



HAKKARI UNIVERSITY
2026–2027 ACADEMIC YEAR
INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ADMISSION ANNOUNCEMENT

APPLICATION CALENDAR

Process	Date
Application Period	14 July – 15 September 2026
Evaluation of Applications	16–20 September 2026
Announcement of Candidates Eligible for Final Registration (First Placement Round)	21 September 2026
Issuance of Letters of Acceptance	21 September 2026
Online Registration of Candidates Admitted in the First Placement Round	22–30 September 2026
Final Registration	01 October – 30 November 2026

QUOTA TABLE

Program	Duration	Quota
Faculty of Education / Turkish Language Teaching	4 Years	2
Faculty of Education / Science Education	4 Years	5
Faculty of Education / Elementary Mathematics Education	4 Years	5
Faculty of Education / Guidance and Psychological Counseling	4 Years	5
Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences / Economics	4 Years	3
Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences / Public Finance	4 Years	2
Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences / Political Science and International Relations	4 Years	3
Total		25

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The eligibility requirements for applicants seeking admission from abroad are as follows:

1. Applicants who are in their final year of secondary education or have already graduated, provided that they meet one of the following conditions:

a. Foreign nationals.

b. Individuals who were Turkish citizens by birth but obtained permission from the Ministry of Interior to renounce Turkish citizenship, as well as their minor children who are registered in the Certificate of Renunciation of Turkish Citizenship and who hold a document certifying their right to benefit from the rights granted under the Turkish Citizenship Law.

Pursuant to Article 7 of the Turkish Citizenship Law No. 5901, "A child born within or outside Türkiye to a Turkish citizen mother or father within wedlock shall be a Turkish citizen." Therefore,

applicants intending to apply under international student admission quotas are advised to review the relevant provisions of the Turkish Citizenship Law.

c. Individuals who were originally foreign nationals but later acquired Turkish citizenship, as well as dual nationals in this category.

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1) Turkish citizens who commenced their secondary education abroad before 1 February 2013, provided that they completed the last three years of their secondary education in a foreign country other than the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC). This also includes students who completed their entire secondary education at Turkish schools established abroad under the Turkish Ministry of National Education (excluding the TRNC).

2) Applicants who commenced their secondary education abroad on or after 1 February 2013, provided that they completed their entire secondary education in a foreign country other than the TRNC. This also includes students who completed their entire secondary education at Turkish schools established abroad under the Turkish Ministry of National Education (excluding the TRNC).

e. Citizens of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) who reside in the TRNC and have completed their secondary education there and possess GCE A Level qualifications, as well as those who enrolled in secondary schools or colleges in other countries between 2005 and 2010 and have obtained or will obtain GCE A Level qualifications, are eligible to apply.

2. Applications from the following candidates shall not be accepted:

a. Turkish citizens who have completed their entire secondary education in Türkiye or the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC).

b. Citizens of the TRNC, except those who completed their entire secondary education in TRNC high schools and hold GCE A Level qualifications, or those who enrolled in secondary schools or colleges in other countries between 2005 and 2010 and have obtained or will obtain GCE A Level qualifications.

c. Dual nationals whose first nationality by birth is the Republic of Türkiye, as defined in Article 1(b), except those who satisfy the conditions specified in Article 1(ç)(1).

d. Dual nationals, one of whose nationalities is that of the TRNC, except those who completed their entire secondary education in TRNC high schools and hold GCE A Level qualifications, or those who enrolled in secondary schools or colleges in other countries between 2005 and 2010 and have obtained or will obtain GCE A Level qualifications.

e. Turkish citizens, or dual nationals whose first nationality by birth is the Republic of Türkiye as defined in Article 1(b), who have studied at schools affiliated with foreign embassies in Türkiye or at foreign high schools located in Türkiye.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND REGISTRATION PROCEDURES

International applicants seeking admission to Hakkari University must satisfy the following requirements:

a. Applicants must have taken one of the equivalent secondary school graduation and/or university entrance examinations recognized nationally or internationally and listed in Table 1, and must have obtained at least the minimum score specified therein.

b. Applicants must possess a valid secondary school graduation grade (high school GPA) according to the grading system of their country.

c. Applicants may apply to a maximum of five (5) academic programmes.

Placement is made according to the order of preferences and the University's evaluation system. The examination scores listed in Table 1 are converted to a 100-point scale, with 100 being the highest possible score. The placement process is then finalized based on the applicant's secondary school graduation grade.

In the event of a tie in the placement score, preference shall be given first to the younger applicant and subsequently to the applicant who graduated from secondary education more recently.

d. The evaluation and placement of applicants to programmes admitting students through a special talent examination shall be carried out in accordance with the principles and procedures determined by the relevant academic unit on the dates announced by the University.

e. The minimum financial resources required for international students to pursue their studies at the University shall be determined annually by the University Executive Board and announced together with the admission requirements.

f. Applicants who are granted the right to enrol at the University as a result of the evaluation process must complete their registration by submitting the required documents within the registration period determined by the University Senate.

g. Applicants' Turkish language proficiency shall be determined based on one of the following certificates:

- Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate issued by the Turkish Language Teaching Research and Application Centers (TÖMER) of Turkish universities;
- Turkish Language Proficiency Certificate issued by the Yunus Emre Institute;
- Turkish Language Certificate issued in accordance with the Common European Framework by the Council of Europe.

h. Registration procedures shall be carried out by the Registrar's Office (Department of Student Affairs). Applications with incomplete or missing registration documents shall not be accepted.

EVALUATION OF APPLICATIONS, PLACEMENT PROCEDURES, TUITION FEES, AND VISA / HEALTH INSURANCE PROCEDURES

Evaluation of Applications

a. The International Student Commission shall be responsible for reviewing applications, conducting the preliminary evaluation, overseeing examinations and selection procedures where applicable, and announcing the admission results for applicants to the programmes admitting international students at Hakkari University.

b. The evaluation of applications to programmes admitting students through a special talent examination shall be conducted by the relevant academic unit.

c. Applicants whose examination results and secondary school diploma grades are based on different grading systems shall have their scores converted to a 100-point scale for evaluation.

Placement Procedures

a. The placement list of applicants whose applications have been accepted shall be announced on the University's official website on the dates specified in the academic calendar.

b. If vacancies remain after the placement process conducted according to the academic calendar, additional applications may be accepted on the dates determined by the University.

c. During the placement process, if applicants have equal diploma grades and placement scores in accordance with the criteria specified in Table 1, preference shall be given to the younger applicant.

- d.** The number of students of the same nationality admitted to any academic unit shall not exceed 20% of the total international student quota allocated to the programmes within that unit. If quotas remain unfilled, the remaining vacancies may be filled according to applicants' placement scores without applying this restriction.
- e.** Hakkari University reserves the right to fill or not to fill the announced quotas. Meeting the minimum application requirements does not guarantee admission or placement.
- f.** Letters of Acceptance shall be sent to the e-mail addresses provided by the applicants whose applications have been accepted.
- g.** Applicants who fail to complete their registration within the specified registration period shall forfeit their right to enrol.
- h.** If the announced quotas remain unfilled, the International Student Commission may, where deemed necessary, admit additional applicants who apply in person, taking into consideration their placement scores and programme preferences.

Application Fee

A non-refundable application fee of **USD 20** is required for all international student applications. To be eligible for evaluation, applicants must deposit the application fee into the bank account specified below and upload the payment receipt to the online application system.

The application fee is non-refundable for applicants who are not admitted or who fail to complete their registration.

For applicants who are admitted and complete their final registration, the application fee paid shall be deducted from the tuition fee.

Bank Name	Halkbank
Branch Name and Code	Hakkari Branch – 0382
Account Number	58000240
IBAN	TR42 0001 2009 3820 0058 0002 40
SWIFT Code	TRHBTR2A

Tuition Fee

The tuition fee payable by international students admitted to Hakkari University shall be determined annually by the University Executive Board, in accordance with the relevant Presidential Decree.

The applicable tuition fee will be announced on the University's official website at a later date.

Student Visa

a. Applicants are required to obtain a Student Visa, which will be issued in their name and for which the Letter of Acceptance will be sent to the e-mail address provided in their application. The Student Visa enables applicants to enter Türkiye for educational purposes.

b. International students who have completed their secondary education in Türkiye and the children of foreign nationals holding a valid work permit or residence permit in Türkiye are exempt from the requirement to obtain a Student Visa for higher education registration.

General Health Insurance

Procedures concerning the general health insurance of international students shall be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the relevant legislation.

Notifications

All official notifications to students shall be made either by electronic mail sent to the e-mail address declared during registration or by announcement at the relevant academic unit to which the student is affiliated.

Notifications sent to the registered contact information of students who provide incorrect or incomplete contact details, or who fail to notify the Department of Student Affairs of any changes to their contact information within the prescribed period, shall be deemed valid and shall be considered duly served.

Students are required to notify the Department of Student Affairs of any changes to their declared contact information within fifteen (15) days from the date of such change.

Obligations of International Students

International students who come to Türkiye or reside in Türkiye for the purpose of pursuing higher education shall be subject to the applicable laws and regulations of the Republic of Türkiye.

Disciplinary Procedures

Disciplinary matters concerning international students shall be governed by the provisions of the Regulation on Student Disciplinary Procedures for Higher Education Institutions.

LIST OF REQUIRED REGISTRATION DOCUMENTS

Candidates who are granted the right to final registration are required to submit the following documents during the registration process:

1. The original high school diploma together with its Turkish translation certified by a notary public or a Turkish foreign representative office.
2. The original Certificate of Equivalency issued by the Ministry of National Education of the Republic of Türkiye, an Education Attaché Office, or a Turkish Embassy/Education

Counsellor's Office in the applicant's country, certifying that the high school diploma is equivalent to a diploma obtained from a Turkish high school.

3. The original document showing the graduation grade point average and its Turkish translation certified by a Turkish Embassy or Consulate.
4. The original examination result certificate used for the application and its Turkish translation certified by a Turkish Embassy or Consulate.
5. Foreign language proficiency certificate, if available.
6. Turkish language proficiency certificate, if available.
7. A certified copy or a Turkish translation approved by a Turkish Embassy or Consulate of the Student Visa obtained from Turkish foreign representative offices.
8. A certified copy or a Turkish translation approved by a Turkish Embassy or Consulate of the passport or official identity document.
9. A bank receipt showing payment of the tuition fee.
10. Five (5) passport-sized photographs.
11. An official document, notarized document, or letter of undertaking demonstrating that the applicant has sufficient financial resources to cover educational and living expenses during their studies at the University.
12. For applicants who are citizens of the Republic of Türkiye, a declaration of the Turkish Identification Number or a photocopy of the Turkish Identity Card.
13. For male applicants who are citizens of the Republic of Türkiye, an official document indicating military service status, approved by the competent authorities.
14. For citizens of the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus (TRNC) who completed their entire secondary education at high schools in the TRNC, the original GCE A Level examination result certificate.
15. A copy of the residence permit. Foreign nationals who are required to apply for and obtain a residence permit after registration must submit a copy of their residence permit document to the relevant authorities.

TABLE 1: ACCEPTED EXAMINATIONS / DIPLOMAS AND MINIMUM SCORE REQUIREMENTS

Examination / Diploma Type	Minimum Score / Requirement
Abitur Examination	Maximum grade of 4
ACT (American College Test) Exam	Minimum score of 20/36 in Mathematics (Math), Science Reasoning, and Composite Score
Gaokao (National Higher Education Entrance Examination of the People's Republic of China)	Minimum 400/750 in the score type relevant to the applied program
Ujian Nasional (UAN/UN) – Indonesia	Minimum 40/60
French Baccalaureate	Minimum diploma grade of 10/20
GCE A Level Examination	A Levels in at least three subjects, one of which must be related to the applied program
TR-YÖS (Türkiye International Student Admission Examination)	Minimum 50% of the total score
Al-Edadiah (Iraq)	Minimum 60/120 in the relevant field
Iranian High School Diploma (Diplome Debirestan and Pişdaneşgahi)	Minimum average of 12/20 and minimum Pişdaneşgahi graduation grade of 12/20
Kazakhstan National University Test	Minimum 60/120
Kyrgyzstan National University Test (ORT)	Minimum 150/250
Al-Shahada Al-Thanawiyya (Libya)	Minimum 168/240 in either the Scientific Stream or the Social Sciences Stream
Countries and examinations not listed above	Subject to evaluation by the University Senate
Baccalaureate Libanais (Lebanon)	Minimum average score of 13/20 or 65/100 in the examination relevant to the applied program
Matura Certificate	Maximum grade of 4
National Vocational Qualification NVQ	Minimum Level 3/5
Secondary Education (High School) Grade Point Average	Minimum 60%
SAT I	Minimum total score of 1000/1600 and minimum Mathematics score of 400/800
Al-Shahada Al-Thanawiyya (Syria)	Minimum 150/240 in the relevant field
TQDK Examination (Azerbaijan University Entrance Examination)	Minimum 500/700
International Science Olympiads recognized and participated in by TÜBİTAK	Gold, Silver, or Bronze Medal
International Baccalaureate (IB)	Minimum diploma score of 24/42
Tawjihi Examination (Jordan and Palestine)	Minimum 70/100
Turkish Higher Education Institutions Examination (TYT/AYT)	A score equal to or higher than the previous year's minimum placement score of the applied program