# **ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION in ANADOLU UNIVERSITY**

First founded as Eskişehir Academy of Economy and Commercial Sciences in 1958, it became Anadolu University in 1982. Since then, Anadolu University has strived to be the best. Today, Anadolu University is considered one of the most modern, dynamic, and innovative universities not only in Turkey, but also around the world.

**Date of Establishment**: November 6, 1958

**Language of Instruction**: Turkish, English, French, German

**Type of university**: State

**Number of Faculties** : 12 (3 of which are Distance Education)

**Number of State** 

: 1 Conservatories

Number of Schools : 7

**Number of Vocational Schools: 2** 

**Number of Graduate Schools**: 9

Number of Research Centers : 36

Number of Academic Staff : 1.836

**Number of Undergraduate** 

**:** 23.347 (Resident)

**Students** 

Number of Graduate (MA,

MS) and Post Graduate (PhD): 1.547

**Students** 

Number of Open Education

1.121.360 (Students in faculties offering distance

**Students** 

education such as Faculty of Economics, Business

Administration and Open Education)

# MEDIUM of INSTRUCTION in ANADOLU UNIVERSITY

In a fast developing and globalizing world, the need to learn English is clear. Departments in Anadolu University offer their students different courses according to the objectives of their programs. Thus, the medium of instruction plays an important role.\*

There are three types of departments that use English for content courses:

- 1) Departments where the medium of instruction is Turkish
- 2) Departments where the medium of instruction is 30% English
- 3) Departments where the medium of instruction is English

\* The medium of instruction and/or English courses in a department must be approved by The Council of Higher Education, which is a 22-member corporate public body responsible for the planning, coordination and supervision of higher education within the provisions set forth in the Higher Education Law, if all the requirements defined in the related regulation are met.

# **MEDIUM of INSTRUCTION in FACULTIES**

## **TURKISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION**

## **Faculty of Pharmacy**

Basic Pharmaceutical Sciences, Pharmaceutical Technology and Professional Pharmaceutical Sciences

## **Faculty of Humanities**

Archeology (\*\*), Art History (\*\*), History (\*\*), Sociology (\*\*), Turkish Language and Literature (\*)

- (\*) Intensive English language program is required.
- (\*\*) Intensive English language program is voluntary.

## **Faculty of Education**

Educational Technology and Computing (\*), Arts and Crafts Education, Mathematics Teacher Training with a Minor in Sciences, Pre-School Education, Social Studies with a Minor in Turkish, Education of the Hearing Impaired, Education of the Mentally Handicapped.

(\*) Intensive foreign language program is voluntary.

## **Faculty of Law**

Law (\*)

(\*) One-year Intensive foreign language program is voluntary.

## **Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences**

Business (\*) -Normal and Evening, Economics (\*) -Normal and Evening, Labor Economics and Industrial Relations(\*), Public Finance (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is voluntary.

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## **Faculty of Science**

Biology (\*), Chemistry (\*), Mathematics (\*), Physics (\*), Statistics (\*).

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

## **Faculty of Fine Arts**

Animation (\*), Ceramic Arts (\*), Graphic Arts (\*), Interior Design (\*), Painting (\*), Printmaking (\*), Sculpture (\*), Glass Making (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

## **Faculty of Communication Sciences**

Cinema and Television (\*), Communication Arts (\*), Advertising and Public Relations (\*), Printing and Publications (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

## **Faculty of Engineering and Architecture**

Architecture (\*) (\*\*), Chemical Engineering (\*) (\*\*), Civil Engineering (\*) (\*\*), Environmental Engineering (\*), Industrial Engineering (\*) (\*\*),

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

## **ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION**

## **Faculty of Education**

English as a Foreign Language,

English as a Foreign Language (dual diploma program with SUNY-Cortland) (\*),

French as a Foreign Language, German as a Foreign Language,

(\*) First and fourth year courses at Anadolu University, second and third year courses at SUNY-Cortland.

## **Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences**

Business Administration in English\*, Economics in English\*, International Dual Diploma Program in Economics (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

## **Faculty of Engineering and Architecture**

Computer Engineering in English (\*), Electrical and Electronics Engineering in English, Materials Science and Engineering in English (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

# **MEDIUM of INSTRUCTION in SCHOOLS**

## **TURKISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION**

## **School of Physical Education and Sports**

Coach Training, Physical Education Teacher Training, Recreation (\*\*), Sports Management

(\*\*) Intensive English language program is voluntary.

## **School of Music and Drama**

Guitar, Harp, Piano, String Instruments, Wind and Percussion Instruments, String Instrument Construction, Drama (\*\*), Opera (\*\*).

(\*\*) Intensive English language program is voluntary.

## **School of Industrial Arts**

Industrial Design (\*\*), Fashion Design (\*\*)

(\*\*) Intensive English language program is voluntary.

# **School for the Handicapped**

Computer Technology and Programming (Associate Degree (\*\*\*)), Construction (Associate Degree (\*\*\*)), Ceramic Arts (Bachelors Degree (\*\*\*)),

Graphic Arts (Bachelors Degree (\*\*\*))

(\*\*\*) Intensive Turkish program is required.

## 30% ENGLISH-MEDIUM INSTRUCTION

## **School of Civil Aviation**

Avionics (\*), Air Traffic Control (\*), Aircraft Airframe and Power Plant Maintenance (\*), Aviation Management (\*), Flight Training (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

# **School of Tourism and Hotel Management**

Tourism and Hotel Management (\*)

(\*) Intensive English language program is required.

# MEDIUM of INSTRUCTION in VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

\* All departments have Turkish-medium instruction.

## **Eskisehir Vocational School**

Cooking and Culinary Arts, Office Management and Secretarial Training, Foreign Trade, Marketing, Tourism and Hotel Management

## **Porsuk Vocational School**

Computer Technology and Programming, Hand Crafts, Electric, Industrial Electronics, Industrial Automation, Highway Transportation and Traffic, Mechanics, Printing, Radio and Television Techniques, Furniture and Interior Decoration, Accounting, Railway Transportation Technology, Automotive, Textile

**EDUCATION in SCHOOL of FOREIGN LANGUAGES** 

Before starting their major, as required by regulations and their departments, most

students are required to have a high English language proficiency level and good command of

English to be able to follow the courses in their departments with success. With this purpose,

in Basic Languages Department, students attend a compulsory or elective intensive English

language program.

Basic Languages Department aims to increase the English proficiency level of the

students and prepare them for their undergraduate work as the language of instruction for

some of the academic programs in Anadolu University are in English. It provides students

from various departments and at different language proficiency levels with basic English in a

nurturing and supportive teaching and learning environment to comprehend and react to what

they read and hear, and to express themselves through written and oral language so that

students can communicate effectively in various (their) academic, professional and social

contexts. To achieve the general goals of the program, School of Foreign Languages follows a

skill-based curriculum in which students at various proficiency levels attend courses of

Integrated Listening and Speaking, Reading, Writing and Grammar-in-Context.

A further aim of the Basic Languages Department is to broaden students' vision by

encouraging them to become autonomous learners who are competent in pursuing the

advances in the international academic and scientific arena.

**Exemption** 

If a student has one of the following scores, s/he can start her/his major without

studying in School of Foreign Languages.

KPDS (The Foreign Language Examination for Civil Servants): 65

ÜDS (The Interuniversity Foreign Language Examination): 65

TOEFL: 65 (IBT), 183 (CBT), 513 (PBT)

IEITS: 6.0 (from all components)

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## The Program

In the program, there are six proficiency levels: Beginner, Elementary, Lower-Intermediate, Intermediate, Upper-Intermediate and Advanced.

Students who are required to attend the intensive language program and those who volunteer to attend the intensive language program need to take the Exemption Exam. This exam consists of two parts: The Placement Test (100 questions) and a general English language Proficiency Test. Those who get 60 points on the Placement Exam go on to take the Proficiency Test, which consists of three components (Listening, Grammar and Structure, and Reading) plus Proficiency in Speaking and Proficiency in Writing. If they attain an average score of 70 points on the Proficiency Test, they can start their education in their departments without attending the program. If they cannot, they start their education at Intermediate, Upper-Intermediate or Advanced levels depending their scores on the Placement Exam. Those who cannot get 60 points on the Placement Exam start their education at Beginner, Elementary or Lower Intermediate levels.

In Basic Languages Department, they are taught the four language skills and English Grammar in a weekly schedule of 24\*, 26\*\* or 28\*\*\* hours.

\* Advanced level

\*\* Intermediate, Upper-Intermediate levels

\*\*\* Beginner, Elementary and Lower-Intermediate levels

## **End of the Program**

At the end of the second semester, students enter the Exit Exam, which consists of three components (Listening, Grammar and Structure, and Reading) plus Proficiency in Speaking and Proficiency in Writing. On this test, they must attain an average of 70 points to pass. If they fail, they enter the Re-sit Exam two months later. If they fail again, different procedures\* are applied depending on the medium of instruction in their departments and the year(s) spent at the School of Foreign Languages.

\* a) If the students in the following departments cannot complete the Program for the second time, or cannot get the required score from KPDS, ÜDS, TOEFL or IELTS during their

education in the Program, they are disqualified and sent to another university where the medium of instruction is Turkish by OSYM (Student Selection and Placement Center).

English as a Foreign Language,

English as a Foreign Language (dual diploma program with SUNY-Cortland),

International Dual Diploma Program in Economics with SUNY-Cortland, Economics in English, Business Administration in English,

Cinema and Television, Advertising and Public Relations, Printing and Publications,

Architecture, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Computer Engineering, Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Environmental Engineering, Materials Science and Engineering,

Tourism and Hotel Management

\* b) If the students in the following departments cannot complete the Program for the second time, they can start their major in their departments, but cannot graduate until they get the required score from KPDS, ÜDS, TOEFL or IELTS, or from the exams by the School of Foreign Languages during their undergraduate education.

Animation, Ceramic Arts, Graphic Arts, Interior Design, Painting, Printmaking, Sculpture, Glass Making,

Turkish Language and Literature,

Biology, Chemistry, Mathematics, Physics, Statistics,

Avionics, Air Traffic Control, Aircraft Airframe and Power Plant Maintenance, Aviation Management, Flight Training, \*c) The students who attend the Program voluntarily, but fail the Exit or RE-sit Exam at the end of their first year at the School of Foreign Languages can go on to study in their departments without any restrictions.

# ENGLISH COURSES in FACULTIES, SCHOOLS and VOCATIONAL SCHOOLS

Starting their major, students take elective or compulsory (if required by their departments) English courses at various levels in their departments.

**English at Beginner or Elementary Level:** This course is a complete course for students studying English at beginner level. It provides extensive, systematic and well-integrated practice in the productive and receptive skills necessary for successful communication in both oral and written forms of language. This course is offered for students who study in Turkishmedium departments in Eskişehir and Porsuk Vocational Schools and Faculty of Education.

English at Lower-Intermediate Level: The aim of this course is to enable students to communicate effectively in spoken English on issues and ideas with a reasonable degree of fluency and accuracy in different social settings and different kinds of social encounters, to read variety of texts, comprehend and react them in a reasonable degree, to understand real life spoken English, to recognize and practice basic English grammar structures functionally and to express themselves in writing through different text types. This course is offered in

\* Department of Sociology and Department of Art History,

\* School of Music and Drama

**English at Advanced Level:** This course focuses on developing vocabulary, grammar and reading comprehension skills. This course is offered in

- \* Faculty of Humanities, Departments of History, Archeology, Sociology, Turkish Language and Literature,
- \* School of Tourism and Hotel Management,
- \* School of Industrial Arts,
- \* Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences, Departments of Business Administration in English, Economics in English, and Business,
- \* Faculty of Fine Arts,
- \* Faculty of Science,
- \* Faculty of Communication Sciences

**English for Specific Purposes:** This course is also offered in some departments in addition to the courses in English.

- \* English Historical Text, Department of History
- \* English for Specific Purposes, Department of Biology, Department of Recreation Program in String Instruments, Department of Coach Training in Sports
- \* Legal English, Faculty of Law
- \* Presentation Techniques, Department of Communication
- \* Technical English, Department of Civil Engineering
- \* English for Business, Department of Electric and Electronics Engineering
- \* Technical English for Industrial Engineering, Department of Industrial Engineering
- \* Technical English for Materials Engineering, Dep. of Materials Science and Engineering