

**ISTANBUL AYDIN UNIVERSITY
ERASMUS + PROGRAMME
INSTITUTIONAL INFORMATION SHEET**

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Application Deadlines for Incoming Students

Autumn term	Spring term
15 th August, later applications can be accepted	15 th December, later applications can be accepted

Documents Required for Application*

Learning Agreement (3 original copies) Application Form Official Transcript of Records Passport copy Health Insurance (which is valid in Turkey) 2 Photos Information Sheet
*All documents can be found on http://erasmus.aydin.edu.tr/index.asp?id=68
Note: The completed application form and learning agreement should be signed and stamped by your Erasmus Office at your home university and sent to our University by as a scan by mail and by traditional post.

Academic Calendar *	
Orientation Days	01/09/2014-03/09/2014
Intensive Turkish Language Course	03/09/2014-12/09/2014
Autumn term	15/09/2014-06/02/2015
Orientation Days	01/02/2015-03/02/2015
Intensive Turkish Language Course	01/02/2015-09/02/2015
Spring term	09/02/2015-20/06/2015
*Each semester ends with an exam session. There is usually a teaching break of two weeks in February.	
National Holidays	
1 January New Year's Day 23 April National Sovereignty and Children's Day 1 May Labour Day 19 May Youth and Sports Day 30 August Victory Day 29 October Republic Day	
Religious Holidays*	
Ramazan Bayramı (Eid) Three days holiday Kurban Bayramı (Great Eid) Four days holiday	
*The dates of these religious holidays change according to the lunar calendar and fall on different dates each year.	

Course Information	
Selecting Courses	Incoming Students can choose any courses from any of our faculties as long as the courses are not overlapping. All the courses could be found https://ebs.aydin.edu.tr
Turkish Language and Culture Courses	Erasmus students can participate in Turkish courses for beginners TLL104 Introduction to Turkish Language and culture and TLL105 Turkish Language for the whole academic year rated with 5 ECTS.

Accommodation	
Istanbul Aydın University cannot offer on-campus (dormitory) accommodation, unfortunately. Therefore, it is suggested that students rent a flat or share a rented flat. Erasmus Office provides information and assistance to exchange students on how to rent a flat in the city. For more information please check: http://erasmus.aydin.edu.tr/index.asp?id=62	

Buddy System	Students automatically receive Turkish mentor student, who contacts them by email and are ready to answer all the questions concerning life in Istanbul and at Istanbul Aydın University.
Health Insurance	Students are requested to purchase a compulsory health insurance in Turkey or obtain the equivalent of the Turkish National Medical Insurance (SGK) from their national medical insurance companies prior to arrival to Turkey. For further information please check: http://erasmus.aydin.edu.tr/index.asp?id=61
Visa	All foreign students who will be studying in Turkey are required to have a student visa for the duration of their academic stay. In order to get a student visa, students need to apply to the Turkish Consulate nearest to their town-of-residence with the letter of Acceptance provided by IAU. For further information please check: http://erasmus.aydin.edu.tr/index.asp?id=60