

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

by Incoming Erasmus Students

Q1. I have been nominated by my home university to study at YTU. How should I proceed?

A1: The students who have been nominated by their home university should follow the call for applications to be announced at <http://www.eu.yildiz.edu.tr/en> and submit the online application accordingly.

Q2. When and where should I submit my online application?

A2. The online applications should be submitted on www.ytuerasmus.yildiz.edu.tr during the application periods:

- Fall: 15th May – 15th July
- Spring: 15th October – 15th December
- Full Year: 15th May – 15th July

Q3. Does YTU provides accommodation to Erasmus students during their stay?

A3. YTU does not provide any accommodation. ESN YTU and student buddies assist the students to find accommodation in the city.

Q4. I need a residence permit to stay in Turkey during my Erasmus mobility period. How can I apply for that?

A4. The responsible governmental organisation for residence permit is the Directorate General of Migration Management.

The website of the Directorate: <https://e-ikamet.goc.gov.tr/>

For the residence permit, it is needed to make an online application on the above mentioned website **within 30 days after your arrival**. Then, you need to submit the required documents to the Directorate. Detailed information about the residence permit is given to the students on their arrival. It is also advised to follow the website of the Directorate regularly in order to have the updated-information.

Please check the [Guide for Residence Permit Application and Insurance](#) for details.

Q5. Where can I see the list of the courses that I can take?

A5. The course catalogue is available at www.bologna.yildiz.edu.tr where you can find detailed information about any course.

Q6. How can I change the courses that I had listed in my learning agreement before the mobility?

A6. In case of any change on the learning agreement, you should fill out “Section B: During the Mobility” part of the learning agreement and get it signed by your home university and departmental coordinator at YTU, following which you should submit the copy to EU Office by the deadline to be announced upon your arrival.

Q7. I do not have any competence in Turkish language. How can I improve it during my Erasmus stay?

A7. YTU EU office provides Turkish Language course to Erasmus students in exchange of 6 ECTS Credits for free at three different levels: Beginner, Pre-Intermediate (only during Spring Semester), Advanced. The students interested in Turkish language course should add the course to their learning agreements.

Q8. I have won a scholarship from my home university for Student Mobility for Traineeship. Can I apply YTU in order to make internship?

A8. Each department of YTU has its own procedure for accepting students for internships. Please directly contact the department where you would like to make the intership and if you find a mentor to support and guide you during your internship period, please contact EU Office at erasmus-staj@yildiz.edu.tr in order to get information about the administrative issues.

Q9. I have been nominated to attend Erasmus+ student mobility under International Credit Mobility (ICM) Mobility. Should I follow a different application process than the students from Programme countries?

A9. Incoming Erasmus students should follow the same application process to be announced with a call at our website www.eu.yildiz.edu.tr no matter they are from partner or programme countries. It is only expected that the student should carefully pick the type of mobility programme during the online application.