



ENROLMENT PROVISIONS
UNIVERSITY OF AMSTERDAM 2024-2025

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Introduction

These Enrolment Provisions contain procedural rules with regard to enrolment with the University of Amsterdam pursuant to Chapter 7, Title 2 and 3 of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het Hoger Onderwijs en Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek – WHW*) and the tuition fee rates for the 2024-2025 academic year and apply to students, external candidates and participants in a Pre-Master's programme and those who want to enrol as such.

The Head of the CSA is charged with the implementation of these Enrolment Provisions.

Unless otherwise determined, the dates stated in these provisions are dates that precede the 2024-2025 academic year, or the enrolment for this academic year.

Appendices to the Enrolment Provisions include an overview of the institutional tuition fee rates, the UvA regulation on study choice advice, the UvA Regulation on recommendations on choice of study programme, the UvA Regulation on selection and placement for degree programmes with an enrolment quota, the faculty regulations for individual degree programmes with an enrolment quota, and the UvA Regulation on student intake in the post-propaedeutic phase.

Abbreviations

- BVO: proof of foreign qualifications
- CSA: the Central Student Administration
- EEA: European Economic Area
- IND: Immigration and Naturalisation Service
- OER: Teaching and Examination Regulations
- PPLE: Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics
- TLM: Master's programme statement of admission
- UAF: Foundation for Refugee Students (UAF)
- UvA: the University of Amsterdam;
- WHW: the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek*)

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Chapter 1. Registration

Article 1 General enrolment conditions

1. Enrolment as a student, external candidate and participant in a Pre-Master's programme¹ is only open to those who meet the statutory educational entry requirements and admission requirements as stated in Chapter 7, Title 2 and 3 of the WHW, or those who, pursuant to the law, have been granted an exemption with regard to these educational entry requirements on behalf of the Executive Board.
2. Registrants who do not have Dutch nationality and wish to enrol at the UvA for the first time must submit a copy of a valid passport/identity card.
3. Registrants who are not nationals of a country that is part of the EEA and wish to enrol at the UvA for the first time must demonstrate that, on the first day of the degree programme in which they are enrolling, they are legally staying in the Netherlands. They can do so by means of:
 - a. a copy of the extract from the Personal Records Data Base (*Basisregistratie Personen – BRP*), or
 - b. a copy of the front and back of a valid residency permit, or
 - c. a copy of a permit for permanent residence of the registrant, or
 - d. a copy of the proof of payment or the receipt of the application for the registrant's residency permit, or
 - e. a copy of the valid passport of the registrant bearing the MVV sticker (Authorisation for Temporary Stay – *Machtiging tot Voorlopig Verblijf*), or
 - f. evidence of a request to extend a residency permit or a receipt from the IND or a request to transfer the associated charges.
4. In the event of enrolment as of 1 September, registrants must comply with the payment obligation no later than on 31 August, and, in the event of enrolment as of 1 February, no later than on 31 January, by:
 - a. giving the university a one-off direct debit mandate via Studielink to collect the tuition fee owed, in a lump sum or in instalments, or
 - b. paying the tuition fee directly via iDEAL, credit card or direct transfer, or
 - c. submitting an original tuition fee payment receipt from an institution for higher education if a statutory tuition fee is owed², or
 - d. in exceptional cases: evidence that the tuition fee owed will be paid in a different manner to be determined by the head of CSA.
5. The assessment of qualifications that were not issued in the Netherlands is subject to an application fee of €100.

Article 2 Additional enrolment requirements for a first enrolment in a Bachelor's programme

Educational entry requirements

1. For a first enrolment in a Bachelor's programme, verification of the previous (VWO) education, or evidence that one of the requirements referred to under 2, 3 or 4 has been met, must be received, via Studielink, no later than on 31 August.
2. If a registrant wishes to enrol on the basis of a first-year diploma of higher professional education (HBO) and the requirements as contained in Appendix 4 have not been met, the dean

¹ These are hereinafter referred to as *the registrant*

² Section 7.48, first subsection of the WHW

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of the faculty of which the degree programme is part must provide proof of sufficient prior education (Appendix 5).

3. A registrant who wishes to enrol on the basis of non-Dutch prior education³ or an old VWO diploma⁴ requires proof that the head of CSA has exempted them from meeting the educational entry requirements (BVO).
4. Registrants who wish to enrol on the basis of an entrance examination must submit proof from the entrance examination committee of the degree programme showing that they have proved to be suitable for the relevant programme in accordance with Section 7.29 of the WHW.

Selective degree programmes

5. For the 2024-2025 academic year, there is an enrolment quota within the meaning of Section 7.53 of the WHW for the degree programmes in Business Administration, Biomedical Sciences, Communication Science, Medicine, Political Science, Psychobiology, Psychology and Dentistry. For these degree programmes, the following additional conditions apply:
 - a. applying for the relevant degree programme, via Studielink, no later than on **15 January**, and
 - b. meeting the requirements as stated in the UvA Regulations for Selection and Placement in Degree Programmes with an Enrolment Quota, and complying with the further rules regarding the selection procedure and criteria for the relevant degree programme as laid down in Appendix 9, and
 - c. redeeming in a timely fashion the placement certificate that is provided via Studielink if the registrant has been selected for the relevant degree programme.
6. The Bachelor's programmes of Liberal Arts and Sciences and PPLE are degree programmes with a 'small-scale, intensive education' distinction within the meaning of Section 6.7 of the WHW. For these degree programmes, the following additional conditions apply:
 - a. applying for the degree programmes in Liberal Arts and Sciences and in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics, via Studielink, no later than on **1 February**, and
 - b. proof from the selection committee of the relevant degree programme that the registrant has been selected for the relevant degree programme.

Other Bachelor's programmes

7. For the non-selective Bachelor's programmes, the following additional conditions apply:
 - a. applying for the relevant degree programme, via Studielink, no later than on **1 May**, and
 - b. meeting the requirements as stated in the UvA Regulations governing Recommendations on Choice of Degree Programme, Appendix 8, which includes participation in the mandatory UvA Matching, unless the registrant has been exempted from this on the basis of these provisions.

Article 3 Further enrolment requirements for enrolment in a Pre-Master's programme

The following additional requirements apply for enrolment in a Pre-Master's programme:

- a. meeting the educational entry requirements as stated in Article 2;
- b. application for the relevant Pre-Master's programme no later than on 31 August if it concerns an enrolment as of 1 September, and no later than on 31 January if it concerns an enrolment as of 1 February, via Studielink and

³ in accordance with Section 7.28 of the WHW

⁴ for additional conditions on VWO old and VWO old style, see Appendix 4.

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- c. proof from the dean of the faculty of which the Pre-Master's programme is part showing that the registrant is admitted to the relevant Pre-Master's programme. The dean may stipulate in the OER that proof of admission to the Pre-Master's programme will only be provided if the registration has taken place at a time before 31 August or 31 January.

Article 4 Further enrolment requirements first enrolment in a Master's programme

The following additional requirements apply to a first enrolment in a Master's programme:

- a. application for the relevant Master's programme no later than on 31 August if it concerns an enrolment as of 1 September, and no later than on 31 January if it concerns an enrolment as of 1 February, via Studielink, and
- b. a confirmation of admission issued by or on behalf of the dean of the relevant Master's programme (TLM). The dean may stipulate in the OER that proof of admission to the Master's programme will only be provided if the registration has taken place at a time before 31 August or 31 January.

Article 5 Further admission requirements for re-enrolment

Students seeking to re-enrol in a degree programme must register via Studielink no later than 31 August if they are enrolling with effect from 1 September and no later than 31 January if they are enrolling with effect from 1 February.

Article 6 Cancellation and refusal of enrolment

1. Those who have applied for a degree programme via Studielink and wish to cancel the enrolment before the start of the new academic year, must communicate this, via Studielink, no later than on 31 August.⁵
2. Those who have received a negative binding study advice for a degree programme cannot enrol in the relevant degree programme and for degree programmes that have the propaedeutic phase in common with the relevant degree programme for the term as specified in the OER of the degree programme for which the study advice was received.
3. Those whose previous enrolment was terminated early in connection with serious fraud, as stipulated in Section 7.12b, second subsection of the WHW, will be refused enrolment.
4. The enrolment of those whose enrolment with UvA or another institution for higher education has been refused or terminated early because the student's actions or remarks show that they are unsuitable either for practising one or more of the professions for which the relevant programme trains students, or for the practical preparation for professional practice as laid down in Section 7.42a of the WHW, may be refused if the enrolment concerns the same or a related degree programme.
5. Those whose previous enrolment was terminated early in connection with a violation of the house rules or disciplinary measures, as stipulated in Section 7.57h, first or second subsection of the WHW, can be refused enrolment.
6. The enrolment will be refused in the event that the UvA still has claims on the registrant with regard to tuition fees, examination fees or the fee for a Pre-Master's programme.

⁵ If the registrant cancels the enrolment before the start of the academic year, via Studielink, there will be no enrolment for the relevant academic year.

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Article 7 Enrolment commencement date

1. Enrolment will only take place after all the registration requirements have been met in time.
2. Enrolment is only possible as of 1 September and, where indicated for the relevant degree programme, as of 1 February. Minor students can enrol in other months. For the Master's programme in Medicine, registrants can register in other months as well.⁶
 - a. The enrolment will be effective from **1 September** if all the registration requirements for enrolment are met before **1 September**.
 - b. The enrolment will be effective from **1 February** if the degree programme has indicated that enrolment as of 1 February is possible and **all the registration** requirements for enrolment as of 1 February are met before 1 February.
3. Enrolment with retroactive effect is not possible, unless the enrolment was demonstrably delayed by circumstances that can be blamed on UvA, or in the event that a placement certificate for a degree programme with an enrolment quota is issued just in time for it to be redeemed after 1 September.

Article 8 End date enrolment

The enrolment ends on 31 August of the relevant academic year, unless the enrolment is terminated in the interim in accordance with Article 10.

Article 9 Proof of enrolment and UvA proof of identity

1. After the enrolment obligations have been met and the registrant has been enrolled, they will be provided with proof of enrolment.
2. Upon first enrolment, an UvA proof of identity (student ID card) will be provided. In the event of loss or theft of the student ID card, a duplicate can be obtained for €15 if no police report can be submitted.

Article 10 Termination of the enrolment

1. Based on a request for termination of the enrolment submitted via Studielink, the enrolment as a student, external candidate or participant in a Pre-Master's programme will be terminated on the basis of the provisions of Section 7.42, first subsection of the WHW for the current academic year, effective from the following month.⁷ The enrolment cannot be terminated with retroactive effect.
2. The enrolment of a student who has received a negative binding study advice can be terminated on the basis of the provisions of Section 7.8b, fifth subsection of the WHW.
3. The enrolment of a student, external candidate or participant in a Pre-Master's programme can be terminated based on the following articles.
 - Section 7.12b, second subsection of the WHW, serious fraud.
 - Section 7.42, second subsection, of the WHW, failure to pay.
 - Section 7.42a of the WHW, behaviour or statements in conflict with the future professional practice.
 - Section 7.57h, first of second subsection of the WHW, violation of the house rules or disciplinary measures.

⁶ In connection with the spread intake in internships.

⁷ In the event of termination as of the month of July or August, there will be no reimbursement of the tuition fee. On that subject, and for other rules with regard to reimbursement of tuition fees, see Article 12.

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Chapter 2 Payment conditions

Article 11 Payment of the tuition fee, examination fee and the fee for a Pre-Master's programme

The tuition fee, examination fee or the fee for a Pre-Master's programme must be paid in a lump sum, or in ten instalments if the registrant enrolls as of 1 September insofar as it concerns the tuition fee or the examination fee, and in five instalments insofar as it concerns the fee for a Pre-Master's programme or an enrolment as of 1 February. In the event of payment in instalments, a one-off €24 administration fee will be charged.

1. Payment in instalments of the tuition fee, examination fee or the fee for a Pre-Master's programme is possible for all enrolment forms referred to in these provisions, under the applicable conditions.
2. In the event of payment in instalments, every instalment will be applied to the oldest outstanding claim with regard to the tuition fee, examination fee or the fee for a Pre-Master's programme of the relevant academic year on the person for whose benefit the payment has been made.
3. If a direct debit mandate has been provided for collection of the tuition fee, examination fee or the fee for a Pre-Master's programme owed, and collection is not possible, an ultimatum of a total of three collection attempts will be set, within which the amounts owed must be paid. If the amounts owed are not paid within that term, the enrolment will be terminated with due observance of the provisions of Section 7.42, second subsection of the WHW.
4. If the enrolment takes place as of a date after 1 September, the tuition fee or examination fee will be calculated in proportion to the number of months remaining of the relevant academic year.
5. A student in respect of whom the Director of Student Services has issued a statement to the effect that he/she meets the conditions with regard to the tuition fee waiver for students serving on a board as set out in part 5 of the Profiling Fund Regulations, will be exempt from paying statutory tuition fees for no more than one academic year.
6. If, in the course of the academic year, it becomes apparent that a student who has been exempted from paying statutory tuition fees in accordance with the sixth section must pay institutional tuition fees, or is attending courses at the UvA or taking examinations or final examinations at the UvA, the student will still be charged the tuition fees owed for the relevant degree programme.

Article 12 Reimbursement of the tuition fee, examination fee and the fee for a Pre-Master's programme

1. The tuition fee based on this scheme will be reimbursed after termination as referred to in Section 7.42, first subsection of the WHW, on the understanding that for each month that is left of the academic year, one-twelfth of the tuition fee owed will be reimbursed, with due observance of the provisions of the second paragraph. The tuition fee will only be reimbursed if the enrolment in all degree programmes is terminated.
2. If enrolment is terminated with effect from July or August, there will be no entitlement to a reimbursement of tuition fee.⁸

⁸ With reference to Article 12, second paragraph of these provisions, this means that if the request is submitted in the month of June, July or August before the termination of the enrolment, there is no entitlement to reimbursement of the tuition fee for the months of July and August.

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3. In the event that the tuition fee has been paid to another institution by means of an original tuition fee payment receipt of UvA, the request for reimbursement of the tuition fee will only be complied with after the original tuition fee payment receipt or proof of termination of the enrolment from another institution has been submitted.
4. Upon termination of the enrolment in a Pre-Master's programme or as an external candidate, there is no entitlement to reimbursement of the fee or the examination fee, respectively.

Article 13 Administration fee

Those who wish to obtain a degree certificate as referred to in Section 7.11 of the WHW and cannot submit the relevant proof of enrolment will not obtain the degree certificate until a fee to the amount of the tuition fee owed for the period(s) in which there was no enrolment, but in which the students passed the interim examinations associated with the examination (with the official entry dates being taken as the commencement dates), plus a €200 administration fee has been paid.

Chapter 3 Statutory tuition fee

Article 14 Tuition fee rates

1. For the 2024-2025 academic year, the following statutory and other tuition fee rates apply:
 - a. full statutory tuition fee €2,530;
 - b. reduced statutory tuition fee €1,265;
 - c. partial statutory tuition fee €2,156;
 - d. reduced partial statutory tuition fee €1,078;
 - e. full statutory tuition fee for the intensive small-scale programmes Liberal Arts and Sciences (€4,940) and Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics (€5,060).
2. The tuition fee rate owed is determined on the basis of the information known to the institution, via Studielink, at the time of the enrolment. In the event that, at a later stage, the tuition fee rate proves to have been determined on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information, the institution reserves the right to charge the correct fee retroactively.

Article 15 Statutory tuition fee full-time degree programme

1. Those who enrol in a full-time degree programme as students and, at the start of the academic year, meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, first, second, third or sixth subsection of the WHW owe the full statutory tuition fee of €2,530.
2. Those who enrol in a full-time degree programme as students and meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, fifth subsection of the WHW owe the reduced statutory tuition fee of €1,265.
3. Those who enrol in the joint degree Bachelor's programme in Liberal Arts and Sciences or the Bachelor's programme in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics as students and, at the start of the academic year, meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, first, second, third or sixth subsection of the WHW owe the full statutory tuition fee for intensive small-scale programmes as referred to in Article 14, first paragraph, under e.

Article 16 Statutory tuition fee part-time degree programme

1. Those who enrol in a part-time degree programme as students and, at the start of the academic year, meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, first, second, third or sixth subsection of the WHW owe the partial statutory tuition fee of €2,156.

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2. Those who enrol in a part-time degree programme as students and, at the start of the academic year, meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, fifth subsection of the WHW owe the reduced partial statutory tuition fee of €1,078.

Article 17 Statutory tuition fee dual degree programmes

1. Those who enrol in a dual degree programme as students and, at the start of the academic year, meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, first, second, third or sixth subsection of the WHW owe the full statutory tuition fee of €2,530.

Chapter 4 Institutional tuition fee rates

Article 18 Institutional tuition fees, full-time, part-time and dual degree programmes

1. Those who enrol in a full-time, part-time or dual degree programme as students and do not meet the requirements pursuant to Section 7.45a, first, second, third, fifth or sixth subsection of the WHW owe an institutional tuition fee equal to the institutional rate as stated in Appendix 1, unless the Executive Board determines otherwise (Appendix 2 and 3).
2. Students from countries outside of the EEA who enrol via the UAF pay the same rates as students from countries within the EEA.
3. The tuition fee rate owed is determined on the basis of the information known to the institution, via Studielink, at the time of the enrolment. In the event that, at a later stage, the tuition fee rate proves to have been determined on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information, the institution reserves the right to charge the correct fee retroactively.

Article 19 Institutional tuition fee in the event of enrolment in more than one programme

1. Those who are enrolled with another Dutch institution for higher education as students and have paid the institutional rate there will owe the full institutional rate upon enrolment with UvA if the relevant person is not entitled to the statutory rate with UvA, without prejudice to the below conditions.
2. Those who are enrolled with an institution or degree programme as students, as stated in Appendix 3 to these provisions, and have paid the institutional rate will, when enrolling at the UvA as students and providing proof of the tuition fee paid, be exempt from paying the tuition fee to UvA. A student who has paid the institutional rate to UvA and enrolls as a student for a second or subsequent degree programme at the UvA that is also subject to an institutional rate will be exempt from paying the tuition fee for the degree programme for which the lowest institutional tuition fee is owed.
3. Those who are enrolled with another Dutch institution for higher education and have paid the institutional rate there will, when enrolling at the UvA as *minor students*, be exempt from paying the tuition fee if the tuition fee paid to the other institution is higher than or equal to the institutional tuition fee owed at the UvA. If the tuition fee paid to the student's own institution is lower than UvA's tuition fee, only the difference needs to be paid.

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Article 20 Scheme for students who, immediately after their first, enrol at the UvA for a second Bachelor's or Master's programme.

For students who, after completing their first Bachelor's programme at the UvA for which statutory tuition fees were due, enrol in a second Bachelor's programme at the UvA or, after completing their first Master's programme at the UvA, enrol in a second Master's programme at the UvA, the institutional fee is equal to the statutory fee if the following conditions have been met:

1. the first Bachelor's or Master's degree was obtained at the UvA, and
2. the first Bachelor's or Master's degree obtained at the UvA was obtained within the applicable official duration of the degree programme + 1 year (c+1), and
3. the enrolment in the second Bachelor's or Master's programme at the UvA takes place immediately after the enrolment in the first Bachelor's or Master's programme at the UvA, and
4. the institutional fee to the amount of the statutory tuition fee applies for the official duration + 1 year (c+1) of the second Bachelor's or Master's programme at the UvA and, in the event of continuous enrolment, for the second Bachelor's or Master's programme, and
5. the second Bachelor's or Master's programme is completed within the official duration + 1 year (c+1) of the degree programme.

The higher institutional fee will apply if these conditions are not met.

The higher institutional fee will be charged retroactively if at any time it appears that these conditions are not being met.

If a pre-Master's programme representing a maximum of 60 ECTS⁹ is completed at the UvA immediately after completion of the first Master's programme at the UvA, and if enrolment in a second Master's programme at the UvA takes place immediately after this and all other conditions listed in this article are also met, enrolment in the second Master's programme at the UvA will also be subject to the conditions for contiguous follow-on Master's programmes.

Article 21 Transitional arrangement for students who enrol in a Bachelor's or Master's programme at the UvA before or on 1 September 2023

Students who enrol in a Bachelor's or a Master's programme at the UvA before or on 1 September 2023 and owe an institutional tuition fee in respect thereof will – insofar as the institutional tuition fee for the relevant Bachelor's or Master's programme exceeds the institutional tuition fee that applied for the relevant programme at the start of the degree programme, and the enrolment is not interrupted for the nominal duration of the degree programme plus one academic year – owe the institutional tuition fee rate to the amount of the institutional tuition fee rate that applied at the start of the relevant Bachelor's or Master's programme.¹⁰

Chapter 5 Costs of a Pre-master's programme and examination fees

Article 22 Fee for enrolment in a Pre-Master's programme

1. Those who already have a Bachelor's diploma and, for the 2024-2025 academic year, enrol in a Bachelor's programme in order to take the Pre-Master's programme and be admitted to a Master's programme at the UvA will owe a fee to the amount of €42.17 per EC for this Pre-Master's programme, to a maximum of €2,530.

⁹ If the Pre-Master's programme is taken within one academic year.

¹⁰ This concerns the institutional tuition fees as set in the relevant Enrolment Provisions, without any discounts or allowances applied in connection with COVID-19.

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2. Those who are enrolled in a Pre-Master's programme and are also taking a course for which a statutory tuition fee is owed will be exempt from paying the fee for the Pre-Master's programme once proof is provided that this tuition fee has been or will be paid.
3. Those who are enrolled in a Pre-Master's programme and take examinations or final examinations concerning units of study or degree programmes that are part of the Pre-Master's programme will owe the institutional tuition fee rate in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 4.

Article 23 Examination fee external candidates

Those who enrol in a degree programme as external candidates will owe an examination fee per degree programme, to the amount of the full statutory tuition fee owed in the event of full-time enrolment.

Article 24 Recalculation of the fee for a Pre-master's programme or examination fee

The fee owed for a Pre-master's programme and the examination fee are determined on the basis of the information that is known to UvA, via Studielink, at the time of the enrolment. In the event that, at a later stage, the tuition fee rate proves to have been determined on the basis of incorrect or incomplete information, the correct fee will be charged retroactively.

Chapter 6 Hardship clause and implementing regulation

Article 25 Hardship clause

The Executive Board may derogate from these Enrolment Provisions if a provision in these regulations would result in an exceptional case of extreme unfairness.

Article 26 Implementation of the Enrolment Provisions

The Head of the CSA is charged with the implementation of these Enrolment Provisions.

Article 27 Entry into effect and short title

1. These provisions enter into effect as of 1 October 2023 and apply to enrolments for the 2024-2025 academic year.
2. These provisions can be referred to as 'UvA Enrolment Provisions 2024-2025'.

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III Explanation of determination of the rates Enrolment Provisions for the University of Amsterdam 2024-2025

Statutory tuition fees

Full and reduced statutory tuition fee

Section 7.45 of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het Hoger onderwijs en Wetenschappelijk onderzoek – WHW*) stipulates that the amount of the statutory tuition fee is determined by order in council. This is worked out in further detail in Sections 2.2 and 2.4 through 2.4f of the WHW Implementation Decree 2008 and in Section 9 of the Regulations on the Financing of Higher Education. In accordance with the Ministerial Regulation amending the Higher Education Finance Regulation, published on 2 June 2023, the full statutory tuition fee for the 2024-2025 academic year has been set at €2,530. Starting from 1 September 2018, the WHW provides for a reduced statutory tuition fee as well as the full statutory tuition fee. This has created a basis for the Minister to reduce the statutory tuition fee for certain groups of students. Pursuant to the decision of 25 May 2023 to amend the WHW Implementation Decree 2008, the entitlement to halve the tuition fee will largely lapse with effect from 1 September 2024. In accordance with a transitional arrangement for students who were already enrolled in a teacher training programme before 1 September 2024 and were entitled to a reduced statutory tuition fee (Section 7.1c of the WHW Implementation Decree 2008), they will continue to be entitled to this in the 2024-2025 academic year.

Increased statutory tuition fee for degree programmes with the ‘small-scale, intensive education’ distinction

In June 2012 and August 2014 respectively, the joint degree Bachelor’s programme in Liberal Arts and Sciences of the Amsterdam University College and the Bachelor’s programme in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics were awarded the ‘small-scale, intensive education’ distinction of the NVAO (Section 6.7 of the WHW). For these degree programmes, a higher tuition fee is owed pursuant to Section 6.7, first and fifth subsection of the WHW.

Part-time rate

The partial statutory tuition fee as determined for the 2023-2024 academic year has been indexed in line with the indexing of the full statutory tuition fee. The reduced partial statutory tuition fee is equal to half of the partial statutory tuition fee.

Institutional tuition fee rates

Students who do not meet the requirements for the statutory tuition fee (cf. Section 7.45a, first, second, third and fifth subsection of the WHW) will owe the higher institutional fee unless a certain exceptional rule applies. The institutional tuition fee is determined by the institutional management in accordance with Section 7.46 of the WHW. On 3 April 2020, the Executive Board determined the policy for the institutional tuition fee rates for the period from 2021-2022 through 2027-2028. This provides for a number of starting principles for establishing a method to determine the rate. The first starting principle is that the institutional tuition fee rate must, in principle, at least cover the costs. Since degree programme costs are not defined per unit, an attempt has been made to find the best possible alternative for calculating this tuition fee. The opportunity costs are the economic costs, which put a value on the (unrealised) yield of the best possible alternative. The rates are based on the lost (corrected) government grant, calculated on the basis of the three-year average of the most

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recent, definitively adopted government grant. The government grant consists of a portion for education and a portion for research for funded students, plus the full statutory tuition fees for the relevant academic year. The rates are differentiated – low, high or top – based on the feasibility. This method does justice to the difference made in the government grant (funding level). An additional fee (surcharge) is usually requested from non-EEA students on account of additional costs incurred by the university for providing indirect support. In those cases in which the institutional tuition fee rates increase compared to the preceding academic year, transitional provisions apply, pursuant to which students who have already started on the degree programme will owe an institutional tuition fee rate to the amount of the institutional tuition fee rate of the academic year preceding the increase, plus indexation, for the nominal duration of the degree programme.

In a number of cases, the Executive Board has set a different tuition fee rate. These exceptions are included in – among others – Appendix 2 and 3 to the Enrolment Provisions. The entire policy document can be found on UvA website.

Tuition fee second degree programme

The WHW stipulates that one of the conditions for an entitlement to a statutory tuition fee is that the student has not obtained a Bachelor's degree or Master's degree before. This does not apply if the second degree programme is a first enrolment in a degree programme in the field of education or health care. In addition, pursuant to Section 7.45a, third subsection and the WHW Implementation Decree 2008, students who enrol in a second Bachelor's programme while still enrolled in a first Bachelor's programme, or enrol in a second Master's programme while still enrolled in a first Master's programme, may – after obtaining the diploma for the first degree programme – complete the second at the full statutory tuition fee, provided that the enrolment is not interrupted.

Pre-Master's students

Pursuant to Section 7.49b of the WHW, the institutional management determines the fee owed for a Pre-Master's programme. Pursuant to Section 7.49b of the WHW, those who already have a Bachelor's diploma and enrol in a Bachelor's programme at the UvA to take the Pre-Master's programme in order to prepare for enrolment in a Master's programme at the UvA owe a fee amounting to no more than a proportionate part of the full statutory tuition fee for support with a study load of less than 60 EC, and amounting to no more than the full statutory tuition fee for support with a study load of 60 EC or more. Students who do not belong to any of the groups referred to in Section 2.2 of the Student Finance Act 2000 and who are not nationals of Suriname (students from non-EEA countries) owe *at least* the statutory tuition fee (or a proportionate part thereof). Those who are enrolled in a Pre-Master's programme and are also taking a degree programme for which a statutory tuition fee as referred to in Section 7.45, first subsection of the WHW is owed will be exempt from paying the fee for the Pre-Master's programme, provided that it is demonstrated that the relevant tuition fee has been or will be paid.

Regulations on second degree programme at the UvA immediately after the first degree programme

For students who enrol in a second Bachelor's programme at the UvA immediately after completing their first Bachelor's programme at the UvA (for which a statutory tuition fee is due) within the nominal duration + 1 year or enrol in a second Master's programme at the UvA immediately after completing their first Master's programme at the UvA (for which a statutory tuition fee is due) within the nominal duration + 1 year, transitional provisions apply under strict conditions. The third condition stipulates that the enrolment in the second degree programme must take place immediately after completion of the first degree programme. In order to determine what qualifies as 'immediately



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after', the student is dependent on the possible entry times of the second degree programme. It has been agreed with CSR that, after completion of a first Master's programme at the UvA, a consecutive Master's programme at the UvA includes enrolment in a second Master's programme at the UvA immediately after completion of a required Pre-Master's programme at the UvA, provided that the other conditions are complied with as well. For the sake of clarity: this means that a Pre-Master's programme (of a maximum of 60 ECTS within one academic year) has been taken, immediately after completion of a first Master's programme at the UvA within a course duration + 1 year (i.e. Master's/Pre-Master's/Master's, rather than Bachelor's/Pre-Master's/Master's) and the Pre-Master's programme at the UvA is immediately followed by an enrolment in a second Master's programme at the UvA. The nominal duration of a part-time degree programme is the nominal duration of the full-time version of the same degree programme, times two.

Entry into effect and scope

The Enrolment Provisions enter into effect on 1 October 2023 and pertain to applications for enrolment and termination of enrolment for the 2024-2025 academic year. The Enrolment Provisions do not apply to postgraduate Master's programmes or contract teaching.



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Appendix 1

UvA institutional tuition fee rates for the 2024-2025 academic year

Institutional tuition fees for second or subsequent degree programme*	
€8,700	for Bachelor's programmes of the Faculty of Humanities, the Faculty of Economics and Business and Amsterdam Law School, with the exception of the Bachelor's programme in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics (PPLE).
€10,500	for Bachelor's programmes of the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, with the exception of the Bachelor's programme in Computational Social Science.
€12,200	for Bachelor's programmes at the Faculty of Science and the Bachelor's programme in Medical Informatics at the Faculty of Medicine (AMC).
€14,000	for the Bachelor's programme in Computational Social Science at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Science.
€22,400	for the Bachelor's programme in Medicine and for the Bachelor's programme in Dentistry.
€13,000	for the Bachelor's programme in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics (PPLE).
€12,000	for the one-year teacher training programmes at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences (Master's, ILO).
€15,700	for the one-year Master's programmes at Amsterdam Law School, the Faculty of Humanities and the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€22,400	for the one-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Science.
€17,300	for the one-year and two-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, with the exception of the one-year teacher training programmes (Master's, ILO).
€11,300	for the two-year Master's programmes at Amsterdam Law School and the Faculty of Humanities, with the exception of the two-year Master's programme in Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage.
€15,800	for the two-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Science, the two-year Master's programme in Medical Informatics at the Faculty of Medicine (AMC) and the two-year Master's programme in Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage at the Faculty of Humanities.
€24,900	for the three-year Master's programme in Medicine and the three-year Master's programme in Dentistry.
*This concerns a second or subsequent degree programme within the meaning of Article 7.45a, paragraph 1 of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (WHW). The degree programmes do not concern joint degrees.	



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Institutional tuition fees for second or subsequent degree programme*, joint degrees	
€12,200	for the joint degree Bachelor's programmes in Chemistry and Physics and Astronomy at the Faculty of Science.
€13,790	for the Bachelor's programme in Liberal Arts and Sciences (AUC)
€17,000	for the Tinbergen Institute Master of Philosophy in Economics (Tinbergen Graduate School) and the joint degree Research Master's programme in Business Data Science at the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€15,768	for the joint degree Master's programme in Entrepreneurship at the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€15,800	for the joint degree Master's programmes in Chemistry, Physics and Astronomy, Computational Science, Computer Science and Bioinformatics and Systems Biology at the Faculty of Science.
€11,630	for the joint degree Master's programme in primary education teaching at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences.
*This concerns a second degree programme within the meaning of Article 7.45a, paragraph 1 of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (WHW).	

Institutional tuition fees for non-EEA students*	
€9,570	for Bachelor's programmes at the Faculty of Humanities and Amsterdam Law School.
€13,200	for Bachelor's programmes of the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, with the exception of the Bachelor's programme in Computational Social Science.
€10,500	for Bachelor's programmes at the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€13,420	for Bachelor's programmes at the Faculty of Science and the Bachelor's programme in Medical Informatics at the Faculty of Medicine (AMC).
€15,500	for the Bachelor's programme in Computational Social Science at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Science.
€24,640	for the Bachelor's programme in Medicine and for the Bachelor's programme in Dentistry.
€14,300	for the Bachelor's programme in Politics, Psychology, Law and Economics (PPLE).
€13,200	for the one-year teacher training programmes at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences (Master's, ILO).
€19,030	for the one-year Master's programmes at Amsterdam Law School.
€24,640	for the one-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Science.
€17,270	for the one-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Economics and Business offered by the Amsterdam School of Economics.



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€17,700	for the one-year and two-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences, with the exception of the one-year teacher training programmes (Master's, ILO).
€19,030	for the one-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Economics and Business offered by the Amsterdam Business School.
€12,430	for the two-year Master's programmes at Amsterdam Law School and the Faculty of Humanities, with the exception of the two-year Master's programme in Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage.
€17,380	for the two-year Master's programmes at the Faculty of Science, the two-year Master's programme in Medical Informatics at the Faculty of Medicine (AMC) and the two-year Master's programme in Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage at the Faculty of Humanities.
€27,390	for the three-year Master's programme in Medicine and the three-year Master's programme in Dentistry.
*This concerns non-EEA students within the meaning of Article 7.45a, paragraph 1 of the WHW. The degree programmes do not concern joint degrees.	

Institutional tuition fees for non-EEA students*, joint degrees	
€13,420	for the joint degree Bachelor's programmes in Chemistry and Physics and Astronomy at the Faculty of Science.
€13,790	for the Bachelor's programme in Liberal Arts and Sciences (AUC).
€17,000	for the Tinbergen Institute Master of Philosophy in Economics (Tinbergen Graduate School) and the joint degree Research Master's programme in Business Data Science at the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€18,940	for the joint degree Master's programme in Entrepreneurship at the Faculty of Economics and Business.
€17,380	for the joint degree Master's programmes in Chemistry, Physics and Astronomy, Computational Science, Computer Science and Bioinformatics and Systems Biology at the Faculty of Science.
€14,770	for the joint degree Master's programme in primary education teaching at the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences.
*This concerns non-EEA students within the meaning of Article 7.45a, paragraph 1 of the WHW.	



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Appendix 2

1. For students of Columbia Law School New York who are enrolled in the LLM programme International Criminal Law, the institutional tuition fee is equal to the full statutory tuition fee. For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530. This will affect a maximum of 12 students.
2. Non-EEA students enrolled in the Logic Master's programme receiving a grant from the 'Beth scholarship' pay institutional fees equal to the full statutory tuition fee. For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.
3. For non-EER students of the Singapore Management University (Master's of IT in Business) who, in order to obtain a double degree, are also enrolled for the Master's of Business Administration, the institutional tuition fee is equal to the full statutory tuition fee. For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.
4. For students who have already obtained a Bachelor's diploma and are enrolling in the UPvA Bachelor's programme in Pedagogical Sciences, the institutional tuition fee is equal to the full statutory tuition fee if they are also (and first) enrolled in the relevant AUAS programme. For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.
5. For students who have already completed a Master's in Dentistry and have received a letter of intent concerning their place in Maxillofacial Surgery at the Amsterdam UMC and will be enrolled at the Master's programme in Medicine after completing the pre-Master's in Medicine at UvA, the institutional tuition fee is equal to the full statutory tuition fee. For 2024-2025, the statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.
6. For students who have already completed a Bachelor's or Master's or a unified study programme in Medicine, are performing doctoral research at UvA and have received a letter of intent concerning their place in Maxillofacial Surgery at the Amsterdam UMC, the institutional tuition fee at the time of enrolment for the Bachelor's or the Master's in Dentistry is equal to the full statutory tuition fee. For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.
7. For students for whom the Head of the CSA has determined that they meet the conditions laid down in the Covenant for the Pilot for Access to Higher Education for Undocumented Young People (Living in Amsterdam) (*Covenant pilot toegang hoger onderwijs voor ongedocumenteerde (Amsterdamse) jongeren*), an institutional tuition fee equal to the statutory tuition fee rate for the academic year 2024-2025 will apply. This exception will apply for the nominal duration of the degree programme plus one year (c+1). For 2024-2025, the full statutory tuition fee amounts to €2,530.



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Appendix 3

Individuals who are enrolled in one or more of the following degree programmes at the following institutions, and who paid the institutional tuition fees there, will be exempt from paying tuition fees when registering as a student at UvA.

1. Amsterdam University of Applied Sciences.
2. Amsterdam University College, in the case of first-time enrolment at VU University Amsterdam.
3. The following joint degrees, in the case of first-time enrolment at VU University Amsterdam.
 - Bachelor's in Chemistry;
 - Bachelor's in Physics and Astronomy;
 - Master's in Bioinformatics and Systems Biology;
 - Master's in Physics and Astronomy;
 - Master's in Chemistry;
 - Master's in Computational Science;
 - Master's in Computer Science;
 - Master's in Entrepreneurship.
4. The degree programmes offered in collaboration with VU University Amsterdam, in case of enrolment at VU University Amsterdam:
 - Bachelor's in Mathematics;
 - Bachelor's in Archaeology;
 - Bachelor's in Greek and Latin Language and Culture;
 - Bachelor's in Ancient Studies;
 - Master's in Mathematics;
 - Master's in Stochastics and Financial Mathematics;
 - Master's in Life Sciences;
 - Master's in Information Studies;
 - Track Green Life Sciences of the Biological Sciences Master's programme;
 - Track Ecology and Evolution of the Biological Sciences Master's programme;
 - Master's in Archaeology;
 - Research Master's in Ancient Studies;
 - Master's in Ancient Studies;
 - Dual Master's in Heritage Studies.
5. The Dutch Master Program in Mathematics.
6. The Master's programmes that are part of the national cooperation of language Master's programmes (Masterlanguage), i.e.:
 - Middle Eastern Studies;
 - Literary Studies;
 - Linguistics;
 - Classics and Ancient Civilisations;
 - Dutch Studies.
7. Students of the Arts and Cultural and Theology and Religious Studies Master's programmes at Utrecht University who take minors of the FGW's Master's programmes.



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8. Students of the research and education Master's programmes of the Faculty of Humanities at Utrecht University, VU University Amsterdam and Leiden University who take minors of the FGw's Master's programmes.
9. Students of the following courses of the Amsterdam School of the Arts insofar as they take minors from the stated FGw courses:
 - Academy of Art Education, insofar as they take minors of the General Cultural Studies programme and the Art History programme;
 - Academy of Architecture, insofar as they take minors of the Art History programme;
 - Amsterdam Conservatory, insofar as they take minors of the Musicology programme;
 - Netherlands Film and Television Academy insofar as they take minors of the Media and Culture programme;
 - The theatre school insofar as they take minors of the Theatre Studies programme;
 - Reinwardt Academy insofar as they take minors of the General Cultural Studies programme, the Art History programme, and the Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage programme.
10. Students of the Gerrit Rietveld Academie insofar as they take minors of the FGw's Art History programme and Conservation and Restoration of Cultural Heritage programme.
11. Students from other Dutch Higher Education Institutions who take minors for a maximum of 6 EC of the Master's programme in Medical Anthropology and Sociology.

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Appendix 4 as referred to in Article 2 of the 2024-2025 Enrolment Provisions

Entry requirements VWO old style/VWO old/first-year diploma

Degree programme	VWO old style (diplomas from before the introduction of the profiles in secondary education)	VWO old (diplomas obtained between VWO old style and the current VWO with a change in profiles from 2010)	University of Applied Sciences (HBO) diploma (propaedeutic or other)
Actuarial Science	Mathematics B	Mathematics B	Mathematics B and English at VWO level
Arabic Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Archaeology	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Natural and Social Sciences	Physics, Chemistry and Mathematics B	Nature and Technology: No additional requirements Nature and Health: No additional requirements Culture and Society: Mathematics B1, Physics 1 and Chemistry 1 Economics and Society: Mathematics B1, Physics 1 and Chemistry 1	Mathematics B, Physics and Chemistry (all at VWO level)
Biology	Biology, English, Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics A or B	Nature and Technology: Biology 1 and 2 Nature and Health: no additional requirements Other profiles: at least Mathematics A 1,2 or B1, and Biology 1,2, Physics 1, Chemistry 1 and English	Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics A or B, and English (all at VWO level)
Biomedical Sciences	Biology, English, Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics A or B	Nature and Technology: Biology 1 and 2 Nature and Health: no additional requirements Other profiles: at least Mathematics A 1,2 or B1, and Biology 1,2, Physics 1, Chemistry 1 and English	Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics A or B, and English (all at VWO level)
Business Administration	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B and English at VWO level
Business Analytics	Mathematics B	Mathematics B	Mathematics B and English at VWO level
Cognition, Language and Communication	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Communication Science	Mathematics A or B	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Computational Social Science	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B at VWO level
Cultural Anthropology and Development Sociology	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Cultural Studies	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
German Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Econometrics	Mathematics B	Mathematics B	Mathematics B and English at VWO level
Economics and Business Economics	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B and English at VWO level

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Degree programme	VWO old style (diplomas from before the introduction of the profiles in secondary education)	VWO old (diplomas obtained between VWO old style and the current VWO with a change in profiles from 2010)	University of Applied Sciences (HBO) diploma (propaedeutic or other)
English Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
European Studies	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Philosophy	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Tax Law	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	Dutch at VWO level
Fiscal Economics	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B	Mathematics A or B and Dutch at VWO level
French Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Future Planet Studies	Mathematics A or B, and two of the following subjects: Economics, Geography, Physics, Chemistry, and Biology	Nature and Technology: No additional requirements Nature and Health: No additional requirements Culture and Society: Mathematics A1,2 or B1, and two of the following subjects: Economics, Geography, Physics 1, Chemistry 1, and Biology 1 Economics and Society: Geography or Physics 1, Chemistry 1, or Biology 1	Mathematics A or B, and two of the following subjects: Economics, Geography, Physics, Chemistry, and Biology (all at VWO level)
Medicine	Mathematics A or B, Biology, Physics, and Chemistry	Nature and Technology: Biology 1 and 2 Nature and Health: no additional requirements Other profiles: at least Mathematics A1,2 or B1, Biology 1,2, Physics 1, and Chemistry 1	Biology, Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics A or B (all at VWO level)
History	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Greek and Latin Language and Culture	VWO Greek or Latin	VWO Greek or Latin	No automatic admission
Hebrew Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Computing Science	Mathematics B	Nature and Technology: no additional requirements Other profiles: Mathematics B1,2	Mathematics B at VWO level
Information Science	Mathematics A or B	All profiles: Mathematics A1,2, B1 or B1,2	Mathematics A or B at VWO level
Interdisciplinary Social Sciences	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Italian Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Art History	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Artificial Intelligence	Mathematics A or B	All profiles: Mathematics A1,2, B1 or B1,2	Mathematics A or B at VWO level
Linguistics	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Linguistics: Sign Language Linguistics	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Literary Studies	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements

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Degree programme	VWO old style (diplomas from before the introduction of the profiles in secondary education)	VWO old (diplomas obtained between VWO old style and the current VWO with a change in profiles from 2010)	University of Applied Sciences (HBO) diploma (propaedeutic or other)
Media and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Media and Information	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Medical Informatics	Physics and Mathematics A or B	Nature and Health: no additional requirements Nature and Health: Physics Economics and Society: Physics and Mathematics A1,2 or B1 Culture and Society: Physics and Mathematics A1,2 or B1	Physics and Mathematics A or B at VWO level
Musicology	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Physics and Astronomy	Mathematics B and Physics	Nature and Health: no additional requirements Nature and Health: Mathematics B1 Culture and Society: Mathematics B1 and Physics 1 Economics and Society: Mathematics B1 and Physics 1	Mathematics B at VWO level , Physics at VWO level, English at low range C1 level
Dutch Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Dutch Language and Culture: Language and Communication	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Modern Greek Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Educational Sciences	Mathematics A or B	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Antiquities	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Pedagogical Sciences	Mathematics A or B	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Political Science	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Psychobiology	Biology, English, Physics, Chemistry, and Mathematics A or B	Nature and Technology: Biology 1 and 2 Nature and Health: no additional requirements Other profiles: at least Mathematics A 1,2 or B1, and Biology 1,2, Physics 1, Chemistry 1 and English	Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics A or B, and English (all at VWO level)
Psychology	Mathematics A or B, English at VWO level	Mathematics A or B, English at VWO level	Mathematics A or B, English at VWO level
Law	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	Dutch at VWO level
Religious Studies	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Scandinavian Languages and Cultures	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements

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Degree programme	VWO old style (diplomas from before the introduction of the profiles in secondary education)	VWO old (diplomas obtained between VWO old style and the current VWO with a change in profiles from 2010)	University of Applied Sciences (HBO) diploma (propaedeutic or other)
Chemistry	Chemistry, Physics, and Mathematics B	Nature and Health: no additional requirements Nature and Health: Mathematics B1 Culture and Society: Chemistry 1, Mathematics B1, and Physics 1 Economics and Society: Chemistry 1, Mathematics B1, and Physics 1	Physics at VWO level, except for Chemistry at HBO-p level, Mathematics B at VWO level, Physics at VWO level, and English at low range C1 level.
Slavonic Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Human Geography and Urban and Regional Planning	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Sociology	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Spanish Language and Culture	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Dentistry	Mathematics A or B, Biology, Physics, and Chemistry	Nature and Technology: Biology 1 and 2 Nature and Health: no additional requirements Other profiles: at least Mathematics A or B, Biology, Physics, and Chemistry	Biology, Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics A or B, Dutch, and English (all at VWO level)
Theatre Studies	No additional requirements	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Academic PABO Amsterdam	Mathematics A or B	No additional requirements	No additional requirements
Mathematics	Mathematics B and Physics	Nature and Technology: No additional requirements Nature and Health: Mathematics B1 Culture and Society: Mathematics B1 Economics and Society: Mathematics B1	Mathematics B at VWO level, Mathematics A or Physics op VWO level, and English at low range C1 level.



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Appendix 5

as referred to in Article 2 of the 2024-2025 Enrolment Provisions


 UNIVERSITEIT VAN AMSTERDAM	
	Faculty of
	PROOF OF SUFFICIENT PRIOR EDUCATION IN CASE OF HBO PROPAEDEUTIC YEAR
	Within the framework of Section 7.28(1)(a) of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (<i>Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek</i>)
Naam	
Date of birth	
Student ID number	
	Prior education:
CROHO name	
Programme (optional)	
UvA code	
Issued	
Date	
By	The dean of the Faculty of
	On whose behalf
Signature	
Name	
	This document is valid for the following academic year



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Appendix 6

as referred to in Article 3 of the 2024-2025 Enrolment Provisions


 UNIVERSITEIT VAN AMSTERDAM	
	Faculty of
	CERTIFICATE OF ADMISSION TO PRE-MASTER'S PROGRAMME
	Within the framework of Section 7.57(i) of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (<i>Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek</i>)
Naam	
Date of birth	
Student ID number	
	admitted to the Pre-Master's programme:
Programme	
Issued	
Date	
By	The dean of the Faculty of
	On whose behalf
Signature	
Name	
	This document is valid for the following academic year



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Appendix 7

as referred to in Article 4 of the 2024-2025 Enrolment Provisions

 UNIVERSITEIT VAN AMSTERDAM	
	Faculty of
	DECISION REGARDING REQUEST FOR ADMISSION TO A MASTER'S PROGRAMME
	Pursuant to Section 7.30(b) of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (<i>Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek</i>)
Naam	
Date of birth	
Student ID number	
	admitted/not admitted to the Master's programme
CROHO name	
Programme (optional)	
UvA code	
Issued	
Date	
By	The dean of the Faculty of
	On whose behalf
Signature	
Name	
	This statement is valid for the following academic year
	You may lodge an appeal against this decision with the Examination Appeals Board within six weeks of the date of notification of the decision through the digital complaints/objections/appeals office, www.student.uva.nl/klacht-bezwaar-beroep .



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Appendix 8

UvA Regulations governing Recommendations on Choice of Degree Programme established by decision of 2016cb0414, and most recently amended on 21 November 2017, decision no. 2017-064474

Pursuant to Section 7.31a through 7.31d of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het Hoger Onderwijs en Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek*)



UVA REGULATIONS GOVERNING RECOMMENDATIONS ON CHOICE OF DEGREE PROGRAMME

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Decision no. 2017-064474

Pursuant to Article 7.31a to 7.31d of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek, WHW*)

Article 1

Definitions

- a. Prospective students: persons who have applied, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the University of Amsterdam (UvA), who are not currently listed as enrolled in that programme and who are not eligible for enrolment in the subsequent phase of that programme.
- b. UvA Matching: the choice of degree programme activity that the UvA offers to prospective students for a given Bachelor's programme prior to the start of an academic year, with a view to providing a recommendation on their choice of degree programme. The activity comprises a teaching component and a test, which form the basis for the UvA's recommendation. Both the teaching component and the test are compulsory parts of the activity.
- c. Recommendation on choice of degree programme: a recommendation from the programme director concerning a prospective student's choice of degree programme, based on a test conducted as part of the UvA Matching process. A positive recommendation is not binding, it entitles the prospective student to admission to the degree programme and is valid in accordance with the UvA Enrolment Provisions.
- d. Entitlement to admission to a degree programme: prospective students are entitled to admission to a degree programme if they have received a valid positive recommendation on their choice of degree programme. This entitlement to admission is important for a prospective student's enrolment at the UvA.
- e. Enrolment: prospective students who meet the statutory educational entry requirements and the terms and conditions of admission stipulated in the UvA Enrolment Provisions can enrol as a student at the UvA. The head of the Central Student Administration is charged with implementing the Enrolment Provisions and determines whether prospective students can enrol as a student on the programme applied for.
- f. UvA Enrolment Provisions: the decision, as referred to in WHW Section 7.33, establishing the procedural rules on the basis of which students are enrolled at the UvA for a particular academic year.
- g. Selective degree programme: a Bachelor's programme to which a selection procedure, pursuant to Section 6.7, 7.53 or 7.56 of the WHW, applies.



Article 2

Submission of applications by 1 May

1. Prospective students who apply, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the UvA by 1 May at the latest must participate in the UvA Matching process, unless they already are or have been enrolled as a student at the UvA.
2. After participating in the UvA Matching process, prospective students are sent a recommendation on their choice of degree programme by email.
3. A positive recommendation on their choice of degree programme entitles prospective students to admission to the degree programme applied for, or another non-selective Bachelor's programme at the UvA.

Article 3

Recommendation on choice of degree programme

1. Prospective students receive a recommendation on their choice of degree programme once they have participated in the full UvA Matching process, including the test which forms part of it.
2. The recommendation on choice of degree programme is based on the results achieved in the UvA Matching test for the relevant degree programme.
3. A positive recommendation on a prospective student's choice of degree programme also confers entitlement to admission to that degree programme in the academic year immediately following the academic year for which the prospective student completed the UvA Matching process.

Article 4

Students who are unable to participate in UvA Matching

1. Prospective students who have not completed the full UvA Matching process are not entitled to admission to the degree programme applied for unless a valid reason prevented this.
2. At a prospective student's written request, the UvA Matching Case Committee can determine that a valid reason completely or partially preventing participation in UvA Matching existed if the prospective student has demonstrated that this failure to attend was due to compulsory attendance of classes for another programme he/she is completing, participation in another activity related to choosing a degree programme, participation in another activity related to the selection procedure for a selective degree programme, or exceptional personal circumstances. Another valid reason for failure to attend is the case in which the distance that a prospective student is required to travel between his/her place of residence and the location of UvA Matching is such that it causes the prospective student considerable difficulty, and sufficient efforts have not been made to enable the prospective student to participate in the UvA Matching process. The Case Committee may take account of aspects of a financial or medical nature in its decision.

Article 5

Reorientation programme

Prospective students who have participated in the UvA Matching process are entitled to attend the UvA reorientation programme. This programme is intended to provide prospective students who have doubts about their choice of programme following the UvA Matching process or who have received a negative recommendation on choice of degree programme with an opportunity to identify a suitable degree programme.

Article 6

Applications submitted or changed after 1 May

1. Prospective students who apply, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the UvA after 1 May are entitled to admission to that programme if they can demonstrate that they applied, via Studielink, for another Bachelor's programme at the UvA before 1 May and participated in the UvA Matching process.
2. Prospective students who applied, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the UvA after 1 May are entitled to admission to that programme if they can demonstrate that they applied, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at another Dutch institution of higher education or, via Studielink, for a selective programme by 1 May at the latest, but were not or no longer wish to be admitted to that other programme.

Article 7

Applications submitted after 1 May

1. Prospective students who apply, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the UvA after 1 May and to whom Article 6 of these Regulations is not applicable are not entitled to admission to that programme unless they already are (or have been) enrolled at the UvA, or if one of the exceptions referred to in the present article applies.
2. The UvA Matching Case Committee can declare that a prospective student is still entitled to admission to the programme applied for where he or she provides a written statement describing exceptional circumstances that prevented submission of the application by 1 May, and where the application of paragraph 1 of the present article results in significant unfairness.
3. Prospective students who apply, via Studielink, for a Bachelor's programme at the UvA after 1 May are entitled to admission to that programme provided that they can demonstrate that they were issued a negative binding advice on continuation of studies, as referred to in WHW Section 7.8, for another degree programme at a time that made it impossible to submit the new application before the 1 May deadline.

Article 8

Applicability

1. These regulations apply to all Bachelor's programmes at the UvA, with the exception of selective degree programmes.

Adoption and entry into force

These regulations were adopted by the Executive Board in decision no. 2016cb0414 and took effect as of 1 January 2017, amended following the decision of 21 November 2017, no. 2017-064474.



Adopted by the Executive Board
decision number 2023-100537

Appendix 9

UvA Regulations governing selection and placement for degree programmes with an enrolment quota established by decision of 2016cb0257, and most recently amended on 19 November 2017, decision no. 2017-064377 and the faculty selection regulations adopted on 21 July 2023, decision no. 2023-041003.



REGULATIONS GOVERNING SELECTION AND PLACEMENT FOR FIXED QUOTA DEGREE PROGRAMMES AT THE UvA

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Pursuant to Section 7.53 of the Dutch Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het hoger onderwijs en wetenschappelijk onderzoek, WHW*) and the Higher Education Application and Selection Regulations (*Regeling aanmelding en toelating hoger onderwijs, RATHO*).

Article 1

Definitions

- a. prospective students: persons who have applied, via Studielink, for a degree programme at the University of Amsterdam (UvA), who are not currently listed as enrolled in that programme;
- b. fixed quota degree programme: degree programme for which a limited number of students can be enrolled pursuant to Section 7.53 or 7.56 of the WHW;
- c. selection: the procedure on the basis of which prospective students who have applied for a fixed quota degree programme are selected;
- d. UvA Matching: the choice of degree programme activity that the UvA offers to prospective students for a given Bachelor's programme, not being a fixed quota or other selective programme, with a view to providing a recommendation on their choice of degree programme;
- e. ranking number: unique number which the UvA assigns to a prospective student who has gone through the selection procedure, showing how the prospective student was assessed in comparison to the other participants in the selection procedure;
- f. placement certificate: a message sent via Studielink that shows that a prospective student has completed the selection procedure for a particular fixed quota degree programme and has been placed within the relevant programme capacity. Prospective students must accept such a placement certificate in Studielink within 14 days of receipt;
- g. enrolment: prospective students who meet the statutory educational entry requirements and the terms and conditions of admission stipulated in the UvA Enrolment Provisions can enrol as students at the UvA. The head of the Central Student Administration is charged with implementing the Enrolment Provisions and determines whether prospective students can enrol as a student on the programme applied for;
- h. UvA Enrolment Provisions: the decision, as referred to in WHW Section 7.33, establishing the procedural rules on the basis of which students are enrolled at the UvA for a particular academic year.

Article 2

Submission of applications by 15 January

1. Prospective students who wish to take part in the selection procedure for a fixed quota degree programme must register for the programme concerned via Studielink by 15 January.
2. Prospective students who apply for the fixed quota degree programme in Medicine or Dentistry and who have applied for the same programme at another institution will not be invited to take part in the selection procedure at the UvA.¹

¹ For Medicine and Dentistry, applying through Studielink for the same programme at multiple institutions for the same academic year is not possible.

3. Prospective students who apply for a fixed quota degree programme at the UvA who have previously applied for the same programme at the UvA will not be invited to take part in the selection procedure, unless the dean of the programme concerned has stipulated in the selection procedure that a prospective student may apply for the fixed quota degree programme concerned twice or three times, and that number has not yet been exceeded.²
4. Applications withdrawn by prospective students via Studielink before 15 January will be cancelled.
5. Prospective students who fail to obtain the diploma or degree certificate required for admission and withdraw their application via Studielink between 15 January and 31 August can request in writing cancellation of their application for the programme concerned for the academic year in question at the UvA.
6. Requests submitted on time, including proof that the prospective student has failed to obtain the diploma or degree certificate concerned, will be processed by the Central Student Administration before 1 October of the following academic year.

Article 3

Selection

1. Selection takes place in accordance with the selection criteria and procedure drawn up by the dean and adopted by the Executive Board.
2. The selection procedure takes into account the interests of prospective students from the public bodies of Bonaire, Sint Eustatius and Saba, and Aruba, Curaçao and Sint Maarten, respectively.
3. If the number of applications is less than the number of available places, no selection will take place, and the prospective student will be entitled to a choice of degree programme activity within the meaning of UvA matching³.

Article 4

Ranking numbers and placement certificates

1. The UvA informs the prospective student about the results of the selection procedure via Studielink and also issues a placement certificate, or, if the prospective student is not among the prospective students eligible for admission on the basis of the selection procedure, assigns a ranking number on the basis of which any placement certificates made available can be issued.
2. A placement certificate expires by operation of law if the prospective student to whom the certificate is issued does not accept it via Studielink within 14 days of receipt.
3. The placement certificate that becomes available will subsequently be issued to the prospective student with the next ranking number, who has not yet been issued a confirmation of admission. The second paragraph applies by analogy.
4. The dean of the faculty concerned will include the deadline for the issuing of placement certificates for the programme in question in the selection procedure. This date must be between 1 August and 15 September.
5. If the dean for the programme in question does not set a deadline for the issuing of placement certificates, the deadline will be 15 September.

² This includes participation in decentralised selection and/or a draw in the past from the 2000-2001 academic year.

³ In these cases, too, the application deadline is 15 January.

Article 5

Educational entry requirements and further educational entry requirements

1. Prospective students who could be admitted to a fixed quota degree programme on the basis of a placement certificate must show by 15 July that they satisfy the educational entry requirements and further educational entry requirements for the programme in question.
2. If a prospective student cannot satisfy the requirement in the previous paragraph, the Central Student Administration will, at the request of the prospective student, set a new deadline by which this condition must be met. This deadline will be no later than 31 August, unless the prospective student is issued a placement certificate after 31 August. In that case, the deadline by which the prospective student must show that he/she satisfies the educational entry requirements and further educational entry requirements for the programme in question will be 14 days after receipt of the placement certificate.
3. If the prospective student has not fulfilled the obligation referred to in paragraph 1 and has not submitted a request for a new deadline, or if the new deadline has expired, the placement certificate will become void for the candidate concerned. Article 4, paragraphs 3 and 4, applies by analogy.

Adoption and entry into force

These regulations were adopted by the Executive Board in a decision on 25 July 2016, 2016cb0257. They took effect on 1 October 2016 and were last amended by decision on 19 September 2017 Decision no 2017-064377.



ACTA FACULTY SELECTION REGULATIONS 2024-2025

Introduction

Prospective Dentistry students are allowed to apply for only one degree programme in Dentistry. However, they are still able to apply simultaneously for one other degree programme with an enrolment restriction.

Available places

ACTA's enrolment quota is 128 places, of which 70 are designated for the UvA (around 55%) and 58 for VU University Amsterdam (around 45%).

Admission requirements

The criteria to take part in ACTA's selection procedure are the same as the (additional) educational entry requirements for ACTA's Dentistry degree programme. These (additional) educational entry requirements are included in the Teaching and Examination Regulations for the Bachelor's programme in Dentistry. Prospective students can apply for the selection procedure at ACTA once via UvA and once via VU University Amsterdam.

Prospective students must register via Studielink **by 15 January, 23:59 CET** of the academic year preceding the academic year for which they wish to be enrolled. In order to be admitted to the selection procedure, prospective students must make a plausible case for their being able to meet the educational entry requirements by 15 July. In exceptional cases, this may be deferred to 15 August at the request of a prospective student. This request must be made to the relevant university **no later than 15 July** prior to the academic year for which the prospective student wishes to be enrolled.

Selection criteria

The selection criteria are as follows:

1. **Orientation.** Demonstrable orientation with regard to both the degree programme in Dentistry and the field of dentistry weigh relatively heavily in any prospective student's favour. This is measured by the following indicators:
 - a. Demonstrable orientation with regard to ACTA's Dentistry degree programme by having taken part in taster sessions. Participation in taster sessions must have taken place in the three calendar years prior to the deadline for the digital submission of the personal file. If prospective students are unable to participate in ACTA's taster sessions, or if this were to be unrealistic, they are able to consult with the ACTA selection committee no later than the registration deadline for taster sessions to see if a solution can be found (please also see below).
 - b. Demonstrable orientation with regard to the field of dentistry. Prospective students are expected to have spent at least one day shadowing at a dentistry practice. Shadowing of this kind must have taken place in the three calendar years prior to the deadline for the digital submission of the personal dossier.
2. **School marks.** School marks will be taken into consideration as outlined below. For prospective students who already have their VWO diploma, the final exam marks (i.e. the final marks of the certified diploma transcript) will be taken into account. For other prospective students, the transition report from VWO year 5 to VWO year 6, i.e. the final mark with a maximum of one decimal place, will be taken into account. (as per agreement of the UNL and VO-raad (Secondary Education Council)).



3. Experience, performance and motivation. This involves looking at:
 - a. Commitment to providing care services;
 - b. Administrative and organisational experience;
 - c. Special achievements;
 - d. The student's motivation, consisting of:
 - i. A cover letter, outlining the student's choice to study Dentistry at ACTA;
 - ii. The frequency, duration, variation and content of shadowing at a dentistry practice or similar organisation related to oral and dental care. This relates to activities other than those mentioned under 1b;
 - iii. Other matters that demonstrate motivation to engage in the field of dentistry.
4. Quality of personal dossier. The points 1-3 outlined above form part of the personal dossier. The general quality of the personal dossier is assessed with regard to:
 - a. completeness;
 - b. use of language;
 - c. quality of the (documentary) evidence.
5. Testing.

One of the selection criteria comprises testing. This will be administered on an assessment day to be determined by ACTA in the month of February prior to the academic year for which prospective students wish to enrol. During this assessment day, the students will be given at least one biomedical test. This entails testing basic VWO knowledge applied to scientific principles and knowledge in study material in a medical-biological context, which is relevant to dentistry. The material in question will be made available to prospective students in the fourth week of January.

In addition, one or more tests may be administered which are relevant to the degree programme and the field of study.

To participate in the assessment day, prospective student must have submitted a personal dossier on time and in a prescribed manner. The deadline and method of submission will be communicated to the prospective student via the ACTA website or by email.

Timetable

- Registration via Studielink no later than 15 January at 23.59 hours CET prior to the academic year for which prospective students wish to enrol.
- Prospective students will receive an email on the digital submission of their personal dossier and participation in the assessment day no later than the fourth week of January prior to the academic year for which wish to enrol. This email will also outline how students can prepare for the assessment day.
- The assessment day, which will take place on a Saturday in February prior to the academic year for which prospective students wish to enrol. The exact date will be announced on the ACTA website.
- The results of the selection will be announced on 15 April prior to the academic year for which the prospective student wishes to enrol.

Ranking numbers

- **UvA and VU University Amsterdam** Some 55% of the places are available for UvA and 45% for VU University Amsterdam. Prospective students must sign up for one or the other. Although there is a single ACTA degree programme and a single selection procedure, separate lists of ranking numbers are drawn up for the UvA and VU University Amsterdam.



- **Route A and B** ACTA distinguishes between the so-called Routes A and B. The ranking numbers are fixed in such a way that 70% of places are allocated to prospective Route A students and 30% is allocated to prospective Route B students.

Route A comprises prospective students who have not yet obtained their (full) VWO diploma, yet who are able to demonstrate to a sufficient degree that they will be able to meet the (additional) educational entry requirements for the Dentistry degree programme by 15 July prior to the academic year for which they wish to enrol. Prospective students who have already started a degree programme in higher education or who are engaged in taking university entrance exams (i.e. Colloquium Doctum in Dutch), do not fall under Route A.

Route B comprises all other prospective students who can meet the additional educational entry requirements for the Dentistry degree programme by 15 July prior to the academic year for which they wish to enrol.

- **Ranking numbers** All prospective students who registered in time via Studielink, submitted their personal dossier in time and in the prescribed manner, and who participated in the assessment day in February will receive a ranking number. Prospective students who have applied but have not participated in the assessment day will not receive a ranking number and will not be selected. The ranking number will be based on the scores for the foregoing selection criteria.

Prospective students from abroad

- Prospective students from the Caribbean Netherlands. These students will be assessed in accordance with the same procedure that applies to prospective students residing in the Netherlands. If it is not possible or realistic for prospective students to participate in the assessment day in the Netherlands, at their request they will be given the opportunity to sit the same tests in a controlled setting at a location in the Caribbean Netherlands to be determined by ACTA. This request must be made to the relevant university no later than 23:59 CET on 15 July preceding the academic year for which they wish to be enrolled.
- Other prospective students from abroad. These students will be assessed in accordance with the same procedure that applies to prospective students residing in the Netherlands. If it is not possible or realistic for prospective students to participate in the assessment day in the Netherlands, they may submit a substantiated request to the selection committee, no later than 23:59 CET on 15 July prior to the academic year for which they wish to be enrolled, to sit the tests at the same location as prospective students from the Caribbean Netherlands.

Objection and appeal

This aspect falls within the legal purview of the respective universities.

Taster sessions

- Taster sessions provide an opportunity for orientation with regard to the ACTA degree programme in Dentistry.
- Prospective students may take part in taster sessions no more than once.
- Prospective students able to plausibly demonstrate that they will be able to meet the (additional) educational entry requirements for the Dentistry degree programme by 15 July prior to the academic year in which the selection takes place will be given the opportunity to participate in taster sessions.
- Taster sessions are held between October – January of the academic year in which selection takes place.



AMC-UvA BACHELOR'S IN MEDICINE SELECTION

Procedure and selection criteria for the 2024-2025 academic year

The selection criteria for degree programmes with an enrolment restriction are laid down in the Higher Education and Research Act (*Wet op het Hoger onderwijs en Wetenschappelijk onderzoek – WHW*) and the Higher Education Applications and Admissions Regulations (*Regeling aanmelding en toelating hoger onderwijs – Ratho*).

The UvA's Selection and Placement Regulations for Degree Programmes with an Enrolment Restriction also apply.

General AMC-UvA selection regulations for Medicine:

- prospective students must apply for the Medicine degree programme through Studielink no later than **15 January 2024**;
- prospective students may apply to be selected for Medicine only once a year;
- prospective students may take part in the AMC-UvA Bachelor's in Medicine selection procedure once only.

The following diplomas grant access to the AMC-UvA selection procedure:

- VWO diploma attained in or after 2010: Nature and Health subject cluster with Physics or Nature and Technology subject cluster with Biology (attained no later than the start of the 2024-2025 academic year).
- VWO diploma for another subject cluster attained in or after 2010: requires pass marks for Biology, Mathematics A or B, Physics and Chemistry. An additional examination will be required if one or more of these subjects were not passed at VWO level. These prerequisites must have been met no later than **15 July 2024**.
- VWO diploma attained prior to 2010: Biology 1+2, Mathematics B1 or A1/2, Physics 1 and Chemistry 1 must have been passed at VWO level. An additional examination will be required if one or more of these subjects were not passed at VWO level. These prerequisites must have been met no later than **15 July 2024**.
- 'Old-style' VWO diploma: requires school-leaving examinations in seven or more subjects with pass marks for Chemistry, Physics, Biology and Mathematics A or B. An additional examination will be required if one or more of these subjects were not passed at VWO level. These prerequisites must have been met no later than **15 July 2024**.
- Research university or university of applied sciences degree certificate: if the prospective student did not attain pass marks for Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics and/or Biology at VWO level, these prerequisites must have been met no later than **15 July 2024**.
- In the case of prior education in a foreign country or if none of the above diplomas/degree certificates were obtained, the prospective student's diploma/degree certificate must be assessed by the UvA's head of Central Student Administration in order to determine whether the student qualifies for selection for the degree programme.

Prospective students can meet the prerequisites by attaining modular certificates at VWO level or passing the examinations set by the Central Committees for Entrance Exams in Physics, Chemistry, Biology and Mathematics.



Selection criteria

Assessment 1: The first assessment will focus on the capacity for acquiring a substantial amount of biomedical knowledge. Prospective students will be assessed on their ability to plan the study of course material in their schedule. This assessment can be qualified as a study skills test. Prospective students will perform well in this assessment if they are sufficiently motivated for the degree programme and have good study planning skills.

Assessment 2: The second assessment will focus on the ability to apply basic VWO-level knowledge on natural sciences principles in a medical-biological context and on knowledge of current developments in the biomedical field. For this assessment, prospective students will be asked about biomedical issues and facts and developments in the medical field that have been in the news recently. There is no need to prepare for this assessment. Prospective students will perform well in this assessment if they have strong analytical thinking skills and keep up to date with current medical events.

Selection procedure

The selection will take place in the period between 15 January 2024 (application deadline) and 15 April 2024 (communication of results through Studielink). The procedure is as follows:

- Both assessments will likely be administered on a single set date, which will be announced on the website before 1 October (start date of application period), so that prospective students can take this into account and know what they are applying for.
- The course material will be made available online in the virtual learning environment for all prospective students at least 10 days ahead of the chosen assessment day.
- Prospective students will study the teaching material during the self-study period preceding the assessment.
- Participation will take place on site, unless national policy makes this impossible, e.g. due to an (impending) lockdown. In that case, the assessments will be administered online.

Ranking

The place of prospective students in the ranking will be determined by their (weighted) average mark for all assessments. The prospective students with the highest marks will be admitted to the degree programme, for which an enrolment quota of 350 students applies. Prospective students with identical results will be asked to submit a certified copy of the last qualifying marks of the previous course. (For most prospective students, these will be the transition marks for these subjects from VWO year 5 to VWO year 6. For those who have already taken the final VWO exam, these will be the final exam marks. For prospective students with a HBO diploma who previously attained a HAVO diploma, this concerns the supplementary examination marks at VWO level or, if these have not (yet) been obtained, the HAVO-level final examination marks. For prospective students with prior education in a foreign country, the results obtained for equivalent subjects will be used. The average of these marks will determine the final ranking.)

Prospective students from the Dutch Caribbean

Prospective students from the Dutch Caribbean (Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao, Saba, Sint Eustatius and Sint Maarten) who applied for the degree programme through Studielink no later than 15 January 2024, and who meet or will be meeting the educational entry requirements, will in principle have the opportunity to take part in the selection day on Curaçao, unless local or national policy makes this impossible.



SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

Procedures and selection criteria for 2024-2025

In the 2024-2025 academic year, the programme in Biomedical Sciences will be subject to an enrolment quota, with the maximum capacity having been set at 175 first-year students.

1. Educational entry requirements for the Bachelor's degree programme in Biomedical Sciences

Only prospective students who meet the educational entry requirements for the degree programme will qualify for admission to the programme. In many cases, prospective students will not meet the educational entry requirements at the time the selection procedure is carried out. Prospective students who are selected for admission to the programme will be admitted if they meet the requirements in the UvA's Selection and Placement Regulations. In addition to these central regulations, the Bachelor's degree programme in Biomedical Sciences will only issue placement certificates until 31 August.

The educational entry requirements for the programme are laid down in the Teaching and Examination Regulations of the Biomedical Sciences programme, specifically in Articles 2.1, 2.2, and 2.3 of Part A and Articles 3.1 and 3.2 of Part B.

2. Biomedical Sciences selection procedure for 2024-2025

Target group

All prospective students who applied for the UvA's Biomedical Sciences programme through Studielink no later than 15 January. Prospective students may take part in the selection procedure no more than twice.

Selection criteria

The assessments of the Bachelor's degree programme in Biomedical Sciences focus on the ability of prospective students to gain new knowledge and new insights within a short period of time (within the course of the selection procedure, between the day of teaching and the day of assessment) and to reproduce that knowledge and apply it during the assessment. We use the so-called curriculum sampling method to determine the subjects. A subject from the beginning of the first year and a subject from the end of the first year will be taught and assessed.

The non-cognitive element relates to assessing the prospective students on their motivation and learning strategies. Students will be assessed on their ability to reflect on their attitude toward their studies (including their orientation on the course materials, planning and methods of study). The prospective students' scores will be determined using a mark for the assessment that has been corrected for guessing.

When drawing up the selection procedure, consideration was given to the fact that many methods to gauge motivation are sensitive to subjective factors. The most suitable predictor of motivation is to require a significant minimum effort from prospective students. Successfully completing the overall selection procedure (participating in the day of teaching, self-study and sitting the assessment) will require a commitment of 20-24 hours. This means that motivation will indirectly co-determine prospective students' admission to the programme.



Selection procedure

The selection will take place in the period between 15 January (application deadline) and 15 April (communication of results through Studielink). The procedure is as follows:

- a) Three weeks prior to the day of the assessment, the course material will be made available to all participants online through Canvas.
- b) Within those three weeks prior to the assessment, two half-day sessions consisting of lectures on the course material will be offered off-campus. Attending these lectures is not compulsory and the course material will also be made available online.
- c) Prospective students can study the course material during the three-week self-study period prior to the assessments and may attend the off-campus lectures if they wish. Approximately 16 hours of self-study will be required.
- d) On the concluding assessment day, the prospective students will sit two assessments to test their cognitive and non-cognitive traits.

Ranking

The place of prospective students in the ranking will be determined by their average mark for all assessments. The 175 students with the highest score will be placed on the ranking of selected candidates.

International students

Prospective students from the Dutch Caribbean (Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao, Saba, Sint Eustatius and Sint Maarten) who applied for the degree programme through Studielink before 15 January and meet or will be meeting the educational entry requirements will be given the opportunity to take part in the same assessments at another location under controlled conditions.

Information for prospective students can be found on the following website:

[BA Biomedical Sciences \(only in Dutch\)](#)



FACULTY REGULATIONS FOR FEB SELECTION AND PLACEMENT 2024-2025

For the Bachelor's programme in Business Administration

Enrolment quota

The maximum number of student places for the Bachelor's degree programme in Business Administration (hereinafter referred to as BA) for the 2024-2025 academic year has been set at 800 first-year students.

Educational prerequisites

Only candidates who meet the educational entry requirements for the degree programme are eligible for the programme. In many cases, it is not possible for candidates to meet the entry requirements at the time of the selection period. Candidates who successfully pass the selection procedure may be selected for the programme if they meet the conditions set out in the 'UvA Regulations governing Selection and Placement' (Regeling selectie en plaatsing UvA). In addition to these centralised regulations, the Bachelor's degree programme in BA will issue placement certificates up to 1 August.

In addition, candidates must meet the educational entry requirements before the start of the academic year. The educational entry requirements are laid down in the Teaching and Examination Regulations (Onderwijs- en Examenregeling, OER) of the EBE programme in Articles 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 of OER Part A.

Procedure for the decentralised selection

Target group

All prospective students who have enrolled via Studielink on or before 15 January 2024 for the BA degree programme at the UvA. A candidate may enrol a maximum of two times for the selection for BA at the UvA.

Selection criteria

Participants in the selection procedure must take a combination test on subjects that are representative of the content of the programme. All parts of the test count equally towards the calculation of the final score, which ultimately forms the basis for ranking the participants and the corresponding placement via Studielink.

The questions in the test are related to two types of qualitative skills (study skills and research skills) and knowledge and are designed to give an as comprehensive picture as possible of aptitude for the programme. Such a test measures competences and skills that are of direct importance for academic performance. Candidates who are able to distinguish between the main issue and side issues, who can work independently and acquire research skills, will score well in the combination test. As preparing for the test requires a great deal of effort, it is also a good measure of motivation.



The test takes place between 15 January (end date for enrolment) and 15 March and is organised as follows:

- a. There are at least two test dates from which the candidate can choose.
- b. At least one week before the chosen test date, all of the study material, including any lectures, will be made available to the candidates online.
- c. The candidates study the material (including any lectures) during the independent study period preceding the test. The indicative time required for this study is 20 to 25 hours.
- d. The candidates take the combination test on the appointed day.

Candidates outside the Netherlands who have enrolled correctly and in time and who fulfil or are expected to fulfil the educational entry requirements will be given the opportunity to take the test online. This also applies to candidates in the Netherlands who are unable to take the test on location.

Candidates from the Netherlands Antilles (ABC and BES islands)

Candidates from the Caribbean Netherlands will be assessed using the same methods as candidates in the Netherlands and go through the same enrolment procedure. They will also be given the opportunity to take the test online under supervision.

Ranking

The average score obtained in the different parts of the test determines an applicant's position on the ranking list. The candidates with the highest test results are awarded the lowest number (1, 2, 3, etc.) in the ranking list. Candidates who (1) have enrolled via Studielink on or before 15-1-2024 and (2) have taken the selection test, will be awarded a ranking number. Candidates who have enrolled in time, but who have not participated in the selection procedure, will not receive a ranking number and will not be selected.

Time schedule

1 October 2023 – 15 January 2024	Enrol via Studielink
15 January 2024	Deadline for enrolment
15 January – 15 March 2024	Selection process
15 April – 01 August 2024	Placement process

More information for interested parties and candidates is available on the websites:

[BA Business Administration - NL](#)

[BA Business Administration - English](#)

SELECTION BACHELOR POLITICAL SCIENCE

Procedure and selection criteria 2024-2025

For the 2024-2025 academic year, the intake capacity of the BSc programme in Political Science has been fixed at **600** first-year students.

1. Entry requirements for the bachelor's degree programme in Political Science

Only candidates who meet the entry requirements for the degree programme may be admitted to the programme. In many cases, it is not possible for candidates to meet the entry requirements yet at the time of the selection procedure. Candidates who successfully pass the selection procedure may be admitted to the programme if they meet the conditions set out in the 'UvA Regulations governing Selection and Placement' (*Regeling selectie en plaatsing UvA*). In addition to these centralised regulations, the bachelor's degree programme in Political Science will issue placement certificates up to 15 August.

The entry requirements for the programme are laid down in the Teaching and Examination Regulations, TER (*Onderwijs- en Examenregeling, OER*) of the Political Science programme in Articles 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 of the TER Part A and Articles 3.1, 3.2 and 3.3 of the TER Part B.

2. Selection procedure Political Science 2024-2025

Target group

All applicants who have enrolled for the BSc programme in Political Science at the UvA via *Studielink* before 15 January. An applicant may participate in the selection procedure no more than once.

Selection criteria

Participants in the selection procedure must take two tests on subjects that are representative of the content of the programme. Both tests count equally towards the calculation of the final score, which ultimately forms the basis for the ranking of the participants and corresponding placement via *Studielink*.

The topics for independent study and testing are as follows:

1. Research Methods and Statistics;
2. Democracy.

The topics derive from two core courses in the first year (*Introduction to Political Science Research* and *Introduction to Political Science*) and provide a faithful overview of the programme covering theory building, empirical knowledge and methodology. Candidates will perform well on the exams if they manage to distil the main points of an argument, who independently, and show understanding of social scientific research skills.

In determining the selection procedure, it has been taken into consideration that many of the methods for measuring motivation are sensitive to subjective factors. The most proximal predictor for measuring motivation is to require a significant best-efforts obligation from the candidates.



Candidates are expected to devote considerable effort of approximately 20 hours to independent study in order to complete the tests successfully. For this reason, motivation plays an indirect role in determining the likelihood of admission.

Selection process

The selection takes place between 15 January (end date for enrolment) and 15 April (publication of results via Studielink) and is organised as follows:

- a. Participants can choose between two test days.
- b. Two weeks prior to the selected test day, lectures and study materials will be made available online through the digital learning environment.
- c. Participants are able to study the materials during a period of two weeks prior to the test. The indicative time required for this independent study is 20 hours, including 4 hours of lectures.
- d. During the final test day, participants must complete two tests designed to assess their cognitive and study skills. This assessment will take place online with the use of proctoring software.
- e. The tests and the lectures will be offered in Dutch and in English. The participant can choose the language. Other study materials (literature) will only be offered in English.

Ranking

The weighted average score obtained in the tests determines the applicant's position in the rankings. Those with the highest score will be placed lowest (1,2,3, etc.) on the ranking. Candidates who have applied by 15 January 2024 at the latest in *Studielink* and who have participated in the selection procedure, will receive a ranking score. Candidates who have applied in time, but who have not taken part in the selection procedure, will not receive a ranking score and will not be selected.

Ranking in case of changed legislation

If the proposed bill on lottery will pass, the bachelor's programme in Political Science will use (weighted) lottery to rank our students: the score on the selection test determines the weight of the ballot, which allows applicants to influence their placement. We will use three weighting categories: high score, average score, low score.

Planning

October 2023 – 15 January 2024	Apply via <i>Studielink</i>
15 January 2024	Deadline application
15 January – 15 March 2024	Selection procedure
15 April – 1 August 2024	Placement process

More information for interested parties and applicants is available on the website:

[BA Political Science](#)



SELECTION PROCEDURE FOR PSYCHOBIOLOGY

Procedures and selection criteria for 2024-2025

In the 2024-2025 academic year, the programme in Psychobiology will be subject to an enrolment quota, with the maximum capacity having been set at **250** first-year students.

1. Educational entry requirements for the Bachelor's degree programme in Psychobiology

Only prospective students who meet the educational entry requirements for the degree programme will qualify for admission to the programme. In many cases, prospective students will not meet the educational entry requirements at the time the selection procedure is carried out. Prospective students who are selected for admission to the programme will be admitted if they meet the requirements in the UvA's Selection and Placement Regulations. In addition to these central regulations, the Bachelor's degree programme in Psychobiology will only issue placement certificates until 31 August.

The educational entry requirements for the programme are laid down in the Teaching and Examination Regulations of the Psychobiology programme, specifically in Articles 2.1, 2.2, and 2.3 of Part A and Articles 3.1 and 3.2 of Part B.

2. Psychobiology selection procedure for 2024-2025

Target group

All prospective students who applied for the UvA's Psychobiology programme through Studielink no later than 15 January. Prospective students may take part in the selection procedure no more than twice.

Selection criteria

The selection criteria have been designed in such a way as to be the best possible predictors of study success. During the selection week, we have chosen to focus on a number of key components of the programme, namely information processing and self-study. Prospective students will take part in two lectures (either at the university or online), study independently using literature and a digital learning environment and sit an assessment on both subjects.

The subjects cover part of the learning outcomes of the programme relating to knowledge and understanding and provide an accurate and representative picture of the programme. The start of the programme will be highlighted, given that the subjects are covered in the first semester, which is also representative of the programme (the curriculum sampling method). Prospective students will perform well in the assessments if they are able to distinguish between main and minor points, work independently and apply the knowledge and insights they have gained.

When drawing up the selection procedure, consideration was given to the fact that many methods to gauge motivation are sensitive to subjective factors. The most suitable predictor of motivation is to require a significant minimum effort from prospective students. A significant commitment of approximately 20-24 hours of self-study will be required for prospective students to be able to achieve a successful result on the assessments. This means that motivation will indirectly co-determine prospective students' admission to the programme.



Selection procedure

The selection will take place in the period between 15 January (application deadline) and 15 April (communication of results through Studielink). The procedure is as follows:

- a. Three weeks prior to the day of the assessment, the course material will be made available to all participants online through Canvas.
- b. Within those three weeks prior to the assessment, two half-day sessions consisting of lectures on the course material will be offered off-campus. Attending these lectures is not compulsory and the course material will also be made available online.
- c. Prospective students can study the course material during the three-week self-study period prior to the assessments and may attend the off-campus lectures if they wish. The estimated self-study time required is 20-24 hours.
- d. On the concluding assessment day, the prospective students will sit two assessments to test their cognitive traits and, indirectly, their non-cognitive traits (motivation).

After the two assessments, the prospective students will complete a reflection questionnaire, which will encourage them to reflect on their study choice with the selection procedure as a study experience. The questionnaire will be discussed as a group and prospective students with doubts regarding their study choice will be able to request a consultation with the study adviser.

Ranking

The place of prospective students in the ranking will be determined by their average mark for all assessments. The 250 students with the highest score will be placed on the ranking of selected candidates.

International students

Prospective students from the Dutch Caribbean (Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao, Saba, Sint Eustatius and Sint Maarten) who applied for the degree programme through Studielink before 15 January and meet or will be meeting the educational entry requirements will be given the opportunity to take part in the same assessments at another location under controlled conditions.

Information for prospective students can be found on the following website:

[BA Psychobiologie \(NL\)](#)



SELECTION FOR PSYCHOLOGY

Procedure and selection criteria 2024-2025

For the academic year 2024-2025, the capacity is set at **600**, first-year students of which **260** places are available for the Dutch-language track (A) and **340** for the English-language track (B).

1. Educational entry requirements for the Bachelor's degree programme in Psychology

Only candidates who meet the educational entry requirements for the degree programme may be admitted to the programme. In many cases, it is not possible for candidates to meet the entry requirements at the time of the selection procedure. Candidates who successfully pass the selection procedure may be admitted to the programme if they meet the conditions set out in the 'UvA Regulations governing Selection and Placement' (*Regeling selectie en plaatsing UvA*). In addition to these centralised regulations, the Bachelor's degree programme in Psychology will issue placement certificates up to 15 August.

The educational entry requirements for the programme are laid down in the Teaching and Examination Regulations (*Onderwijs- en Examenregeling, OER*) of the Psychology programme in Articles 2.1, 2.2, 2.3 and 2.4 of the OER Part A and Articles 3.1 and 3.2 of the OER Part B. For those who wish to apply to the Dutch track Dutch at NT2-II level B2 minimally is required.

2. Selection procedure for Psychology 2024-2025

Target group

All candidates who applied before 15 January via Studielink for the Psychology programme at the UvA and registered for the selection procedure of track A or track B. A candidate can participate in the selection procedure once only.

Selection criteria

Participants in the selection procedure must take two tests on subjects that are representative of the content of the programme. Both tests count equally towards the calculation of the final score, which ultimately forms the basis for the ranking of the participants and corresponding placement via Studielink.

The topics for independent study and testing are as follows:

1. Research Methods and Statistics;
2. Psychological Theory.

The topics cover a part of the skills objectives (research skills) and a part of the knowledge objectives (Introduction to Psychology), in that way providing the most complete overview of the programme possible, given the central role of psychological theory building and research methods in our programme. Candidates who are able to distinguish between the main issue and side issues, who can work independently and acquire research skills, will score well on the combination test.

In determining the selection procedure, it has been taken into consideration that many of the methods for measuring motivation are sensitive to subjective factors. The most proximal predictor for measuring motivation is to require a significant best-efforts obligation from the candidates.

Candidates are expected to devote considerable effort (approximately 20-25 hours) to independent study in order to complete the tests successfully. For this reason, motivation plays an indirect role in determining the likelihood of admission.

Selection process

The selection takes place between 15 January (end date for enrolment) and 15 April (publication of results via Studielink) and is organised as follows:

- a. There are two¹ test days from which the applicant can choose.
- b. One week prior to the selected test day, lectures explaining the study material will be offered on location². These lectures are not compulsory, and they will also be made available online.
- c. One week prior to the selected test day, all study materials are made available online to all participants via the digital learning environment.
- d. Participants may study the material during the independent-study period of one week prior to the test and, if desired, participate in the lectures on location. The indicative time required for this independent study is 20 to 25 hours.
- e. During the final test day, applicants must complete two tests designed to test their cognitive characteristics and study skills. Applicants will do an online assessment³.

Ranking

The weighted average score obtained in the tests determines the applicant's position in the rankings for either the Dutch or English track.

Ranking in case of possible legislative change

If the proposed [bill on lottery will pass](#), the Psychology bachelor's program will use (weighted) lottery to rank our students: the score on the selection test determines the weight of the ballot, which allows applicants to influence their placement, but does not permanently end all chances to applicants who, due to circumstances or environmental influences, could not perform optimally during the test. We will use three weighting categories: high score, average score, low score.

More information for interested parties and applicants is available on the websites:

Dutch: [BA Psychologie](#)

English: [BA Psychology](#)

¹ or more if the number of applicants so requires

² if that is possible according to the guidelines of the RIVM

³ on-site assessment can be requested



SELECTION COMMUNICATION SCIENCE

Procedure and Selection Criteria 2024-2025

For the academic year 2024-2025, a maximum programme capacity of **650** applies for the Bachelor's in Communication Science.

1. Formal entry requirements

Only candidates who fulfill the formal entry requirements of the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science can be admitted to the programme.

In many cases, candidates cannot yet meet these requirements at the moment of selection. Candidates who follow the selection procedure successfully could be admitted to the programme if they have met the requirements as stated in the '*Regeling selectie en plaatsing UvA*' [Regulation selection and placement UvA]. In addition to this central regulation, the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science plans to give out placement certificates until 15 August the latest.

2. Procedure for selection Communication Science 2024-2025 Target group

The target group for the selection procedure are all applicants that have registered before 15 January in Studielink for the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science at the UvA. The applicant may participate only once in the selection.

Selection criteria

For the selection, candidates need to complete tasks that are a close representation of what they are expected to do as students in the programme (curriculum sampling). This method can predict academic achievement and provides candidates a proper insight into their fit to the programme.¹ All candidates need to take tests in two categories that represent the content of the programme:

1. Basic communication science theories,
2. Main methods in communication science research, descriptive statistics and inferential statistics

Theories and methods cover parts of the first two introductory courses of the Bachelor's programme, which form the basis for the rest of the programme. Candidates prepare for these tests by attending lectures (on location or online) and self-study.

The following competencies are relevant to be successful in the programme.

1. the candidate is able to study independently,
2. the candidate is able to understand basic theoretical concepts in the field of communication science,
3. the candidate is able to show a basic command of research and academic skills and an academic attitude.

¹ Niessen, A. S. M. (2018). New rules, new tools: Predicting academic achievement in college admissions. [Groningen]: Rijksuniversiteit Groningen.



Moreover, students need to invest a proper amount of time in order to be successful in the selection process (circa 20-25 hours). In doing so, they show their motivation for the programme, making motivation an indirect criterium for selection.

Selection process

The selection process has the following set-up:

- the selection takes place between 15 January (application deadline Studielink) and 15 April (announcement of result via Studielink);
- two selection days will be programmed. Candidates can choose on which day they wish to take a combination of both tests. The test takes places online, with the use of proctoring software. Candidates may request to take the test on-site;
- in the week before both selection days, students can attend on-campus lectures that prepare them for the test. Attending these lectures is not mandatory and lectures will be available online as well;
- two weeks before the test, the study material is available on Canvas;
- candidates need approximately 20 to 25 hours to study independently and complete the test successfully.

Ranking

The weighted average of the results of both tests will be the final grade, that determines the ranking of the candidates.

Ranking in case of possible legislative change

If the [legislative proposal lottery](#) is introduced, the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science will use (weighted) lottery: the score on the selection test determines the weight of the lottery, which allows applicants to influence their placement. We will use three weighting categories: high score, average score, low score.

Timeline

1 October 2023 – 15 January 2024	Registration in Studielink
15 January – 15 April 2024	Selection procedure
15 April – 15 August 2024	Placement process

Appendix to the faculty selection regulations

as included in the Enrolment Provisions for the University of Amsterdam 2024–2025

By decision 2023-041003 dated 21 July 2023, the 2024 - 2025 faculty selection regulations for the Bachelor's programmes in Communication Science, Political Science and Psychology were established. These regulations stipulate that candidate ranking is based on a lottery number determined through a weighted lottery, using three weighting factors: high score, average score and low score on the selection test.

The classes and weighting factors for the lottery are as follows:

For the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science:

- **High score:** 1–200, the 200 candidates with the highest scores on the selection test, **weighting factor 10,000**;
- **Average score:** 201–half of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who participated in the selection test, **weighting factor 0.55**;
- **Low score:** half of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who participated in the selection, plus one – the candidate with the lowest score, **weighting factor 0.45**.

For the Bachelor's programme in Political Science:

- **High score:** 1–200, the 200 candidates with the highest scores on the selection test, **weighting factor 10,000**;
- **Average score:** 201–half of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who participated in the selection test, **weighting factor 0.55**;
- **Low score:** half of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who participated in the selection, plus 1 – the candidate with the lowest score, **weighting factor 0.45**.

For the Bachelor's programme in Psychology:

- **High score:** 1–200, the 200 candidates with the highest scores on the selection test, **weighting factor 10,000**;
- **Average score:** 67 per cent of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who participated in the selection test, **weighting factor 1**;
- **Low score:** 33 per cent of the remaining (after the top 200) candidates who scored lowest on the selection test, **weighting factor 0**.



Adopted by the Executive Board
decision number 2023-100537

Appendix 10

UvA Regulations on Student Intake in Post-Propaedeutic Phase adopted by decision of 23 October 2018, decision no. 2018-070395, and the faculty regulations for the Bachelor's programmes in Psychology, Dentistry and Business Administration, adopted by decisions of 25 October 2019, decision no. 2019-095469, 6 November 2020, no. 2020-116199 and 1 November 2022, 2022-160134.



REGULATIONS GOVERNING INTAKE FOR THE POST-PROPAEDEUTIC PHASE AT THE UVA

adopted by decision no. 2018-070395 of the Executive Board of 23 October 2018,

for degree programmes with an enrolment quota within the meaning of Section 7.53 and 7.56 of the Higher Education and Research Act (WHW).

Article 1

Due to the inadequacy of the teaching capacity available for the degree programmes for which an enrolment quota within the meaning of Section 7.53 or 7.56 of the WHW applies, enrolment in the post-propaedeutic phase of these degree programmes will be refused to those who have not already been enrolled in the relevant degree programme at the University of Amsterdam.

Article 2

If the teaching capacity for the relevant degree programme in the relevant academic year is adequate, the dean of the faculty to which the degree programme belongs may, on behalf of the Executive Board, grant dispensation from this refusal in individual cases:

- a. in the case of unique, extremely urgent personal circumstances by virtue of which the degree programme cannot be continued at the student's own institution, or
- b. on the basis of further regulations governing intake for the post-propaedeutic phase of the relevant degree programme that have been prepared by the dean of the faculty to which the degree programme belongs and adopted by the Executive Board.

Article 3

A request for admission by virtue of Article 2 must be submitted via Studielink. The Student Counsellors Department issues advice concerning the existence of unique, extremely urgent personal circumstances.

Article 4

The dean of the faculty to which the degree programme belongs decides on behalf of the Executive Board.

Article 5

A decision on admission applies exclusively to the academic year for which it has been issued.

Article 6

These regulations were adopted by the Executive Board by decision of 28 October 2018 with decision number 2018-070395 will come into force on 1 October 2018.



EXPLANATION OF THE REGULATIONS GOVERNING INTAKE FOR THE POST-PROPAEDEUTIC PHASE

for the degree programmes with an enrolment quota within the meaning of Section 7.53 and 7.56 of the WHW.

With respect to the degree programmes for which an enrolment quota within the meaning of Section 7.53 or 7.56 has been determined, the initial enrolment as a student in the propaedeutic phase of these degree programmes is only possible if the relevant individual is in possession of a confirmation of admission issued via Studielink. No confirmation of admission is required for enrolment in the post-propaedeutic phase. That means that the enrolment quota could be bypassed without any further arrangements being required. If UvA had to enrol an unlimited number of students, capacity problems could still occur.

Based on Section 7.54 of the WHW, it is possible to refuse enrolment in the post-propaedeutic phase to those who have not already been enrolled in the relevant degree programme at UvA. To this end, UvA adopted the Regulations governing intake for the post-propaedeutic phase for Psychology, Dentistry and Medicine.

Not all Bachelor's degree programmes have a propaedeutic year. In the WHW, a 'post-propaedeutic phase' is also understood to mean the phase of the Bachelor's degree programme that follows the initial period of the programme representing a workload of 60 credits.

If the teaching capacity in the relevant academic year allows, it is, in certain cases, possible to depart from the refusal of admission. This is subject to the existence of unique, extremely urgent circumstances. These can include: medical and/or psychological grounds, social and/or economic grounds, refugee status, family reunification and residence with one's partner in the Netherlands. Furthermore, it is possible to depart from the refusal of admission on the basis further regulations governing intake for the post-propaedeutic phase of the relevant degree programme that have been prepared by the dean of the faculty to which the degree programme belongs and adopted by the Executive Board.



REGULATIONS GOVERNING INTAKE FOR THE POST-PROPAEDEUTIC PHASE for Dental Hygienists

Adopted by decision of 6 November 2020,
no. 2020-116199 of the Executive Board of the University of Amsterdam,
adopted at the meeting of 9 September 2020, dean of the ACTA prof. F. Abbas.

Depending on the capacity available in the post-propaedeutic phase of the degree programme, up to eight graduates in Oral Hygiene – subject to a selection procedure – can be admitted to the second year of the Bachelor's programme in Dentistry (ACTA) per academic year.

Candidates must enrol as an upper-year student **no later than on 15 January** preceding the academic year for which they wish to be enrolled, via Studielink, at 23:59 CET.

Selection Procedure Requirements

In order to participate in the selection procedure, candidates must meet the following requirements **no later than on 1 May** preceding the academic year for which they wish to be enrolled:

1. is in possession of a Dutch Bachelor's diploma in Oral Hygiene (obtained after 1 September 2005);
2. is in possession of a pre-university diploma with subject cluster Nature & Health plus Physics or Nature & Technology plus Biology (obtained after 1 September 2010), is in possession of modular certificates at pre-university education level/certificates of admission in Physics, Mathematics A or B, Biology and Chemistry, or has been granted exemption therefrom based on Section 7.28 or 7.29 of the WHW;
3. has acquired 750 hours of proven professional experience as a qualified dental hygienist (a recent employer's statement, including the business details of the relevant practice, will be required for requirement 3 so that ACTA can perform a reference check);
4. is in possession of a valid hepatitis B certificate;
5. has enrolled in time for the academic year following the selection procedure, via Studielink;
6. has received a score for the biomedical test taken during the entrance exam that is at least equal to the average received by the candidates who took part in the selection procedure for a place in the Bachelor's degree programme in Dentistry at UvA in the preceding three years;
7. has not previously participated in the selection procedure for the post-propaedeutic phase for dental hygienists.

A candidate who applied in time for the academic year for which the candidate wishes to be enrolled as an upper-year student, via Studielink, will receive an invitation for the entrance exam.

The evidence proving that the candidate meets the requirements as set out under 1 through 4 must be submitted in digital form, via studie-info@acta.nl, no later than 1 May.



Entrance Exam

The entrance exam consists of the biomedical test that is also taken by the candidates who participate in the selection procedure for a place in the Bachelor's degree programme in Dentistry at UvA for the academic year following the selection procedure.

The entrance exam is administered in the month of February preceding the academic year for which the student wishes to be enrolled and will take place in the ACTA building at Gustav Mahlerlaan 3004 in Amsterdam or in the IWO examination rooms, Meibergdreef 29, 1105 AZ Amsterdam.

The test takes place on a single day.

Admissions Board

The Admissions Board is responsible for admissions to the upper years. The Admissions Board will determine the ranking of every candidates based on:

1. the result of the biomedical test of which the entrance exam consists. The candidate with the best score will be first, etc.
2. The candidate's score must be higher than the three-year average score achieved by candidates in the regular selection procedure.
3. If multiple candidates achieved exactly the same score for the biomedical test, the list of marks for the Bachelor's degree programme in Oral Hygiene that the candidate has submitted in digital form will be assessed to determine the ranking.

Candidates who have participated in the entrance exam but do not meet the requirement as referred to under 6 (selection procedure) will not be given a ranking number.

The Admission Decision will be issued to the candidates in order of ranking if, on the reference date of 1 May preceding the academic year for which the candidate wishes to be enrolled, they meet all the requirements as set out under 1 through 4 (selection procedure).

The Admission Decision will only apply for the academic year that follows the selection procedure.



REGULATIONS GOVERNING INTAKE FOR THE POSTPROPAEDEUTIC PHASE for the Bachelor's programme in Psychology

Adopted by decision no. 2019-095469 of the Executive Board of 25 October 2019.

Students who satisfy the conditions set out below can be admitted to the 2nd year of the Bachelor's programme in Psychology.

They must enrol as an upper-year student via Studielink.

Admission Requirement:

In possession of the first-year diploma in Psychology from a Dutch university (or equivalent) or have obtained the 60 ECTS from the first academic year of the Bachelor's programme in Psychology at a Dutch university (or equivalent) or have successfully completed the first academic year of the Bachelor's degree programme in Psychobiology at the UvA or have completed prior education on the basis of which the Psychology Examinations Board decides that admission to the 2nd year is appropriate.

Admission decision:

The admission decision is issued by the dean of the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences by no later than 31 August in the academic year preceding the date on which the student will start and applies only to the following academic year.



REGULATIONS FOR THE STUDENT INTAKE IN THE POST-PROPAEDEUTIC PHASE of the Bachelor's Programme in Business Administration

Students who satisfy the conditions set out below can be admitted to the second year of the Bachelor's programme in Business Administration. They must enrol as an upper-year student via Studielink.

Conditions:

- Students must satisfy the conditions stipulated in the *Student Transfer and Articulation Agreement concluded with Shanghai University*, SILC on 15 December 2017, and have an admission decision issued by the dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business;

or

- Students must satisfy the conditions stipulated in the *Memorandum of Agreement between the University of Amsterdam and the Faculty of Economics of the University of Indonesia*, and have an admission decision issued by the dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business.

Admission decision: The admission decision will be issued by the dean of the Faculty of Economics and Business no later than 31 August in the academic year preceding the academic year to which the enrolment request pertains and will only apply for the relevant academic year.



REGULATIONS FOR THE INTAKE IN THE POST-PROPAEDEUTIC PHASE of the Bachelor's Programme in Communication Science

Adopted by decision no. 2023-109910 of the Executive Board of 1 November 2023.

Students who satisfy the conditions set out below can be admitted to the second year of the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science.

They must enrol as an *upper-year student* via Studielink.

Admission requirement:

having obtained 60 ECTS for the first year of:

- the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science at Radboud University Nijmegen; or
- the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science at University of Twente; or
- the Bachelor's programme in Communication Science at VU Amsterdam;

or

having obtained 120 ECTS for a related* degree programme with an applied emphasis at a Dutch university of applied sciences, or prior education which the Communication Science Examinations Board believes qualifies you for admission to the second year.

* The Communication Science Examinations Board, during the registration procedure, will assess whether the degree programme with an applied emphasis is related. Examples of related programmes are Communication, Marketing Management and Business Administration.

Admission decision:

The *admission decision* is issued by the dean of the Faculty of Social and Behavioural Sciences by no later than 31 August in the academic year preceding the date on which the student will start and applies only to the following academic year.