

Incoming Students Handbook

BURSA TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY

The Innovative State University



STUDY IN TURKEY



Flag :



Capital city : Ankara

Population: 82 million

Area: 783.562 km²

The Republic of Turkey is at the crossroad between Europe and Asia. Turkey has a rich cultural heritage.



BURSA

Population: 2.995.000 inhabitants

Places of interest: Ulu Cami, Mount Uludağ, Green Mosque, Historic city centre, Cumalıkızık (Unesco World Heritage), Mudanya ...

Bursa is the fourth biggest city in Turkey and is located one and a half hour away from Istanbul and Istanbul Sabiha Gökçen International Airport.



Bursa is situated between the three biggest cities of Turkey Istanbul, Ankara and Izmir. The city has very good connections (plane, ferry, coach) to the rest of Turkey.

You can easily reach any location throughout the city using Bursa's vast network of Metro, tramway, cable car, buses and minibuses.

First capital city of the Ottoman Empire, Bursa has a rich cultural heritage. Visitors can enjoy the Uludağ ski Resort in the winter and the Sea of Marmara and its beaches in the summer.



STUDY AT BTU

Bursa Technical University was established in 2010 as the 5th technical university in Turkey and the 2nd state university in Bursa. The university is situated in Yıldırım, a district of Bursa that is famous for its industry, summer and winter tourism. The university uses all the advantages of being located in an industry and cultural rich city to provide technological and social opportunities.



The university was established to become a research university and the development in this direction is supported by the fact that every fourth student is a graduate student. With its advanced laboratories the students can easily make experiments and learn how to use the devices. With the Sectoral Training Programme the students can alongside with their summer internships do internship in a company in their own field and acquire the necessary experience on place and get a head start in their working life.



Campuses:



Mimar Sinan Campus

Bursa Technical University spreads over two campuses, Mimar Sinan Campus and Yıldırım Campus, with a total of 99.480 m² of outdoor areas and 83.915 m² indoor areas.



Yıldırım Campus

Research Laboratories:

Since its opening in 2010 under the label 'Research University', Bursa Technical University has invested a total of 40 Million TL in the development of its research Labs which are fully equipped and open to students and staff.



Libraries:

Students can take advantage of reading rooms and study rooms in the library where they can have access to 10.250 printed publications and over 30.000 online scientific journals worldwide.



IT Facilities:

Computer laboratories with a capacity of 40 students with access to programmes such as SolidWorks, TRNSYS, Catia v5 R19, NX 8.5, Ansys v15, Matlab R2014b, Floefd, FCHART, Msc ADAMS, Car Maker, Autocad and Abaqus v6.13 are available to students.



Sports

On the Yıldırım Campus a sports hall and an outdoor mini football field are available for students to use. Students successfully represent our university in the fields of archery, basketball, volleyball, football, swimming, table tennis, tennis, wrestling, chess, boxing, taekwondo and orienteering in Turkish championships.



Arts and Culture

Students' clubs are an active part of Bursa Technical university organizing exhibitions, theatre performances, trips and conferences throughout the academic year. Our International students club and Erasmus club offer foreign students the opportunity to adapt to their new environment and meet with their peers.



INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS (BACHELOR)

WHO CAN APPLY?

Students who have graduated from an institution equivalent to Turkish high schools and those who are on their last year at high school may apply to the undergraduate programmes.

ACCEPTED HIGHSCHOOL DIPLOMAS/EXAMS



- ACT (American College Test)
- SAT (Scholastic Aptitude Test)
- GERMANY ABITUR
- AUSTRIA MATURA
- SWISS MATURA (Federal Matura Sertifikası) Maturitätszeugnis /Certificat De Maturité/ Attestato Di Maturità
- FRENCH BACCALAUREATE ISSUED IN FRANCE (Diplôme du Baccalauréat Général)
- BELGIUM DIPLOMA -Van hoger Secundair Onderwijs / Certificat d'Enseignement Secondaire Supérieur / Abschlusszeugnis Der Oberstufe Des Sekundarunterrichts
- NETHERLANDS: HAVO / VWO
- PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC) (Uyghur Region) PRC University Entrance exam GAOKAO (Exam from the Uyghur State)
- INDONESIA : High School Diploma : Sekolah Menengah Atas (SMA) / UJIAN Nasional (UAN / UN)
- MALAYSIA : Malaysia End of High School Exam (Sijil Tinggi Persekolahan Malaysia / Malaysian Higher School Certificate)
- PALESTINE : Palestinian End of High School Exam
- BOSNIA HERZEGOVINA MATURA
- KOSOVA STATE MATURA
- GREECE HIGH SCHOOL EXAM
- ALBANIA Dëftesë Pjekurie (High School Certificate/Matura Certificate)
- MACEDONIA General High School Certificate (Matura)
- SERBIA General High School Certificate
- WEST AFRICAN EXAMINATION COUNCIL (WAEC)
- GCEAL (For applicants from the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus)

ACCEPTED YÖS EXAMS

Akdeniz University

Ankara University

Atatürk University

Bursa Uludağ University

Ege University

Erciyes University

Istanbul University

Blacksea Technical University

Ondokuz Mayıs University

Yıldız Technical University

Selçuk University

Gaziantep University

Gebze Technical University

Çukurova University

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1)The applications are submitted online only at the following address:
obs.btu.edu.tr/oibs/ogrsis/basvuru_yabanci_login.aspx

2) The documents to upload online are as follows:

- High School Certificate and its Turkish translation
- Transcript of Records
- Proof of Exam Result
- Photocopy of Passport
- Passport-size photograph

PLEASE NOTE: Students residing abroad and coming to Turkey for registration purposes after obtaining their letter of acceptance must apply for a student visa “Öğrenim Meşruhatlı Giriş Vize” at the Turkish Embassy / Consulate from their country of origin.



TUITION FEES

2020-2021 ACADEMIC YEAR TUITION FEES*

FACULTIES	1st INSTALLMENT (Winter Semester)	2nd INSTALLMENT (Spring Semester)
Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences Faculty of Architecture and Design Faculty of Forestry	581 TL	580 TL
Faculty of Humanities And Social Sciences	426 TL	426 TL

*Please note that tuition fees are subject to changes.

PROOF OF TURKISH LANGUAGE LEVEL

- 1) B2 level of Turkish Language from BURSA TÖMER or TOMER courses dispensed by universities in Turkey or Yunus Emre Institutes Turkish Proficiency Exam.
- 2) Students whose level of Turkish is less than B2 can be granted leave of absence for a maximum period of one year to learn Turkish.
- 3) Students who have completed the high school education in Turkey do not need to submit any Turkish Proficiency Certificate.



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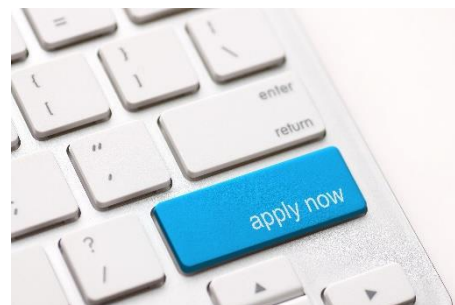
POSTGRADUATE STUDENTS (MASTER AND PhD)

ONLY ONLINE APPLICATIONS ARE ACCEPTED

- Applications take place twice a year approximately two / three months before the beginning of the new semester
- The application dates and list of programmes available are announced on Bursa Technical University's website.
- Bursa Technical University offers programmes in Turkish, 30% English or 100% English.

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS:

- 1-Printout of Online Application Form
2. Certificate(s) of Graduation (translated in Turkish)
3. Two (2) passport-sized photographs.
4. Copy of valid passport
5. Transcript (translated in Turkish)
6. Foreign Language (English) proficiency certificate / exam results
7. Residential permit document
8. Recognition certificate (Mezuniyet Tanıma Belgesi)
9. Curriculum Vitae: (in English)
10. Turkish proficiency certificate (B2) if applying to a programme in Turkish or 30% English.



2019-2020 ACADEMIC YEAR TUITION FEES*

Graduate School / Institute	1st INSTALLMENT (Winter Semester)	2nd INSTALLMENT (Spring Semester)
Graduate School of Natural and Applied Sciences	387 TL	387 TL
Institute of Social Sciences	387 TL	387 TL

*Please note that tuition fees are subject to changes.

ERASMUS+ Mobility for Studies

International exchange students are accepted within the framework of a bilateral agreement between Bursa Technical University and the partner university. The exchange students are enrolled in courses and carry out the procedures in light of the terms determined in the bilateral agreement.

You can find a list of all the courses on offer at BTU on our website by clicking here:

- [Bachelor Degree](#)
- [Master Degree](#)
- [PhD](#)

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FOR APPLICATION

- [Student Application Form](#)
- [Erasmus+ Learning Agreement for Studies](#)
- *Copy of legal ID card or passport*
- *Transcript of Records in English (which shows your previous studies)*
- *2 Passport size photographs*

The above mentioned completed forms along with other application documents must be scanned and sent to the following address: [**erasmus@btu.edu.tr**](mailto:erasmus@btu.edu.tr).

DEADLINES FOR APPLICATION:

- 15th May for the Autumn Semester
- 15th November for the Spring Semester



A letter of Acceptance is issued and sent to the home university Erasmus+ Office. It is necessary for all students (EU citizens included) to apply for the Student Visa at your nearest Turkish Consulate before coming to Turkey.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- 1- *Exchange students are not covered by medical insurance. Be certain you have emergency/hospital coverage by getting a health insurance policy valid in Turkey before coming. Bursa Technical University is not responsible for the students who arrive without a proper health insurance.*
- 2- *You will need to get a resident permit during your study period in Turkey. It is necessary to get a valid health insurance and hold a student visa to apply for a residence permit.*



How to reach Bursa?

1. From the new Istanbul Airport by bus:

If your flight arrives at the new Istanbul Airport, there are buses that depart to Istanbul Sabiha Gökçen airport and Bursa regularly. Take one of them and you will be in Bursa in two hours and forty five minutes.

Once you get off at the Bursa Coach Station you can take either the city bus or a taxi (yellow cab) to the city center. It should cost you around 50-70 Turkish Lira by taxi.

2. From the new Istanbul Airport by ferry:

If your flight arrives at the new Istanbul Airport, you can take a taxi or a bus to Yenikapı.

From Yenikapı, you can get the IDO (Istanbul Deniz Otobusleri) Istanbul Ferry Lines. There are frequent ferries to Mudanya-Güzelyalı (Bursa). To check their schedule, you can visit their website and buy a ticket online: <https://www.ido.com.tr/> (Please note that some ferries might be cancelled due to bad weather conditions, in such cases they are announced on the web site as well).

Once you leave the ferry at Güzelyalı Station there are yellow buses to the city center. Take the bus and get off next to the EMEK Metro station. At Emek Metro station you can take Metro to the point where you would like to go in Bursa.

3. From Istanbul Sabiha Gökçen Airport:

After you exit the airport at the arrivals level you will find a small shop that sells tickets to Bursa (Burulaş). There are yellow buses that depart to Bursa every hour. Take one of them and you will be in Bursa within an hour and half.

The Bus will leave you at Bursa coach station and you can take either the city bus or a taxi (yellow cab) to the city center. It should cost you around 50-70 Turkish Lira by taxi.

How to reach BTU?

The easiest way to reach Bursa Technical University by public transport is by metro.

To reach Mimar Sinan Campus : get off at “Mimarsinan / BTÜ” station

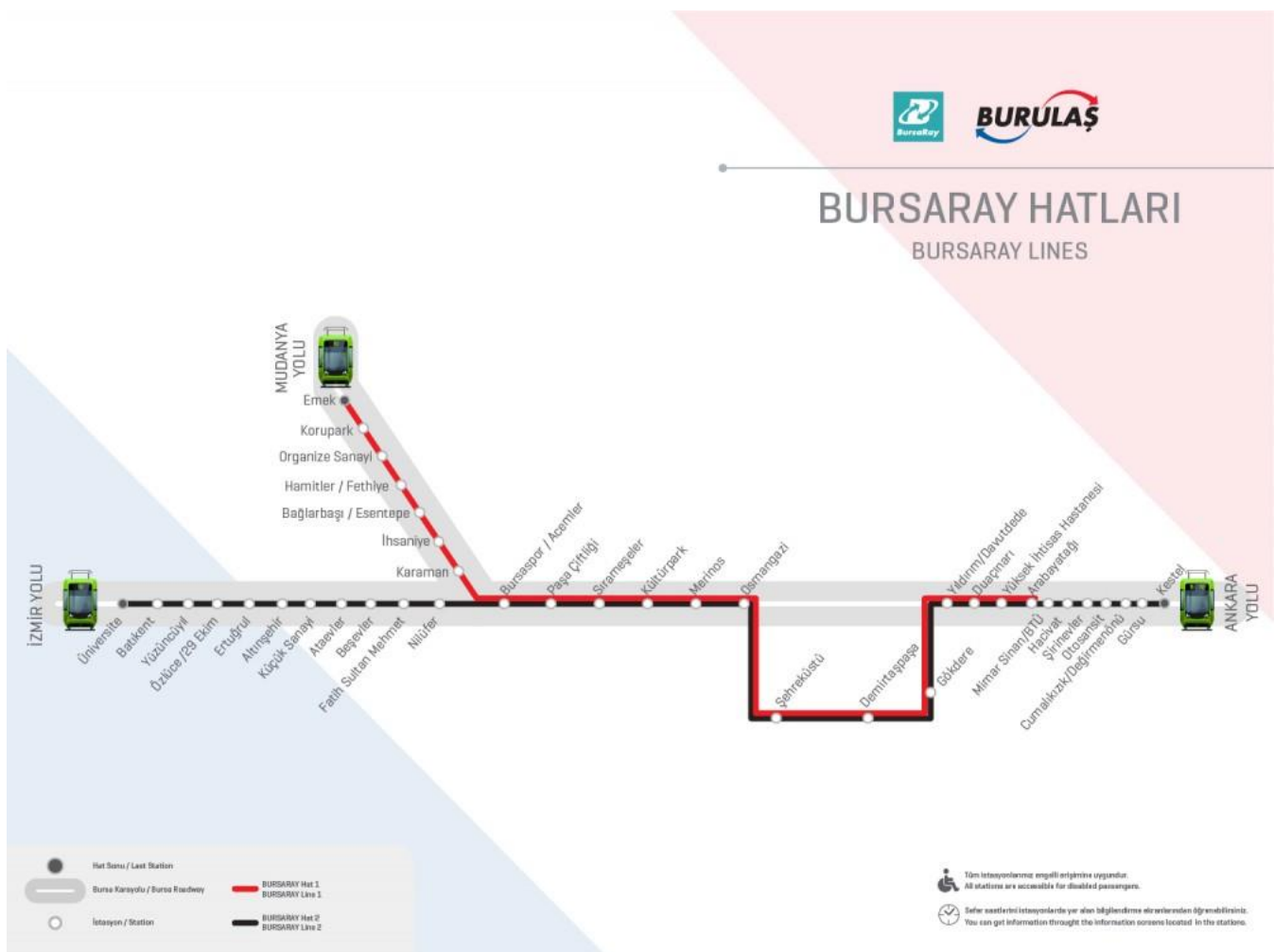


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To reach Yıldırım Campus : get off at “152 Evler” station



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