



International Student Checklist

Fall Semester 2026–2027

Before arrival

- Activate your METU email account (<https://useraccount.metu.edu.tr/newstudent/index.php?lang=EN>)
- Apply for METU NCC Student ID card (<http://cardinfo.metu.edu.tr/>)
- Prepare the documents you must bring: passport and photocopy, high school diploma, official transcript, acceptance letter, 6–8 passport-size photos

After arrival

- Complete dormitory registration (2 passport-size photos required)
- Complete document registration at the Registrar's Office — September 14, 2026
- Register your electronic devices for campus internet access (<http://faq.cc.metu.edu.tr/groups/e-mail-programs>)
- Activate and recharge your student ID card in the Akva office located at the bus stop (in front of Dorm 2) for campus transportation. Cash payment is not preferred in the University buses. If you still have not received your student ID card, you may request a temporary card at the Akva office. Please visit the Akva page (<https://www.facebook.com/guzelyurtbus>) to stay updated.
- Apply for Student Residence Permit (within one month of arrival, after course registration) (<https://permissions.gov.ct.tr>)

Key dates

Date	Activity
September 15–16, 2026	English Proficiency Exam (if required)
September 19, 2026	CNG 100 Exemption Exam (if eligible)
September 22–27, 2026	Orientation Program
September 23–25, 2026	Online course registration
September 24, 2026	English Placement Exam (if applicable)

Attend classes

- Preparatory School: September 28, 2026
- Undergraduate Programs: September 28, 2026

Detailed information can be found in the registration guide located on the link below:

<https://ncc.metu.edu.tr/new-students>