APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ADMISSION OF FOREIGN NATIONALS TO THE ASSOCIATE/UNDERGRADUATE PROGRAMMES OF ESKİŞEHİR TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY BY HIGHER EDUCATION ENTRANCE AND PLACEMENT EXAM (ESTUYOS)/BY INTERNATIONALLY RECOGNIZED HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS EXAMS/BY INTERNATIONAL DIPLOMA GRADE IN 2023

Foreign nationals who wish to apply to Eskişehir Technical University Associate/Bachelor's Degree resident programs in the academic year 2018-2019 and who hold/are about to hold high school diplomas equivalent to the Turkish high school diploma, and satisfy the below requirements must either take the ESTUYOS (Higher Education Entrance and Placement Exam for the Admission of Foreign Nationals to the Associate/Undergraduate Programmes of Eskişehir Technical University) or must have received the required results from the internationally recognized exams or diploma specified in the "The Directive for the Application, Admission and Enrolment Rules of Foreign Students to the Associate/Undergraduate Programmes of Eskişehir Technical University" accepted by the Senate with decision no. 3/3 dated 07/02/2023.

APPLICATION CONDITIONS

A) The application of graduates or seniors of high school or of equivalent schools who:

- a) are foreign nationals,
- **b)** are native-born foreigners who later became Turkish citizens or dual nationality holders in the same situation (providing they registered before the 2022–2023 academic year for secondary education (high school) institutions in Turkey).
- c) are Turkish nationals, who were a high school student abroad before February 1, 2013, and who have completed last three years of their high school education in a foreign country other than TRNC (including those that have completed their entire high school education at a Turkish school under the Ministry of National Education (MEB) in a foreign country other than TRNC),
- **d)** are Turkish nationals, who began their high school education abroad after February 1, 2013, and who have completed their entire high school education in a foreign country other than TRNC (including those that have completed their entire

high school education at a Turkish school under the Ministry of National Education (MEB) in a foreign country other than TRNC),¹²

- e) are nationals of TRNC that reside in TRNC, and have completed their high school education in TRNC and have taken the GCE AL exam, and are nationals of TRNC, and registered and received education in a high school in another country between 2005 and 2010 and have taken the GCE AL exam,
- **f)** are Turkish citizens by birth but lose their Turkish citizenship by obtaining permission to renounce Turkish citizenship from the Ministry of Interior, and those who certify that they have a "Blue Card", which is given upon request to those who lost their Turkish citizenship, (in the first paragraph of Article 7 of the Turkish Citizenship Law No. 5901, A child born in a marriage union from a Turkish citizen mother or father outside of Turkey is a Turkish citizen.) **will be accepted**.
- **B)** The application of the foreigners who:
 - 1) are Turkish nationals and completed the entire high school education in Turkey or TRNC,
 - 2) are TRNC nationals (excluding those that have had their entire high school education in TRNC and taken the GCE AL exam, and have received education in a high school in another country between 2005 and 2010 and have taken the GCE AL exam),
 - 3) hold dual nationality, the first of which is Turkish by birth, as defined in subparagraph (e) in paragraph 1 of article 5 (excluding those that meet the conditions stated in subparagraphs (c) and (d) in paragraph 1 of Article 5),
 - 4) hold dual nationality, one of which is TRNC (excluding those that have had their entire high school education in TRNC and taken the GCE AL exam, and have received education in a high school in another country between 2005 and 2010 and have taken the GCE AL exam),
 - 5) are Turkish nationals and have had their high school education in schools affiliated with the embassies in Turkey and foreign high schools in Turkey, or hold dual nationality with the first nationality being Turkish as defined in subparagraph (e) in paragraph 1 of Article 5, <u>will not be accepted</u>.

¹ To enroll in secondary education institutions in Turkey beginning with the 2022–2023 academic year, TRNC citizens, T.R. citizens who have lost their citizenship, Blue Card holders, and foreign nationals (aside from embassy schools and international private education institutions in the MOBIS system) must pass the Higher Education Institutions Exam (YKS).

² Students who started or finished secondary school before the academic year 2022-2023 and have renounced their citizenship or have blue cards and foreign nationals (aside from those who attended embassy schools and other international private educational institutions in the MOBIS system) can enroll in higher education institutions as long as they meet the requirements with both YOS and YKS up until the end of 2025, whereas starting in 2026 with only YKS.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR THE APPLICANTS WHO MEET THE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Candidates will apply to the announced quotas with their "Exams with the status of Higher Education Institutions Exam (validity period of 2 years) score", their "ESTUYOS Exam Score" or their "TR-YOS Exam Score" or their "High School Diploma Grade" or "High School Graduation Exam Score" or their "Higher Education Institutions Exam Score". Information on "Exams with the status of Higher Education Institutions Exam (validity period of 2 years)", "High School Diploma Grade" or "High School Graduation Exam Result" and "Foreign Student Selection Exam" and candidate proficiency levels are given below.

Application Exam	Application Score
ACT: American University Entrance Exam in the United States of America (American College Test)	A minimum total score of 21 in Science (Science Reasoning), Mathematics, and Composite
GAOKAO: Chinese University Entrance Exam in People's Republic of China	A minimum score of at least 480 out of 750 in the subject matter accepted by the applied programme
SAT 1: American University Entrance Exam in the United States of America (Scholastic Aptitute Test)	A total combined score of at least 1000 in Mathematics + Reading sections and a minimum score of 550 in Mathematics.

a) Exams with the status of Higher Education Institutions Exam

b) "High School Diploma Scores"	" or "High School Graduation Exam scores	"
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Application Exam	Application Score
ABITUR: German High School Graduation Exam	A score of 1-4 on ABITUR (Applications with
	FACHABITUR without an exam score will not be
	accepted)
Apolytirion of Lykeo/Secondary	A minimum diploma grade of 10/20 on Greek
School Leaving Certificate: Greek	"Apolytirion of Lykeo/Secondary School Leaving
Diploma Grade	Certificate"

Certificat d'Enseignement Secondaire Supérieur/Diploma (previously Getuignschrift) van Hoger Secundair Onderwijs/Abschlusszeugnis der Oberstufe des Sekundarunterrichts: Belgium Diploma Grade	A minimum diploma grade of 14/20 for Belgium Certificat d'Enseignement Secondaire Supérieur/Diploma (previously Getuignschrift) van Hoger Secundair Onderwijs/Abschlusszeugnis der Oberstufe des Sekundarunterrichts
DIPLÔME DU BACCALAUREAT GENERAL: French High School Graduation Exam	A diploma grade of at least 12 (French Baccalaureate-Baccalaureate score type only given in France)
GCE AL: General Certificate of Education–Advanced Level Exam, required to study at a university in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC)	For those with TRNC nationality: reside in TRNC with high school education completed in TRNC and taken GCE AL exam, and have received education in a high school in another country between 2005 and 2010 and have taken GCE AL exam
GCE: General Certificate of Education, British High School Graduation Exam	At least two A levels one of which is related in the subject matter of the applied programme in GCE (A level).
MATURA: Austrian University Entrance Exam in Austria	A score of 1–4 on Austria MATURA (Matura Reifezeugnis) examination
MATURA: Swiss University Entrance Exam in Switzerland	A score of 4–6 on Switzerland MATURA examination
VWO Certificate (VoorbereidendWetenschappelijkOnderwijs ≡SecondarySchoolLeavingCertificate)/HAVO(HogerAlgemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs ≡SeniorGeneralSecondaryEducation):NetherlandsDiplomaGrade	A minimum diploma grade of 6/10 for Netherlands VWO Certificate (Voorbereidend Wetenschappelijk Onderwijs = Secondary School Leaving Certificate/HAVO (Hoger Algemeen Voortgezet Onderwijs = Senior General Secondary Education)

c) Foreign Student Selection Exam (YOS)

	If applicants receive at least 50 points out of 100 on the
ESTUYOS or TR-YOS	ESTUYOS or TR-YOS exam, they can-apply for placement in
	the programs/departments.

"Higher Education Institutions Exams" such as ACT, GAOKAO, and SAT 1 are valid for two years.

ESTUYOS exam score is only valid for the year it is taken in.

Candidates can apply to the announced quota with any of the following documents, provided that they get the scores specified above: a) Exams with the status of Higher Education Institutions Exam, b) High School Diploma Scores" or "High School Graduation Exam scores" and c) Foreign Student Selection Exam (YOS):

- High School Diploma Grade
- High School Graduation Exam Score
- Higher Education Institutions Exam
- ESTUYOS Exam Score or TR-YOS Exam Score

Applications by foreign students to Eskişehir Technical University with exam scores from ESTUYOS–like exams conducted by other universities in Turkey <u>will not be accepted</u>.

The following factors should be taken into account for evaluating applications to departments or programs that admit international students, placement procedures, and enrolment procedures:

- a) Admission, quota, placement in the programmes and enrolment procedures are carried out through the University's Registrar's Office, Information Technology Office, Examination Unit and International Relations Unit.
- b) Foreign students can choose a maximum of 3 departments or programs. Students will be placed in individual programs according to the rules and conditions set by the relevant program.
- c) Student transfer and/or additional placement from the programs with full quotas to the programs with available space is permitted.
- **d)** Candidates who meet the application requirements will be ranked according to their scores.
- e) Applicants are placed in programs according to their preferences providing that the number of students from the same nationality in a program does not exceed 20% of the quota of that programme. If the program's quota is empty, this rule does not apply.

- f) Dual nationality holders are required to select one of their nationality in filling out the "Online Application Form".
- **g)** In any case of equality (tie) in ranking, first the preference order, then the high school GPA, and then the younger age will be favoured.
- h) If the candidate takes the nationality of a country other than Turkey in a future date after he/she completes the online application, he/she can request change in his/her nationality category. Otherwise, the preference, registration, and diploma procedures are conducted by using the nationality he/she provides during the application.
- i) During the enrolment, if the applicant cannot present the passport/ID documents for the nationality he/she stated in the application, he/she loses the right to enrol.
- j) If the candidate does not enrol by the announced enrolment deadline or if the document verification reveals that he/she does not meet the application conditions or that he/she applied with inappropriate documents, his/her enrolment will be terminated.
- **k)** Applicants who will apply to departments/programs that accept students with "Pre–registration" and "Special Aptitude Exam"; in addition to fulfilling the condition of obtaining any of the above-mentioned points are also required to obtain satisfactory scores from the special aptitude exam administered by each relevant program of the Faculty/School. The placement of these students in the diploma program is made according to the issues in Article 9.

APPLICATIONS

Applicants who wish to take the ESTUYOS Exam must fill out the online "ESTUYOS Application Form" and submit it along with the other required documents on the University website. Applications via mail, email or in person will not be accepted.

If applicants do not electronically submit the "Online Application Form" and the other necessary documents, their application **will not be taken into consideration** and **they will not be given the "ESTUYOS Examinee ID Document".**

The exam results of the candidates who have taken the exam without meeting the application requirements will be cancelled.

Applicants cannot change their examination centre preferences after completing their application.

The examinees must have the "ESTUYOS Examinee ID Document" and their passports/ID cards with them. The examinees must print out the "ESTUYOS Examinee ID Document" and bring it with them to the examination.

The examinees must complete the procedures of taking ESTUYOS and leaving their countries by following the regulations in their countries.

"ESTUYOS Examinee ID Document" is the same as preliminary acceptance. The examinees will not be sent a separate preliminary acceptance letter.

ESTUYOS EXAM FEE AND EXAM CENTERS

Exam fee for Eskişehir/TÜRKİYE is 480 TL (Turkish Liras) plus the bank charges. This fee for taking the exam in TRNC is 600 TL (Turkish Liras) plus the bank charges; for taking the exam in Germany is 55 Euros plus the bank charges and for taking the exam in Bulgaria is 25 Euros plus the bank charges. Candidates will make their payments from the exam application page via virtual POS with a credit card.

	EXAM CENTERS
1	Adana, Ankara, Antalya, Bursa, Çanakkale, Denizli, Diyarbakır, Edirne-Keşan, Eskişehir, Erzurum, Gaziantep, Hatay, İstanbul, İzmir, Kayseri, Kilis, Kocaeli, Konya, Mardin, Mersin, Muğla, Samsun, Şanlıurfa, Trabzon, Van/TÜRKİYE
2	Berlin, Cologne Munich/GERMANY
3	Plovdiv/BULGARIA
4	Nicosia/TRNC

Applicants who want to take the ESTUYOS Exam will pay the exam fee. Applicants who apply with a diploma or international exam score will not pay the exam fee.

EXAMS AND ASSESSMENT

ESTUYOS consists of the "General Aptitude Exam" with explanations in Turkish and English. The score of exam will be calculated individually and the applicants will access their printable score from the link that will be available on the University website. The applicants are required to keep a copy of their test result. After the link is removed from the website, the University will not issue a test result document again.

The applicants must have a minimum score of 50 on the ESTUYOS Exam in order to be eligible for enrolment at Eskişehir Technical University programs. Those students who are qualified for enrolment but do not satisfy the requirements for Turkish language proficiency will have to study Turkish at the "Turkish Preparatory Programme" provided by the Turkish Language Application and Research Centre (ESTOMER).

Providing they meet the initial application requirements, applicants that apply to programs where "Pre-registration/ Special Aptitude Exams" are required will be accepted to such programs if they get a minimum of 50 on the ESTUYOS Exam, and also achieve the required score on the "Special Aptitude Exam" announced and administered by the Faculty/School of their choice.

Applicants who choose programs that require a "Special Aptitude Exam" cannot choose other programs, and applicants who choose other programs cannot choose programs that require a "Special Aptitude Exam".