

Application Requirements

The application and evaluation procedures for international candidates (graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools) seeking admission to the associate and undergraduate programs of Karamanoğlu Mehmetbey University shall be carried out according to the schedule below, within the framework of the “Principles Regarding the Admission of Students from Abroad” published by the Council of Higher Education (YÖK) (<https://egitim.yok.gov.tr/tr/page/594>), the relevant legislation, and the “Application and Registration Guide” to be announced by our University.

Application Procedures for Quotas for Graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools

Applications will be accepted from candidates who are “Graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools” for the quotas specified in the Guide.

The general principles, application requirements, and procedures for determining quotas shall be carried out within the framework of the “Principles Regarding the Admission of Students from Abroad” published by the Council of Higher Education and the relevant legislation.

Applications shall be evaluated on the basis of the candidate’s secondary education achievement score (diploma grade) and, if available, the candidate’s TR-YÖS score from the last two years.

Applications to our University shall be submitted electronically (https://obs.kmu.edu.tr/oibs/foa_app/). Applications submitted in person or by post will not be considered. All information entered into the system in electronic applications must be complete and accurate.

If it is determined that an application contains incomplete or incorrect information, the candidate’s application shall be deemed invalid. All announcements concerning applications, examinations, placement, and registration will be published on the website of the International Student Coordination Office (<https://kmue.edu.tr/yos/en>). All candidates are responsible for following these announcements.

Türkiye Maarif Vakfı Okulları Mezunlarına Yönelik Kontenjanlara Application Procedures

Applications will be accepted from candidates who are “Graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools” and who took the 2025 TR-YÖS or 2026 TR-YÖS examination. Applications to our University shall be submitted electronically (https://obs.kmu.edu.tr/oibs/foa_app/). Applications submitted in person or by post will not be considered. All information entered into the system in

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Quotas and Minimum Scores

The quota information for the departments/programs of our University allocated to “Graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools” for the quotas remaining vacant following the first placement for the 2026–2027 academic year, within the framework of the relevant legislation, is provided below:

Quotas for Graduates of Türkiye Maarif Foundation Schools (KMÜ-2026-2027)					
KARAMANOĞLU MEHMETBEY UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC UNIT	DEPARTMENT/PROGRA M NAME	DURATIO N OF STUDY	PROGRAM LANGUAGE	TURKISH PREPARATOR Y PROGRAM	2026 QUOTAS ‘Maarif Vakfi’
FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIV E SCIENCES	ECONOMICS	4	Turkish	Turkish	2
FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIV E SCIENCES	BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION	4	Turkish	Turkish	2
FACULTY OF ECONOMICS AND ADMINISTRATIV E SCIENCES	POLİTİCAL SCIENCE AND PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION	4	Turkish	Turkish	2
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING	COMPUTER ENGINEERING	4	Turkish	Turkish	3
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING	ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONICS ENGINEERING	4	Turkish	Turkish	2
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING	MECHANICAL ENGINEERING	4	Turkish	Turkish	2
FACULTY OF ENGINEERING	METALLURGY AND MATERIALS ENGINEERING	4	Turkish	Turkish	2

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FACULTY OF APPLIED SCIENCES	OF	INTERNATIONAL TRADE AND LOGISTICS	4	Turkish	Turkish	3
FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES	OF	HEALTH MANAGEMENT	4	Turkish	Turkish	2

Quotas may be updated in accordance with the relevant legislation.

Preference, Evaluation, and Placement Procedures

Candidates must obtain a minimum score of 50 for their application to the announced programs to be valid and for them to be eligible for placement.

The candidate's secondary education achievement score (diploma grade) obtained abroad shall be used as the basis for calculating the placement score.

Placement shall be made for the number of candidates corresponding to the available quota, starting with the candidate with the highest score and taking candidates' order of program preferences into consideration.

Candidates' secondary education grade averages obtained abroad shall be evaluated taking into account the grading system of the country from which they graduated. They shall be incorporated into the placement score using the conversion table determined by the University.

Candidates may select 1 (one) program on the dates specified in the schedule included in the KMU Application and Registration Guide.

Preferences cannot be submitted outside the periods specified in the schedule.

Applications shall be evaluated by the Commission. Applications from candidates who are found not to meet the application requirements shall not be considered.

In determining the candidates entitled to final registration for a program, priority shall be given among candidates who have selected the same program to the candidate with the higher placement score. In the event of a tie, the candidate who ranked the relevant program higher in their preferences shall be given the right to register. If the tie persists, priority shall be given to the younger candidate (i.e., the candidate with the more recent date of birth).

Following the evaluation and placement procedures, the list of candidates entitled to register will be announced at <https://kmu.edu.tr/yos/tr>.

The results will also be available to candidates through the application system, and candidates

placed in a program will receive an admission letter at the e-mail address registered in the system.

Registration

For registration, candidates must apply in person to the KMU Student Affairs Office on the specified dates, or the application may be submitted by their legal representative.

For registration, a Foreign National Identification Number (YKN) must be obtained from the authorities of the Republic of Türkiye. Candidates will be registered upon personally presenting the original passport and the identity card issued by their home country to the Student Affairs Office for the purpose of obtaining the YKN.

If documents are missing (other than the original passport and the identity card issued by the candidate's home country), provisional registration may be completed provided that the student submits a written undertaking and presents the missing documents by the specified deadline. Candidates who do not register within the specified dates shall be deemed to have waived their right to register. The following documents are required for final registration:

- 1) Ortaöğretimini Türkiye Cumhuriyeti dışında tamamlayan T.C. vatandaşı veya mavi kartlı adaylar için yurt içinde il millî eğitim müdürlüklerinden, yurt dışında ise eğitim müşavirlikleri/ ataşeliklerinden alınacak **denklik belgesi**,
- 2) The original high school diploma of candidates who have graduated and a Turkish translation certified by a notary public or by an Embassy/Consulate of the Republic of Türkiye. (Candidates currently in the final year of high school must provide an approved document stating that they are expected to graduate.)
- 3) The original transcript/grade report and a Turkish translation certified by a notary public or by an Embassy/Consulate of the Republic of Türkiye. (Candidates who are citizens of Kazakhstan or Turkmenistan do not need to provide a separate document because their transcripts are included with their diplomas.)
- 4) For applicants under 18 years of age: a) the original birth certificate bearing an apostille and a Turkish translation certified by a notary public or by an Embassy/Consulate of the Republic of Türkiye; b) if one of the parents is not present, the original apostilled consent document of the absent

parent and a Turkish translation certified by a notary public or by an Embassy/Consulate of the Republic of Türkiye,

- 5) Foreign Language Proficiency Certificate (if available),
- 6) Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate (if available),
- 7) The original passport or identity document issued by official authorities,
- 8) 2 photographs (if available),
- 9) The original GCE AL examination results document for candidates who are citizens of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) and who completed all of their secondary education at high schools in the TRNC,
- 10) Other specific documents, if any, required by the relevant departments and programs for final registration. Tuition Fee: The tuition fee will be determined by the KMU Senate following the decision of the Presidency of the Republic of Türkiye and announced on the website of the International Student Coordination Office. (<https://kmu.edu.tr/yos/tr>)

Tuition Fee:

[The student contribution to current service costs in higher education institutions during the 2026-2027 academic year, as stated in the Decision on Determining Contribution Fees and Tuition Fees \(Decision Number: 11625\),](#) shall be collected as twice the current service cost.

[KMU 2026–2027 Academic Year Student Contributions and Tuition Fees](#)

Turkish Language Proficiency and Preparatory Education

Students who do not pass or do not take the Turkish Language Proficiency and Placement Test administered by our University must attend Turkish preparatory education at KMU TÖMER.

The course fees for Turkish preparatory education are determined and announced by KMU TÖMER. Turkish language proficiency and preparatory education shall be conducted according to the following principles:

- 1) Students who complete final registration are required to provide a Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate. Certificates issued by the Yunus Emre Institute, TÖMER course completion certificates,

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or the results of the Proficiency and Placement Test administered by our University are accepted as Turkish Language Proficiency Certificates. Certificates issued by the Yunus Emre Institute or TÖMER must have been obtained within the two years preceding the date of registration at the University. The validity of these documents shall be determined by TÖMER.

2) Students who cannot provide a Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate must take the Proficiency and Placement Test administered by KMU TÖMER. The equivalency table prepared by KMU TÖMER (Table 1) shall be used as the basis for evaluation.

3) Students who cannot provide a Proficiency Certificate, who do not pass the Proficiency and Placement Test, or who do not take the test must attend Turkish preparatory education at KMU TÖMER. The duration of Turkish preparatory education is one year. Students who fail at the end of this period shall be granted an additional one-year period, which shall count toward the period of education. The maximum duration of Turkish preparatory education is two years. Students who fail due to absenteeism during Turkish preparatory education shall have their registration cancelled.

4) Students who, for various reasons, wish to receive Turkish preparatory education at a TÖMER affiliated with another state university must submit proof of their registration and placement within 30 days after leaving TÖMER. The registrations of students who submit these documents shall be considered frozen for one year. These students must submit their Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate to KMU TÖMER by the end of business hours on the last working day of July. Otherwise, their registration shall be cancelled.

5) The achievement status of students receiving Turkish preparatory education shall be sent by KMU TÖMER to the Student Affairs Office at the end of the preparatory education.

Table 1: Karamanoğlu Mehmetbey University Turkish Language Teaching, Application and Research Center (TÖMER) Language Level Equivalency Table

Score Range (out of 100)	Level	Language Levels Established Based on the European Union Language Portfolio	Proficiency Statements Accepted by TÖMER for Students
0-25	Basic-1	A1	- Their Turkish proficiency is insufficient.
			- They will be enrolled in Turkish preparatory education.
26-60	Basic-2	A2	- Their Turkish proficiency is insufficient.

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			- They will be enrolled in Turkish preparatory education.
61-65	Orta-1	B1	- Their Turkish proficiency is insufficient. - They will be enrolled in Turkish preparatory education.
66-74	Orta-2	B2	- Their Turkish proficiency is insufficient. - They will be enrolled in Turkish preparatory education.
75-80	Orta-3	B3	- Their Turkish is partially sufficient. - Education in higher education institution They can start. However, in addition to their teaching They must take Turkish language education for at least one semester.
81-100	İleri (Yüksek)	C1	Their Turkish is sufficient. They may immediately start higher education.

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International Student Program Application Dates	September 11-16, 2026
Announcement of Placement Results	September 18, 2026
Turkish Proficiency Exam for Accepted Candidates	September 18, 2026 – November 30, 2026
Final Registration Date for Accepted Candidates	September 18, 2026 - November 30, 2026



KMU Application System

https://obs.kmu.edu.tr/oibs/foa_app/