

# LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

### **English language requirements**

If you are enrolling in an English-taught Master programme, it is essential to demonstrate a high level of English proficiency.

#### Below is a table with the accepted tests and their required scores:

IELTS - Academic level	Overall score of 6.0 with a minimum of 6.0 in each component
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LanguageCert - Academic level (new)	Overall score of 65 with a minimum of 65 in each component
Pearson PTE - Academic level (new)	Overall score of 61 with a minimum of 61 in each component
TOEFL iBT® (No iTP) internet based test	Total score of 80 with a minimum of 20 in each component.
TOEIC <sup>2</sup> 4-skills-tests	Total score 1200 with a minimum of 865 for Listening + Reading and a minimum of 335 for Speaking + Writing
Cambridge B2 First (FCE)	Grade B (scale 173-175) or Grade C (scale 169-172) with a minimum of 169 for each sub score

Please note that all tests must be taken at an official language test centre, we do not accept home editions.

### Deadline

The deadline for submitting your language test results depends on your nationality:

- EU students : 31<sup>st</sup> of July
- Non-EU students : 15<sup>th</sup> of June

## Exemptions

You may be exempt from providing proof of English proficiency if:

- You were educated in one of the following countries and your diploma includes English as a subject: the UK, the Netherlands, Ireland, USA, Canada (excluding Quebec), Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, or Malta.
- If your previous education was completed in a country not listed above, or if your diploma does not originate from one of these countries, you may still be eligible for an exemption if your entire prior education was conducted in English. This will be assessed during the mandatory intake interview.
- Part-time students who have worked in an international (English-speaking) environment for at least two years may also qualify for an exemption. This will be evaluated during the mandatory intake interview.

Note: If your diploma was issued by one of the exempted countries but your education was conducted in a non-English-speaking environment, or if there are concerns about your English proficiency, we reserve the right to require you to take a language test.

### **Dutch language requirements**

If you are enrolling in a Dutch-taught programme with a foreign diploma, you will need to demonstrate proficiency in Dutch. This can be achieved by passing the <u>Dutch as a Second Language</u>, <u>Programme II (NT2-II)</u> <u>state exam</u>, which includes reading, speaking, writing, and listening components.

We also accept CNaVT certificates in "Educatief Startbekwaam" and "Educatief Professioneel." The certificate must be issued within the last 2 years as of September 1. For more information, please visit <u>the CNaVT website</u>.

