



**MIDDLE EAST TECHNICAL UNIVERSITY
(METU)**

**FACT SHEET
2016 -2017 Academic Year**

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Application Deadline:	November 15 to start in Spring Semester May 30 to start in Fall Semester/Academic Year

Semester 1 (Fall)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 week before the classes officialy start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 week before the classes start Registration is completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	September 26, 2016
Classes End	January 6, 2017
Final Exam Period:	January 9-21, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	January 21, 2017

Semester 2 (Spring)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 weeks before the classes start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 weeks before the classes start Registration completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	February 20, 2017
Classes End	May 26, 2017
Final Exam Period:	May 29 – June 10, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	June 10, 2017

International Summer School (only for fee paying students)

Preferred Arrival Date	1 week before the classes start
Registration/Orientation Dates	Orientation week starts 1 week before the classes start Registration completed during the orientation week
Classes Start	July 03, 2017
Classes End	August 11, 2017
Last Day of Semester/ Exam Period	August 12-15, 2017
Preferred Departure Date	August 15, 2017

Academic and Enrollment Information

Website for the Course Catalog	https://catalog.metu.edu.tr/ http://oibs3.metu.edu.tr/View_Program_Course_Details_64/main.php
Website for Application	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application
Application Deadline	Fall semester or Academic Year: 31 May Spring semester: 15 November
Language(s) of Instruction	English
Courses Taught in English or Website Address	All courses are taught in English.
Application Requirements for Exchange Students	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application
Language Requirements (such as proficiency tests)	English language proficiency level of B1 or TOEFL ibt 79 is strongly recommended, but English proficiency test score is not required.
Visa Requirements	Obtaining a student visa is strongly advised.

Application Documents

http://ico.metu.edu.tr/application <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Application form (photo attached)• Accommodation form (to be sent only to the accepted students by ICO)• Official transcript (record of courses)• Copy of passport• Copy of health insurance valid in Turkey (can also be purchased in Turkey) Scanned copies are accepted.	
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Accommodation and Other Services

Accommodation application	http://ico.metu.edu.tr/accommodation
Type of accommodation	Only on-campus accommodation in dormitories is offered by METU and Accommodation form will send all incoming student by ICO. International Cooperation Office cannot assist with finding private accommodation

Method of payment	A deposit and the first month accommodation installment will be paid during dorm registrations
Date students can move into dormitories	Dormitories are open to exchange students starting from a week before the orientation program
Disability support	Disability Support Center http://engelsiz.metu.edu.tr/en/
Health issues on campus	METU Medical Center http://www.mc.metu.edu.tr/index-eng.php