

BASKENT UNIVERSITY
ADMISSION OF INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS
TO PRE-BACHELOR AND BACHELOR DEGREE PROGRAMMES

International students, who had graduated and are expected to graduate from a High School equivalent to Turkish High Schools and who met the following requirements, can apply to the pre-bachelor and bachelor degree programmes of Baskent University. In order to apply as an international student, it is required that students have at least the minimum standard points in **“the international examinations approved for admission,”** which are cited in Section B.

A. REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION

With regard to the candidates that wish to apply, the following provisions shall be taken into consideration.

- a) **Provided that the foreign national applicants are in the final year of their secondary education or have qualified to graduate, applications shall be accepted**
- 1) from foreign nationals,
 - 2) from those who provide evidence that they have had Turkish citizenship by birth but have quit it upon the permission of the Ministry of Internal Affairs, and/or their non-adult children who are registered in the Turkish citizenship cessation document and provide evidence that they hold the Document for the Use of the Recognized Rights, which has been obtained in accordance with the Turkish Nationality Law (Article 7 of the Turkish Nationality Law, No. 5901, stipulates that “(1) A child born in or outside Turkey to a Turkish father and a Turkish mother in conjugal union is a Turkish citizen.” Therefore, the candidates who wish to apply for admission from outside Turkey are advised to study the Turkish Nationality Law),
 - 3) from those who have been aliens by birth but, upon having obtained citizenship afterwards, have been admitted into Turkish citizenship and hold double citizenship,
 - 4) from those with Turkish citizenship who have fully completed their secondary education in a foreign country (including those who have fully completed their secondary education at a Turkish school in a foreign country), excluding the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC),
 - 5) from those who are the citizens of, and reside in, the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus and have fully completed their secondary education at a high school there and have got the results of the GCE AL examinations, and also from those who, having enrolled and studied between 2005 and 2010 in colleges and high schools in other countries, have obtained or are expected to have the GCE AL examination results.

b) Applications shall not be accepted from:

1. Turkish citizens who have fully completed their secondary education in Turkey or the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus,
2. The citizens of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (excluding those who have fully completed their secondary education at a high school there and have got the results of the GCE AL examinations, and also from those who, having enrolled and studied between 2005 and 2010 at colleges and high schools in other countries, have obtained or are expected to have the GCE AL examination results),
3. Those with double nationality, whose original nationality has been Turkish due to the birth defined in Paragraph a/2 above (excluding those who have fully completed their secondary education in a foreign country outside the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus, or those who have fully completed their secondary education at a Turkish school in a foreign country outside the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus),
4. Those whose double nationality includes the citizenship of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus as one of its parts (excluding those who have fully completed their secondary education at a high school there and have got the results of the GCE AL examinations, and also from those who, having enrolled and studied between 2005 and 2010 at colleges and high schools in other countries, have obtained or are expected to have the GCE AL examination results),
5. Those Turkish citizens who have completed the whole period of their secondary education at a foreign embassy school in Turkey or those with double nationality, whose original nationality has been Turkish due to the birth defined in Paragraph a/2 above.

Even though a candidate submits a document after his/her admission to the University, which shows that he/she is a Turkish citizen or a citizen of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus or a person of Turkic origin, this does not change his/her status at the time of admission

B. SCORES OF INTERNATIONAL EXAMINATIONS ACCEPTED FOR APPLICATION

The scores of any one of the following examinations are acceptable for application. If a candidate has the scores of more than one examination, he/she can submit all of them. Of these examinations, the ones which have the status of university entrance examination are valid only for two years.

- Minimum a score of **40** points is to be earned from the international national student examination (YÖS) conducted by Baskent University in order to measure basic learning skills. If necessary, Faculties, the State Conservatoire, Schools and Vocational Schools can determine and submit to the approval of the University Senate their own basic score of points provided that it is not lower than the score of points already determined by the University Senate.
- Minimum a total of **1000/1600** points from **SAT 1 (Scholastic Aptitude Test);(Math and critical reading)and 500/800 minimum point from mathematics;**
- A level from **GCE (General Certificate Examination)** in three subjects, minimum one of which must be related to the programme that the candidate is applying;
- Minimum a score of **21** points from **ACT (American College Test);**
- (**Tawjihi**): from the **Tawjihi** examinations offered in Jordan and Palestine,
 - minimum a score of **80** points from **Scientific Stream** for the departments that make admissions according to quantitative scores,
 - minimum a score of **80** points from **Industrial and/or Commercial Stream** for the departments that make admissions according to equally-weighted (EW) scores,
 - minimum a score of **75** points from **Literary Stream** for the departments that make admissions according to verbal and language scores,
- **GaoKao:** minimum a score of **500** points from the university entrance examination of China (PRC) in the point type of the department that the candidate is applying,
- **International Baccalaureate (IB):** minimum **24** points diploma grade and the International Baccalaureate Diploma,
- Maximum **4** from **ABITUR,**
- Minimum **13** points diploma grade from the **Baccalauréat Libanais** examinations,
- Minimum **70%** from the **Qoadrat Test (Saudi National performance Test of Overall capacity)** offered in Saudi Arabia ,
- Minimum **10/20 French baccalaureate diploma grade,**
- To hold a **Matura** diploma,
- To hold a high school diploma from Iran (**Diplome Dabirestan**) and minimum **15/20 Pish-daneshgaahi grade.**
- Those candidates who have won gold, silver or bronze medals at international science olympiads recognized or participated in by the TUBITAK (Scientific and Technological Research Council of Turkey).

Besides the examinations cited above, applications made with a document of scores, which has been obtained from the examinations conducted by the universities in Turkey or from an international examination or from an examination in the candidate's home country or high school

diploma grade are evaluated and decided on by the administrative committee of the institution concerned.

C. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

- 1. The Application Form; Fill the application form and print out it.**
- 2. Valid Examination Results:** The original, or a certified copy, of the examination results (YOS, SAT, GCE, etc.) that will be used for application;
- 3. High School Diploma:** A photocopy of the high school diploma or graduation certificate (Turkish or English) authenticated by a public notary, or the original of the high school diploma, together with “the Certificate of Equivalence” to be obtained from the Education Council (Talim ve Terbiye Kurulu) of the Ministry of Education or from the Turkish embassy in the candidate’s home country;
- 4. Transcript:** The original and official transcript that is certified by the high school headmaster and shows all the courses and grades taken by the candidate at high school. If the transcript is not in English or Turkish, a certified copy that has been translated into either of these languages must be submitted together with the original transcript;
- 5. A Photocopy of the Passport:** It has been translated into English or Turkish
- 6. 2 Photographs:** The photographs, each 4.5x6 cms, must have been taken within the last six months, with the full face, the head and the neck uncovered so that the candidate can be easily recognized, and without a beard. Photocopies will not be accepted.
- 7. Receipt of Application Fee:** The bank receipt for the separate application fee (100 USD) of each programme preference, paid to the specified Baskent University bank account.

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D. DATE AND PLACE OF APPLICATION

All the applications, complete with the required documents, must be sent by post to the address below, or submitted personally, between **20 July- 21 August 2015** before the close of the working day. No responsibility will be taken by Baskent University for delay or loss in the post.

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E. EVALUATION

The candidates who have met the application requirements are directed to the Institutes, Faculties, State Conservatoire, Schools and Vocational Schools, to which they have been admitted, for screening and evaluation by the relevant administrative committee. The placement of the candidates is completely under the authority of the University. Moreover, the University is free whether or not to fill up the quotas previously announced. That application requirements have been met does not conduce to admission for placement.

The evaluations of the applications to the programmes, which make admissions by special aptitude examinations, are done in accordance with the regulations of special aptitude examinations.

The candidates who have been admitted have to pay their tuition fee within the period of time specified in the academic calendar and renew their health insurance. Otherwise, their admissions are suspended.

The candidates who have been admitted have to have one-year health insurance and prove that, besides their tuition fee, they have sufficient financial security to maintain themselves in Turkey.

The candidates will be notified by a letter about their admission and the dates of registration as well as the documents required for registration. Announcement will also be made on the University's website

F. MEDIUM OF INSTRUCTION:

The medium of instruction at Baskent University is Turkish. A Turkish proficiency examination is offered by the BASKENT TOMER so as to determine the international national applicants' level of Turkish. The students whose level of Turkish is (A) or (B) begin their studies directly in the departments they have been admitted to. Yet, those students whose level of Turkish is not sufficient, and who have been approved to begin their pre-bachelor, bachelor and graduate degree studies, also take, along with their studies, the Turkish courses offered by the BASKENT TOMER.

Moreover, for all the programmes, a one-year Preparatory English Programme is requisite. Those students who pass the English Proficiency Examination offered at the start of the academic year, or those students who prove that they have succeeded in any one of the ÜDS, KPDS, TOEFL, IELTS, ESOL (FCE), CAE, CPE examinations, whose equivalence has been accepted by the University, are exempted from the Preparatory English Programme and directly continue their studies in the departments they have been admitted to.