



TARSUS
ÜNİVERSİTESİ



FACT SHEET 2025/2026



Erasmus+ KA171 Program Countries

GENERAL INFORMATION	
Name of the Institution	Tarsus University
Public/Private University	Public
Website	https://www.tarsus.edu.tr
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BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE UNIVERSITY

Explore Tarsus University



Tarsus University

Founded in 2018, Tarsus University is a dynamic public university located in Mersin, Türkiye. The university offers a wide range of undergraduate and graduate programs through its faculties, vocational schools, and institutes. Tarsus University provides a modern and student-centered learning environment with a strong academic infrastructure. The university is committed to internationalization, academic cooperation, and cultural exchange through Erasmus+ and other international mobility programs.

Erasmus+ KA171 Program at Tarsus University

Tarsus University attaches great importance to developing academic cooperation with partner universities worldwide. Through the Erasmus+ KA171 International Credit Mobility Program, the university continues to strengthen its international partnerships with non-EU countries and promote student and staff mobility across multiple regions of the world.

APPLICATION PROCESS TO KA171

Application Procedures

Partner universities prepare the required project documents in cooperation with Tarsus University. The Erasmus Office coordinates the application process and submits the final project proposal to the Turkish National Agency on behalf of the institution.

Application Deadline

Deadlines are announced annually according to the Erasmus+ KA171 call calendar.

Required Application Documents

Application Form
Learning Agreement
Transcript of Academic Records
Proof of English Language Proficiency
Passport / ID Copy
Passport Size Photo

Erasmus+ KA171 Inter-Institutional Agreement (IIA) and Memorandum of Understanding are considered supporting documents for project applications, but not required at the application stage.

Study Course Catalogue

Detailed information about courses and academic programs can be found on the official website of Tarsus University: <https://www.tarsus.edu.tr/>
Türkiye is aligned with the Bologna Process and uses ECTS for academic recognition. The full study course catalogue of Tarsus University is available online through the Information Package / Course Catalogue system: <https://bologna.tarsus.edu.tr>

Language of Instruction: Turkish and English
Students are allowed to make changes to Learning Agreement only within the first 2 weeks after the lectures have started.

<p>Academic Calendar</p> <p>Academic Year 2025/2026</p>	<p>Autumn Semester: 15 September 2025 – 16 February 2026 Spring Semester: 09 February 2026 – 20 July 2026</p> <p>Detailed information about the academic calendar is available on the official website of Tarsus University: https://oidb.tarsus.edu.tr/tr/page/-akademik-takvim/2593</p>
<p>Accommodation</p>	<p><i>Tarsus University does not provide on-campus accommodation for incoming Erasmus students. However, there are many private student dormitories and accommodation options available in Tarsus and Mersin.</i></p> <p>You may find options at the link below: https://yurtlarburada.com/universiteler/tarsus-universitesi-yakin-ogrenci-yurtlari</p>
<p>Students with disabilities</p>	<p><i>Information about facilities to welcome students with disabilities is available on request depending on the special needs. Our university have a special unit dedicated to students with disabilities. Please contact: erasmus@tarsus.edu.tr</i></p>
<p>Immigration information</p>	<p>Students should contact the Turkish Consulate in their home country to learn whether they need a visa before travelling to Türkiye. International students are responsible for obtaining the necessary residence permit after arrival if required.</p>
<p>Insurance</p>	<p>Incoming students must have valid health insurance covering their entire stay in Türkiye. Students with private insurance must ensure that it covers all medical expenses in Türkiye. If your country has a bilateral social security agreement with Türkiye, please contact your national social security office before arrival to obtain the necessary agreement document. For more information, please contact: erasmus@tarsus.edu.tr</p>
<p>Other useful information</p>	<p>Students are advised to arrive at Tarsus University at least one or two days before the academic semester begins.</p> <p>There is no airport pick-up service provided upon arrival. However, students can easily reach Tarsus University by public transportation, shuttle services, or taxi.</p>

INFORMATION RELATED TO ERASMUS+ KA171 MOBILITIES

TYPES OF MOBILITIES

<p>STAFF MOBILITIES</p> <p>There are two types of staff mobility: Staff Mobility for Training (STT) Open to both academic and administrative staff. Staff Mobility for Teaching (STA) Open to academic staff. A minimum of 8 teaching hours (or course-related activities) must be planned. For both mobility types, a minimum duration of 5 days is required.</p>	<p><i>Mobility Procedures</i></p> <p>Tarsus University announces a call for staff mobility through the Erasmus Institutional Coordination Office and publishes the application and evaluation procedures for academic and administrative staff.</p> <p>The selected staff members prepare the required documents, including the Mobility Agreement and official approval documents with the planned mobility dates.</p> <p>The host university (Erasmus Office) issues the Letter of Acceptance for the mobility period. Grant agreements and payment procedures are carried out by the host university (Erasmus Office) according to Erasmus+ KA171 rules.</p>
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	<p>Staff members receive individual and travel support. *Travel support is provided according to the Erasmus+ distance bands. In addition, staff members may receive up to 2 additional days of individual support for travel days, provided that the travel dates differ from the mobility activity dates. One day may be granted for departure and one day for return travel. *Supporting documents such as boarding passes and passport entry-exit stamps/records must be kept in order to verify the travel dates.</p>
Grading System	<p>Percentage Course Grade Coefficient</p> <p>90-100 AA 4 85-89 BA 3.5 80-84 BB 3 75-79 CB 2.5 70-74 CC 2 65-69 DC 1.5 60-64 DD 1 50-59 FD 0.5 49 and below FF 0</p>
<p>STUDENT MOBILITIES Student Mobility for Studies Students from partner institutions can study at the host university for one academic term. Applications must be submitted within the official deadlines of the academic year. Student Mobility for Traineeship Students can carry out a traineeship at the host institution to gain work or research experience for a period of 2–3 months. This mobility can take place at any time of the year. Doctoral Student Mobilities Both short-term and long-term doctoral mobilities are available. Short-term doctoral students may participate in either type of mobility (study or traineeship) for a duration of 5 to 30 days.</p>	<p><i>Mobility Procedures</i> Students are selected according to the home university’s criteria. A minimum B1/B2 English level is required. Selection criteria—such as level of study, number of mobilities, and specific requirements—should be agreed upon between the institutions. The selection process must be transparent and open to all eligible students. Selected students must be nominated with an official decision document issued by the home university. Students prepare their Learning Agreement (for studies or traineeship) and submit their application to the host university (Erasmus Office). The host university (Erasmus Office) issues the Letter of Acceptance and begins the mobility procedures. Students receive a monthly grant, 80% of which is paid in advance. The remaining 20% is paid after all mobility requirements are completed.</p>
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