with the Erasmus+ Programme Guide and the relevant implementation principles.

Course Matching and Learning Agreement Process

1. Mobility can only be carried out at universities and departments with which Ankara Bilim University (ABU) has an inter-institutional agreement. If there is no valid inter-institutional agreement for the student's enrolled department, the application will not be evaluated. Information regarding partner universities can be accessed via the relevant link.
2. Students are required to review the course catalogs of the partner universities they intend to choose and evaluate their suitability for the course matching process.

3. During the course matching process, students are required to remain in communication with the faculty/department Erasmus+ coordinators and to carry out their procedures in line with the coordinator's approval.
4. The total credit load of the courses to be taken by students in one semester at both Ankara Bilim University and the partner university must be within the range of **30–35 ECTS** at both institutions.
5. The number of courses taken at ABU and the partner university, as well as the individual and total ECTS values of these courses, may vary. Within this scope, students may match a different number of courses with each other in their Learning Agreements.
6. It is not mandatory for the content of the courses taken at ABU and the partner university to be identical.

GENERAL PROVISIONS AND MOBILITY PRINCIPLES

1. Students may take elective or compulsory courses from lower or upper semesters, as well as from different departments or academic units, with the knowledge and approval of their department Erasmus+ coordinators.
2. Being selected as a result of the application does not guarantee the student's participation in the mobility. The partner university to which the student is nominated reserves the right not to accept the candidate student.
3. Students who were accepted in a previous period but did not carry out their mobility cannot be directly sent in the following year by transferring their rights. Mobility calls are valid for activities that must be completed within a specified period, and having applied to previous calls or being successful in the selection process does not constitute an acquired right. Students in this situation are required to reapply.
4. All students who meet the application requirements may apply to the call regardless of whether they are citizens of the Republic of Türkiye or foreign nationals. There are no restrictions within the scope of the Erasmus+ Programme regarding the participation of international students in mobility.
5. The eligible period for Erasmus+ Student Mobility for Studies activities opened for application under this call for the 2026–2027 academic year covers the dates between **01 September 2026 and 30 January 2027**. It is mandatory that student mobility activities start no later than **15 October 2026** and that all mobilities are completed no later than **30 July 2027**.
6. International students are required to upload their “Residence Permit for the Republic of Türkiye” and the page of their passport containing personal information to the system during the application. Students whose residence permit is valid between **01.09.2026 – 28.02.2027** are eligible to apply. The front and back sides of the Residence Permit must be uploaded as a single PDF file, while the relevant page of the passport must be uploaded as a separate PDF file. Students who have not yet obtained a residence permit must contact the relevant unit before applying.
7. Students who are selected for study mobility but fail to participate without submitting a withdrawal notice within the specified period will be subject to a point deduction in their next Erasmus+ mobility application, in accordance with the relevant implementation rules, except in cases of force majeure (including failure to obtain a visa, etc.).

APPLICATION AND EVALUATION CRITERIA

The evaluation will be based on a scoring system. The total score will be calculated out of **100 points**, and the evaluation criteria and weightings specified below will be applied. **Evaluation Criteria and Scores:**

Criteria	Score
Academic achievement level (out of 100)	50%
Language proficiency	50%
Children of martyrs and veterans	+15 points
Students with disabilities (documented)	+10 points
Students within the scope of Law No. 2828 on Social Services	+10 points
Students residing in the 10 provinces affected by the earthquake (themselves or first-degree relatives)	+10 points
Previous participation (with or without grant)	-10 points
Participation in mobility in the country of citizenship	-10 points
Failure to participate in mobility without submitting a withdrawal notice (applied in the next application)	-10 points

Placement and Ranking Principles

- In the list to be created as a result of the final evaluation, each student will be ranked according to their score among the applicants from their own department.
- In the event that there are candidates with equal scores within the same department, priority will first be given to the candidate with the higher academic achievement score; if the academic achievement scores are also equal, priority will be given to the younger candidate.
- The application and evaluation criteria have been determined based on the **2025 Erasmus+ Programme Implementation Handbook for Higher Education Student and Staff Mobility between Programme Countries and Partner Countries**.

GRANT AND FINANCIAL PROVISIONS

- **Within the scope of the budget allocated to our institution, a total of 28 students will be provided with grant support. In order to enable more students to benefit from the programme, each student will be granted financial support for one semester only.**

- **Students participating in the Erasmus+ Student Mobility for Studies will receive monthly grant support for the period they spend abroad, in accordance with the amounts determined by the European Commission.**
- **Grant payments are made in two instalments. 70% of the total grant amount is paid before the mobility, while the remaining 30% is paid after the mobility, provided that the student fulfills all required obligations.**
- **Students who are not allocated a grant may either withdraw from the mobility or participate in the programme as “zero-grant” (non-funded) participants.**
- **If the student terminates the mobility before completing the minimum required duration of 2 months, the activity will be deemed invalid. In such cases, any pre-financing grant paid to the student will be recovered. Monthly grant amounts by programme countries are provided below.**

Country Group | Countries | Monthly Grant (Euro)

Group 1 and 2: Germany, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Southern Cyprus (Greek Cypriot Administration), Netherlands, Ireland, Spain, Sweden, Italy, Iceland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Malta, Norway, Portugal, Slovakia, Slovenia, Greece : **600 €**

Group 3: Bulgaria, Croatia, North Macedonia, Lithuania, Hungary, Poland, Romania, Serbia, Türkiye |: **450 €**

Grant Payment Process and Documentation

6. The first grant payment is calculated based on a maximum of 5 months, even if the student’s mobility period is longer.
7. The remaining 30% grant payment is recalculated by taking into account the student’s certificate of attendance, passport entry–exit records, and entry–exit documents obtained via e-Government (e-Devlet).
8. The final payment is made within 45 days at the latest, following the student’s complete submission of all required documents related to the mobility process through the system.
9. The travel grant is calculated at the stage of the grant agreement. 70% of the total amount is paid before the mobility, and the remaining 30% is paid after the mobility, following the verification of supporting documents (boarding passes, tickets, etc.).

Success Requirement and Grant Deduction

10. In order to be eligible for the remaining 30% of the grant payment, students must successfully pass at least two-thirds (2/3) of the courses they have taken at the partner university. Details regarding the success requirements are specified in the “General Information” section.

Grant Deductions, Refunds and Invalidation Cases

11. If a student fails all courses taken at the partner university, the entire grant paid to the student will be requested to be refunded.

12. If it is determined from the transcript that the student has taken less than 30 ECTS credits, the relevant units of Ankara Bilim University (ABU) reserve the right to apply a deduction from the remaining grant amount.
13. Grant deductions will be applied based on the student's academic achievement in relation to the 30 ECTS course load to be completed at the partner higher education institution within the scope of the study mobility:
 - If the student successfully completes 20–30 ECTS, no grant deduction will be applied.
 - If the student successfully completes 10–20 ECTS, a 15% deduction will be applied to the total grant.
 - If the student successfully completes 0–10 ECTS, the entire paid grant will be recovered
14. Except for technical reasons, students who fail to complete the participant report (survey) will have 30% of their total final grant deducted.
15. If the documents proving that the mobility has taken place are not submitted, the activity will be deemed invalid, no grant payment will be made, and any grant already paid will be recovered.

Mobility Duration and Grant Limits

16. For students entitled to participate in mobility with a grant, the grant payment for one semester mobility will be calculated for a maximum of 150 days. For shorter mobility periods, the grant will be calculated based on the actual duration of the activity.
17. The mobility period covers the duration between the start date of the activity and the last exam date, in accordance with the academic calendar of the partner university.

Post-Mobility Documents and Obligations

18. In order to receive the remaining grant payment, students are required to submit to the relevant unit the entry–exit records obtained via e-Government (e-Devlet) and copies of the passport pages containing entry–exit stamps. International students must obtain this document from the relevant law enforcement authorities and submit it accordingly.
19. All documents related to the mobility must be submitted in accordance with the procedures determined by Ankara Bilim University (ABU) within 30 days at the latest following the activity end date stated in the certificate of attendance.
20. If the documents are not submitted completely within the specified period, the mobility will be deemed invalid, and any grant paid to the student will be requested to be refunded.
21. The course recognition (credit transfer) procedures of students who fail to submit the required documents within the specified period will not be initiated.

ADDITIONAL GRANT SUPPORT

22. Students who wish to benefit from additional grant support are required to upload official documents proving their relevant status to the system during the application stage. Applications without proper documentation will not be considered.

Additional Grant Support (Disadvantaged Participants)

23. Participants with special needs and disadvantaged backgrounds may be provided with additional grant support in addition to their entitled grant. For long-term student mobility (2–12 months), an additional grant of 250 € per month is provided.

A disadvantaged participant is defined as an individual with limited economic and social opportunities and who falls into at least one of the categories listed below:

- Individuals for whom a protection, care, or shelter decision has been issued under Law No. 2828 on Social Services
- Individuals for whom a protection, care, or shelter decision has been issued under Law No. 5395 on Child Protection
- Individuals receiving an orphan's pension
- Children of martyrs or veterans
- Individuals receiving a means-tested allowance (this must be documented with a valid certificate issued in the name of the student, their parents, or legal guardian at the time of application)
- Students who document a disability rate of at least 70% with an official medical board report
- Students receiving a disability or social assistance pension under Law No. 2022

Additional Grant Amounts

Mobility Type	Additional Grant Support
Student mobility (2–12 months)	250 € / month
Short-term mobility (5–14 days)	+100 € (in addition to total grants)
Short-term mobility (15–30 days)	+150 € (in addition to total grants)

***Scholarships provided by the Credit and Dormitories Institution (KYK), merit-based scholarships, and other similar scholarships, grants, or one-time payments are not considered within the scope of financial supports evaluated under this framework.**

TRAVEL SUPPORT AND CALCULATION PRINCIPLES

24. In order to contribute to students' travel expenses, the distance (km) between the starting point of the mobility and the place of activity is calculated using the Distance Calculator provided by the European Commission, and the travel grant is determined according to the table below.
25. The value obtained from the distance calculator represents the total round-trip distance. Therefore, the grant amounts indicated in the table are not multiplied by two.

26. The travel grant is calculated at the stage of signing the grant agreement. 70% of the total amount is paid before the mobility, and the remaining 30% is paid after the mobility, following the verification of supporting documents (boarding passes, ticket invoices, etc.).
27. For travel days before and after the activity, a maximum of 2 days of individual support grant may be provided. Grant amounts based on travel distance are shown in the table below:

Distance Band	Standard Travel Grant (€) 	Travel Grant (€)
10 – 99 km	28	56
100 – 499 km	211	285
500 – 1999 km	309	417
2000 – 2999 km	395	535
3000 – 3999 km	580	785
4000 – 7999 km	1188	1188
8000 above	1735	1735

GREEN TRAVEL SUPPORT

28. Green travel is defined as the use of low-emission transportation methods other than airplanes (such as buses, trains, etc.).
29. Students who prefer green travel may be granted individual support for up to 6 travel days. In order to benefit from green travel support:
30. Green transportation must be used for both outbound and return journeys,
31. More than half of the total travel distance must be completed using green transportation.
32. This support is valid only for travel between Ankara and the city where the partner university is located. The travel must be planned based on the shortest distance between the two cities.
33. As a general rule, for distances below 500 km, participants are expected to prefer low-emission means of transport.

APPEAL, WITHDRAWAL AND ZERO-GRANT PARTICIPATION PROCESSES

Appeal Process

34. Following the announcement of the preliminary evaluation results, students may submit a written appeal. Appeals must be sent to the relevant unit within the period specified in the announcement, as an email attachment including a signed petition. Appeals submitted outside the specified period and procedure will not be considered.

Withdrawal Process and Sanctions

35. After the announcement of the final results, students who are entitled to participate in mobility with a grant may withdraw their rights within the period specified in the announcement.
36. Students who request withdrawal outside the specified period, without a force majeure reason, will receive a -10 point deduction in their next Erasmus+ mobility application at the same level of education.
37. Students who do not submit a withdrawal request but fail to participate in the activity will receive a -10 point deduction in all Erasmus+ mobility applications at the same level of education.
38. If a funded candidate withdraws after the official withdrawal process has been completed, the grant will not be transferred to another candidate.

Zero-Grant (Non-Funded) Participation Process

39. Following the announcement of the final evaluation results, students in reserve status who are not placed with a grant may submit a petition to request participation in the mobility as a zero-grant (non-funded) participant.
40. Requests for zero-grant participation are evaluated and finalized by the Erasmus+ Commission.
41. Students approved for zero-grant participation are subject to the same academic and administrative obligations as funded students.
42. The nomination procedures of zero-grant students are carried out after the completion of the nomination processes of funded students.
43. After the placement of funded students is completed, if there is no remaining quota at the partner universities preferred by the zero-grant student, it may not be possible for the student to carry out the mobility.

In matters not covered in this announcement text, the provisions of the Erasmus+ Programme Implementation Handbook published by the European Commission and the Turkish National Agency shall apply.

To apply, please use the link below:

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