



ERASMUS+ CALL FOR STUDIES A.Y. 2025/2026 FAQ

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APPLICATION AND DESTINATIONS

How do I proceed with filling out my application?

The application must be submitted exclusively online by logging in with your credentials on MyUnito and selecting "Bandi di mobilità internazionale" (International Mobility Calls) from the "Iscrizioni" (Registrations) menu.

Instructions for applying have been published on the website at the following <u>link</u>, where you can find all the information you need to complete your application.

I am an Italian citizen residing in Portugal, enrolled in a master's degree in Anthropology in Turin. Can I participate in the Erasmus+ Call?

If you are regularly enrolled at the University of Turin, you can apply for the Erasmus+ call. However, as stated in the Call for Applications, you cannot carry out your mobility in the Country of permanent residence. It will be considered binding the data available to the University at the beginning of the mobility period.

What is the difference between a country belonging to the "Programme Countries group" and one belonging to the "Partner Countries group"?

As stated in Art. 1.3 of the Call, the destinations are divided into the following two country groups:

- "Programme Countries Group" includes: EU Member States, the European Economic Area countries (Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway), and countries that are candidates for EU accession (Turkey, Serbia, and the Republic of North Macedonia);
- 2. "Partner Countries Group" includes: all countries in the world that do not belong to the "Programme Countries group". N.B.: The United Kingdom and Switzerland are into this group.

PLEASE NOTE: Overseas territories such as French Polynesia and French Guiana, which belong to France, are fully considered "Programme Countries".

What should I write in the "Notes" and "Additional Declarations" fields of the application?

The use of these fields depends on the instructions for the presentation and evaluation of applications provided by each School or Department not affiliated with a School in Annex 1 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026.

In general, the "Notes" field can be used to indicate specific motivations or the project related to the selected destination. The "Additional Declarations" field can be used to include additional elements that are useful for the evaluation of the application by the Selection Committee.

For more details on using these fields, contact the Campus office or the International Mobility Delegates of your Department (ufficio di Polo o ai Delegati per la mobilità internazionale del Dipartimento di afferenza).

Where can I see the active destinations for the academic year 2025/2026?

The destinations are available at the following link.

Is it possible to study for a year or a few months at a foreign university not listed among the active destinations for 2025/2026 in the Erasmus+ Call for Studies?

No, under the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026, you must only choose from the available destinations on the active destinations page for the academic year 2025/2026.

For information on other types of mobility, consult the Studiare e lavorare all'estero page.

Is it beneficial for a first-year student to apply if they have not yet earned credits (CFU)?

In terms of scoring, please refer to Article 9.1 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026, which states: "Students enrolled in the first year of an undergraduate degree program or a 5/6-year postgraduate degree programme: a score A = 0 will be awarded. However, the Evaluation Committee can award an additional score (see part B next) up to a maximum of 100 points for this type of student".





If I graduate in July and start my master's degree in September, can I apply? Or would I have to start from scratch with credits and be at a disadvantage?

Always consider the study level of the desired mobility (UG/PG/D) in alignment with your level of study for the 2025/2026 academic year:

- **UG outgoing** = *undergraduate*: bachelor's/first level degree;
- **PG outgoing** = *postgraduate*: specialist/master's/second level degree;
- **D** outgoing = dottorato. PhD.

For the first year of the master's, a score will be awarded based on the undergraduate grade.

I am in the third year of my bachelor's degree and will graduate in July or September 2025. Can I still apply for the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026?

Yes. In this case, you should apply for PG destinations (related to the master's degree program), considering the master's program you plan to enroll in for the next academic year. Note that the mobility period can begin after passing any entrance examination for the master's degree and enrolling for the 2025/2026 academic year, which coincides with the payment of the first installment of student contributions.

I am enrolled in the first year of a bachelor's degree; can I apply for the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026? Any limitations on this may be established by your Department/School and are indicated in Annex 1 of the Call. If you apply, the score will be calculated based on the criteria in Article 9 of the Erasmus+ Call for studies.

If I am a student who has not completed university exams within set time period (*fuoricorso*), can I still apply for the Erasmus+ Call for studies 2025/2026?

There are no restrictions. However, as stated in Article 9 of the Call, "The merit score for students enrolled in the third year but who are behind in their studies (Fuori Corso) will be 0 (A=0)".

Can I change the mobility level from UG to PG or vice versa?

No, the information related to the assigned Erasmus+ mobility is based on the provisions in the Erasmus+ Bilateral Agreement signed by the universities. We suggest checking the host university's website to verify if you can attend the courses you have selected, as the mobility level does not always determine access to specific courses.

Unfortunately, I made a mistake in filling out the application. Would it by any chance be possible for me to correct it now, although I have confirmed the application??

It is possible to cancel your application in order to give you the possibility to make any change. However, if you do not complete the entire application submission again by the deadline written on the Call (Thursday, December 19th, 2024, 1 p.m.), your application will not be considered valid.

To request the annullation of your application, you must write to <u>international exchange@unito.it</u> from your UniTo email address, indicating your matriculation number.

I wrote to mario.rossi@unito.it, who works at your office. I wanted to ask him to cancel my application to make some changes, but I have not received a response. How come?

All communications should be sent only to our office email address (<u>internationalexchange@unito.it</u>) using your UniTo e-mail address. Requests sent to our personal addresses will not get an answer.





This evening I sent the application, however, I forgot an attachment. I know there is the possibility to ask you to cancel it, but the deadline to submit the application is tomorrow at 1 p.m. Will I still make it in time?

Close to the Call deadline (Thursday, Dec. 19th, 2024, 1 p.m.), the online procedure experiences slowdowns caused by the high number of simultaneous connections. Therefore, it is strongly discouraged to submit change requests on the day of the deadline. Our office will be able to process such requests until 11:00 am on December 12th, 2024. Beyond that time, the timelines do not guarantee that the application cancellation process will be successful. It is understood that the reopening of the application does not guarantee - in any case - the possibility of reapplying by the deadline stipulated in the Call. In fact, if the student does not recomplete the submission of the entire application by the deadline (Thursday, December 19th, 2024, 1 p.m.), their application will not be considered valid.





LANGUAGE SKILLS AND REQUIREMENTS

School's Annex 1 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026.

If a university requires a language certificate, do I need it when submitting my application or when completing the Application Form for the partner university?

You must check the deadline by which the partner university requires you to have and/or provide the language certificate by consulting the Application Form procedure on the partner university's website.

For destinations where the language certificate is labeled as "Recommended," does that mean it is not mandatory? Generally, "Recommended" indicates the level of proficiency in the language of instruction required to attend courses and take exams offered by the partner university, though a certificate or language qualification is not required. For application evaluation, verify the instructions for submitting the application provided in your Department or

For further clarification, contact the Campus office or the International Mobility Delegates of your Department (<u>ufficio</u> <u>di Polo o ai Delegati per la mobilità internazionale del Dipartimento di afferenza</u>).

For admission to the partner university, consult the information provided on the foreign university's website, and for clarifications, contact their office dedicated to incoming/exchange/international students directly.

For destinations labeled "Required," does this mean I need an internationally recognized certificate, or is a certificate from CLA (Centro linguistico d'Ateneo) or another language center acceptable?

"Required" means that the partner university requires, upon registration, a language certificate that demonstrates the language skills needed to admit the student to attend classes. When an international certificate is required, the type of certificate needed is often specified, sometimes even the score obtained (e.g., IELTS 6.0, TOEFL, etc.).

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If I see "B1 English, B1 French" listed under Additional Requirements for my destination, what should I consider?

In this case, it is likely that the partner university offers some courses in English and others in French, with language requirements that may vary depending on the language of instruction. You should verify whether you meet the required language proficiency level and have any necessary language certificate for the courses you are interested in by consulting the course catalog on the host university's website.

If you have any questions, it is recommended to contact the host university directly.

Are there universities abroad that accept students without a language certificate?

Yes. You should check the language requirements of each foreign university by visiting the university's website.

Does the University Language Center (CLA) offer a language course and a language certificate?

For more information, please visit the CLA website at https://www.cla.unito.it/it or write an email to claunito@unito.it.

The host university requires a language certificate. Is there an agreement with the University Language Center (CLA)?

Yes, it is called the "Passaporto per l'Europa". Students selected for Erasmus+ study mobility for the 2025/2026 academic year can take a test at the CLA (Centro Linguistico di Ateneo) to assess their proficiency in the language of their host country. They will receive a language certificate indicating the level achieved, which can be presented to partner universities to meet their language requirements. You should check directly with the host university to confirm whether they accept the language certificate provided by the CLA. Updated information will be available soon on https://www.cla.unito.it/it.





If a partner university requires an English certification but I have a bachelor's degree in languages, does that count as a substitute?

No, a bachelor's degree in languages does not replace a language certification. Check the specific requirements listed in the agreements of your chosen destinations.

If three years have passed since I obtained my certification, is it expired or still valid?

The certification may still be declared, but the score will be awarded (or not) based on the criteria outlined in Annex 1. If the Application Form requires it, the acceptance will depend on the host university's policies.

If I apply to a destination that requires a language certification, and I do not have it, will I be excluded? If the Application Form requires the certification and you do not possess it, you will be excluded.

I am a non-Italian native speaker and would like to apply for the Erasmus+ Call for studies 2025/2026. Is my citizenship (or a self-certification) sufficient to earn the language score, or do I need to take a language exam (e.g., a CLA certification) to obtain this score?

Regarding language requirements, please note that they may be specified:

- in Annex 1 of the Erasmus+ Call for studies 2025/2026. For more information about the content of this document, please contact your School/Department internationalization office.
- in the Additional Requirements section of the inter-institutional agreement for your chosen destination, available within the list of <u>active destinations</u>. For more information on these, please contact the host university and/or consult their website.





ERASMUS+ FOR STUDIES GRANT

When will I need to provide the bank account information for receiving the grant? Can I provide a European bank account instead of an Italian one?

Bank account details for receiving the grant will be requested later, during the formalization of the Grant Agreement for the awarded Erasmus+ mobility. Only the students selected for Erasmus+ mobility will need to provide this information. It is possible to provide either an Italian or a European bank account, which **must be in the student's name or joint name.**

What is the amount of the Erasmus+ mobility grant?

The **monthly EU grant (Part A)** is provided to all winners of the Erasmus+ Call for studies 2025/2026. The amount varies based on the DESTINATION COUNTRY, ranging from €300 to €700 per month.

For the **Supplementary Contribution for Economically Disadvantaged Situations (Part B)**, it is granted based on specific requirements:

- 1. Economic and financial requirements (Condition to be met before the start of the mobility, as outlined in Article 7.3 of the Erasmus+ Study Program Call): Possess an ISEE with a value between 0 euro and 50,000.00 euro. The amount of the supplementary contribution, granted to eligible applicants, will vary according to the ISEE value.
- 2. "Fewer opportunities": Condition to be met before the start of the mobility, as outlined in Article 7.3 of the Erasmus+ Study Program Call.
- 3. Merit requirements (to be achieved at the end of the mobility period):
 - At least one of the following:
 - ✓ Recognition in the academic record of an average of at least 2 CFUs per month for the period of mobility;
 - ✓ Documented thesis work and/or internship activity that entails the recognition of at least 1 CFU for international mobility in the academic record;
 - √ For PhD mobility, only economic-asset requirements are required, alongside documented research and/or training activities.

Is the ISEE required for the Erasmus+ application?

No, the ISEE is not required at the application stage.

The Sezione Mobilità Internazionale is in charge of assessing financial requirements for the purpose of awarding funding based on the student's ISEE/GDP in this Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026. The student's ISEE and/or ISEE parificato and/or GDP will be considered according to Fees and Funding Regulations for the a.y. 2024/2025.

However, there are a few exceptions. For further clarification, please carefully read Article 7.3 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026.

If I am into the "fewer opportunities" category, what should I do?

If you are into the "fewer opportunities" category, this means you are part of **exception no. 1**. For the purposes of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026, students who qualify as having "fewer opportunities" (see point no. 2 of art. 7.1 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026) must have this "fewer opportunities" status recorded by the University by May 16, 2025. These students are not required to submit an ISEE/ISEE equivalent, as they are considered to be at an ISEE level equal to or below €13,000.

If I am instead exempt from paying University fees based on art. 3.2, art. 3.3, and art. 15.1 of the Tuition and Fees Regulations for the 2024/2025 academic year, what should I do?

If you are exempt from paying University fees, this means you are part of **exception no. 2**. If you meet all the requirements as specified in Art. 7.3 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026, you will be directly contacted by the *Sezione Mobilità Internazionale*, approximately in May 2025, to submit the ISEE solely for the purposes of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026.





Following any request from the *Sezione Mobilità Internazionale*, if you do not provide a valid ISEE-PIL per capita PPA within the deadlines that will be communicated via email by the *Sezione Mobilità Internazionale*, you will not be able to receive the grants based on the ISEE-PIL per capita PPA value.

Does the financial contribution cover travel expenses?

The Erasmus+ travel grants listed in the Call refer to those provided under the Erasmus+ 2024 Call. At this time, it is unknown whether they will be confirmed and/or modified in the Erasmus+ 2025 Call.

Based on this, as outlined in Article 7 of the Call, two types of contributions are available for those undertaking a mobility to a **Partner Countries destination**:

- 1. **TRAVEL GRANT Standard**: The amount is based on different kilometer ranges and does not require the submission of any supporting documents;
- 2. TRAVEL GRANT Green: A grant awarded to those using low environmental impact transportation (such as train, car sharing, buses, etc.) to reach their destination. Receipts for these expenses must be kept in order to verify the ecological nature of the trip. These receipts will be requested by the Sezione Mobilità Internazionale at the end of the mobility period. The amount for this grant is also determined by kilometer ranges.

Does the financial contribution cover accommodation expenses?

No additional contributions are provided to cover accommodation expenses.

Is the EDISU scholarship compatible with Erasmus+ contributions?

The Erasmus+ mobility grant for studies is:

- COMPATIBLE with other scholarships and/or grants from other funding bodies and/or scholarship providers, although the beneficiary (student) must check with them about the compatibility of Erasmus+ funding with any other funding claimed/received. The Sezione Mobilità Internazionale does not have this information, so students must contact the relevant organisations themselves;
- **INCOMPATIBLE** with additional EU funds granted for the same purpose, namely to support international Mobility.





DEPARTURES, SEMESTERS, DURATION, AND RESULT PUBLICATION

Does the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026 apply to departures in the first semester only, or also in the second? Will another call be published for the second semester?

The Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026 is annual, published only once per year, and covers all Erasmus+ study mobilities for the 2025/2026 academic year (to be undertaken between June 1st, 2025, and September 30th, 2026). No additional selection calls are planned for this type of mobility during the 2025/2026 academic year.

Are the preferences indicated in the application binding?

Assignments to destinations are made in descending order of score, taking into account, where possible, the preferences expressed in the application phase.

Choosing two or three destinations is NOT mandatory (note that any additional indications are specified in Annex 1 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026). It is advisable to apply only for destinations of genuine interest, as you may be placed at one of the selected destinations, not necessarily your first preference

You will only be assigned to one destination, and it is not possible to change the assigned destination.

Is the number of months allocated to the destinations only indicative? Is it intended for the first semester or in general? Is it possible to reduce or extend the mobility duration compared to the months provided in the Agreement?

The number of months indicated in each destination defines the expected mobility duration for that specific destination, for which financial contributions are guaranteed. It is not possible to request an extension of mobility duration in advance. However, AFTER the mobility has started, you may request an extension, which must be authorized by both the host university and UniTo. Financial coverage is not guaranteed for extension periods.

Departure timing is determined by the student based on the academic activities they intend to pursue at the host university. It is up to the student to check the host university's website to confirm in which semester the courses of interest are offered.

Can I reduce the mobility duration for which I apply and may be awarded?

It is advisable to apply for destinations with a duration compatible with your mobility program. The duration specified in the Bilateral Agreement with a particular university may depend on internal organizational factors at the university (such as the course offerings). However, once the mobility period has started, it is possible to shorten its duration in agreement with your Host University and the Department/School that selected you and respecting any conditions and limits set by the host university.

Can I freely choose to leave in the first or second semester?

Departure is defined by each winning student based on the number of months allotted for the assigned destination and the activities planned during the mobility period, in line with the procedures and deadlines set by the host university.

If you are attending courses, the departure aligns with the semester in which the chosen courses are offered (**note**: students must independently verify the course schedule at the host university). If undertaking an internship or thesis research, departure must be coordinated in advance with the host university. If the destination period is 8 months or longer, it is recommended to consider starting the mobility in September.

Can I change the departure semester later?

Departure is determined by each winning student based on the duration allotted for the assigned destination and the activities planned for the mobility period, in accordance with the procedures and deadlines of the host university. Any postponed departure must be agreed upon and authorized by the host university.





Is it possible to withdraw from Erasmus+ mobility even after acceptance?

Yes, it is possible to withdraw from the destination after accepting it. No penalties will be applied. It is necessary to send an email to internationalexchange@unito.it from your institutional email account and inform by yourself the Host University of your decision.

PHASE 1 - My status on MyUnito shows as 'Iscritto' (Enrolled). What does this mean?

This means that you are eligible, meaning you meet the requirements for that destination. The actual assignment or non-assignment to the destination will be confirmed following the processing of the first final ranking.

PHASE 1 – My status on MyUnito shows as 'Escluso' (Excluded). What does this mean? This means that you are excluded for that destination.

PHASE 3 and PHASE 6 - My status on MyUnito shows as 'Iscritto' (Enrolled). What does this mean?

This means that you are eligible but not yet selected as a finalist. If your status shows as enrolled in Phase 3, you may still be placed if there are openings due to reassignments (see Phase 5 of this article) based on the criteria established by the relevant department in Annex 1.

PHASE 3 and PHASE 6 – My status on MyUnito shows as 'Assegnato' (Assigned). What does this mean? This means that you have been awarded the destination.

PHASE 3 and PHASE 6 – My status on MyUnito shows as 'Escluso' (Excluded). What does this mean? This means that you are excluded for that destination.





LEARNING AGREEMENT AND CREDIT RECOGNITION

Who should I contact to agree on the individual exams/internship/thesis research to be completed during the mobility? By when do I need to prepare the Learning Agreement?

Approval of the Learning Agreement (study plan abroad) is the responsibility of the International Mobility Academic Coordinator for your study program (*Responsabile didattico per la mobilità internazionale del tuo corso di studio*). The list is avalable on page istruzioni per studenti outgoing.

Unless specific deadlines are set by your Study Program or the host university, the Learning Agreement must be approved by the designated instructor AT LEAST 15 DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE. However, some host universities require an approved Learning Agreement at the time of submitting the Application Form. Be sure to verify your Study Program and the host university requirements.

For more information on completing the Learning Agreement online, refer to the Vademecum.

Can I conduct thesis research or an internship during my mobility period?

According to the guidelines for recognizing educational activities completed abroad (<u>Linee guida per il riconoscimento delle attività didattiche svolte all'estero</u>) you can conduct thesis research or curricular internships during your mobility. To request recognition of this activity, it must be included in the Learning Agreement, and at the end of the mobility period, a certificate of internship/research activity signed by the foreign university must be provided. For Learning Agreement approval and the number of CFUs to include in it, you must contact the International Mobility Academic Coordinator for your study program (<u>Responsabile didattico per la mobilità internazionale del proprio corso di studi</u>). Note that host universities may have limits on these activities, so we recommend verifying this in advance to confirm if they can be effectively authorized.

I am in the second year of a master's program and would like to complete Erasmus+ mobility abroad, but I have completed my courses. What can I do? Can I use extra/surplus credits?

During Erasmus+ for studies mobility at the host university, you may engage in thesis research or curricular internship activities included in your Academic Plan. Review the guidelines for recognizing educational activities completed abroad (Linee guida per il riconoscimento delle attività didattiche svolte all'estero).

For recognizing surplus credits, the subject must be included in your Academic Plan through a request to the relevant Student Office. If you have questions about linking the foreign university's teaching with the UniTo surplus activity, consult the International Mobility Academic Coordinator for your study program (Responsabile didattico per la mobilità internazionale del proprio corso di studi) as they are responsible for approving the Learning Agreement.

PLEASE NOTE: Any surplus credits recognized at UniTo upon completing Erasmus+ mobility cannot be counted toward the minimum credits required to maintain the Erasmus grant supplementary contribution (Part B).

Thesis research: apart from my Italian supervisor, do I need to arrange with a foreign supervisor as well, or is my Italian supervisor sufficient??

According to the guidelines for recognizing educational activities completed abroad (<u>Linee guida per il riconoscimento delle attività didattiche svolte all'estero</u>), thesis research can be conducted during your mobility period. To request recognition of this activity, it must be included in the Learning Agreement, and upon return, a certificate of research activity or internship for thesis purposes must be provided.

Host universities may impose limitations on these activities, so please verify in advance if they can be authorized. Your UniTo supervisor remains the main point of contact regarding the thesis.

Can I include courses in my Learning Agreement offered by the host university that are scheduled for future academic years?

For specific clarifications and instructions on the Learning Agreement (study plan abroad), contact the International Mobility Academic Coordinator for your study program (Responsabile didattico per la mobilità internazionale del proprio corso di studi) as they are responsible for approving the Learning Agreement.

For more information on completing the Learning Agreement online, refer to the <u>Vademecum</u>.





Once the exams to be taken at the host university are agreed upon, can they be modified later?

Once mobility has begun, you can modify the Learning Agreement (During the Mobility section of the document), which must then be reapproved by both the UniTo and host university representatives. <u>These changes must be made</u> within the first five weeks of each semester.

For more information on completing the Learning Agreement online, refer to the <u>Vademecum</u>.

Is there a minimum number of credits I must earn to have Erasmus+ recognized?

For further information, read carefully the guidelines for recognizing educational activities completed abroad (<u>Linee guida per il riconoscimento delle attività didattiche svolte all'estero</u>). In addition to that, Refer to Article 7 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026 regarding the economic-asset and merit requirements needed to receive supplementary contributions for economically disadvantaged students.

Credits: How are credits recognized after completing exams abroad? Are exams taken abroad added to the Italian Academic Plan or do they replace existing courses?

Credits are recognized according to the ECTS tables available on UniTo's page based on your affiliated Department. Activities completed abroad (as agreed with the UniTo instructor) will replace the corresponding ones in your Academic Plan. Remember to update your Academic Plan during your mobility.

Exam recognition: Is it a quick process?

Once the International Mobility Section receives all documentation for closing the mobility period, it will send the educational documents to the relevant Department offices to initiate the credit recognition process.

PLEASE NOTE: Although this process itself is not lengthy, certain periods (like summer) may see high volumes of cases due to the number of returns, some of which are complex, making it difficult to guarantee quick responses. Furthermore, host universities may not always be able to provide all documents immediately after completing your stay.





HEALTH INSURANCE

Do I need to arrange for a health insurance myself?

During the entire Erasmus+ mobility period, the University's insurance coverage for civil liability and accidents during academic activities at the partner university is extended. This coverage is guaranteed only if you are regularly enrolled at UniTo and the required documentation has been submitted via email.

PLEASE NOTE: The extension of the University's insurance coverage is not health insurance. Therefore, you must verify the rules for access to the national healthcare system of the destination country and, if necessary, arrange for supplementary health insurance.

Further details on the University's insurance coverage are available at the following link.

STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

How does Erasmus+ work for students with disabilities or specific learning disabilities (SLD)? Are there any additional requirements or information to know?

If you are selected, we recommend that you contact the host university as soon as possible to inquire about the services available to support students with special needs, so that you can begin organizing your mobility right away. Specific contributions are available for students with special needs (Part C of the contributions, as per Article 7 of the Erasmus+ Call for Studies 2025/2026). These contributions are based on the reimbursement of expenses related to the disability/condition actually incurred during the mobility.

INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

I am a non-EU student. Do I need to submit specific documents or perform any particular checks regarding the access requirements for different countries at this stage?

A non-EU student selected for an Erasmus+ study mobility must check – <u>well in advance of departure</u> – the access requirements for non-EU students in the destination country, including the procedures for applying for a visa and residence permit. Additionally, the student must check the expiration date of their residence permit: if the permit is due to expire before the start of the international mobility period or during the planned mobility period, it is NECESSARY to take prompt action to renew it.

OTHER QUESTIONS AND INFORMATION

To reach some destinations in England, a study visa is required (if the study period exceeds 6 months). If the program is exactly 6 months, is a visa necessary?

For up-to-date information, we recommend checking the official UK Government website.

Are there university residences reserved for students going on Erasmus+?

This depends on the host university. If there is a campus, it may be necessary to apply for a room (accommodation form). You should check directly on the partner university's website or contact the office dedicated to incoming/exchange/international students at the host university for more information. If there is no campus with student residences, you will need to look for accommodation online. It is recommended to contact local student associations for advice and/or support with finding housing.