



ERASMUS+ PROGRAMME – KEY ACTION 1 MOBILITY FOR STUDIES

LANGUAGE OF TEACHING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CYPRUS

Language of teaching

The official language of teaching at the University of Cyprus is Greek.

It is advisable that students have at least basic knowledge in Greek.

If they don't, they are STRONGLY advised to attend the Greek intensive courses offered at the School of Modern Greek of the University.

If they do not speak Greek they need to have a knowledge of English of B2.

Students must send along with their application documents, official examination certificates such as TOEFL, IGCSE or other similar.

In case these are not available the students must present a certificate from their home university which verifies their knowledge of English Language up to level B2 and at the same time indicate on their Transcript of Records the English courses that the students attended and their level. **It is up to the host department to decide whether this certificate is considered enough for the student's acceptance.**

The School of Economics is the only School of the University currently offering a large number of courses in English. Most of the other departments of the University offer few courses in English but not a full programme. Students may combine courses from departments of the same School and may also choose 1-2 courses from other Schools provided the majority of courses is selected from the department with which the Erasmus + agreement exists.

Incoming Erasmus students have the possibility to do assignments or even tutorials in English as many foreign students have done in the past **provided they agree this with the academics in their departments.**

There is bibliography in English and hence students should ask the academics teaching the subject they are interested to provide titles in English **if available.**

Communication language

Almost all if not all people at the University and in the country in general speak English and nobody should have any communication problems.