



MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY  
(METU)  
FACT SHEET  
2018 -2019 Academic Year

Name of Institution	Middle East Technical University
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Application	<b>STUDENTS:</b> Via E-mail, until July 15,2018 (for Fall Semester and Academic Year) Via E-mail, until November 15,2018 (for Spring Semester)

#### Semester 1 (Fall)

Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 week before the classes start. Registration is completed during the orientation week.
Classes Start	October 1, 2018
Classes End	January 4, 2019
Final Exam Period:	January 7-19, 2019
Preferred Departure Date	After the final exam period (January 19, 2019)

#### Semester 2 (Spring)

Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 weeks before the classes start Registration completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	February 11, 2019
Classes End	May 17, 2019
Final Exam Period:	May 20– June 1, 2019
Preferred Departure Date	After the final exam period (June 1, 2019)

#### Academic and Enrollment Information

Website for the Course Catalog	<a href="https://catalog.metu.edu.tr/">https://catalog.metu.edu.tr/</a> <a href="http://oibs3.metu.edu.tr/View_Program_Course_Details_64/main.php">http://oibs3.metu.edu.tr/View_Program_Course_Details_64/main.php</a>
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What is the <b>minimum</b> enrollment requirement for exchange students (number of credits)?	Erasmus students are required to obtain 30 ECTS and other exchange programs students are advised to take at least 4 courses.
Nomination	Official nomination by the home institutions via mail to <a href="mailto:icm@metu.edu.tr">icm@metu.edu.tr</a> (for non-European mobility)
Deadline	Anytime before application closes.
Language Requirements (such as proficiency tests)	English language proficiency level of B1 or TOEFL IBT 79 is strongly recommended, English proficiency test scores from home institution is also accepted.
Language(s) of Instruction	English only.

### Nomination and Application

Application	Only official applications sent by the home institutions via e-mail to <a href="mailto:icm@metu.edu.tr">icm@metu.edu.tr</a> will be evaluated. Individual applications from students will not be evaluated.
Deadline for application	July 15,2018 (for Fall Semester and Academic Year) November 15,2018 (for Spring Semester)
<b>Application Documents</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Application form</li> <li>• Copy of Passport / National ID Card</li> <li>• Transcript (in English)</li> <li>• A health insurance valid in Turkey must be made; it is recommended to be purchased in Turkey</li> <li>• Scanned copies are accepted. Only pdf files will be accepted for scanned copies.</li> <li>• Photos of official documents are not accepted.</li> </ul>	

### Accommodation and Other Services

Accommodation application	Information about on campus accommodation will be sent to selected students after the application deadline.
Type of accommodation	Only on-campus accommodation in dormitories is offered by METU. Students are free to look for off-campus accommodation.
Method of payment	A deposit and the first month accommodation fee will be paid during dorm registrations after arrival at METU. The dorm fees are paid to the pre-determined banks on campus.
Date students can move into dormitories	Dormitories are open to exchange students starting from a week before the orientation program.
Disability support	Disability Support Center <a href="http://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/">http://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/</a>
Health issues on campus	METU Medical Center <a href="http://www.mc.metu.edu.tr/index-eng.php">http://www.mc.metu.edu.tr/index-eng.php</a>