



Maynooth University
National University of Ireland Maynooth

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Application to Maynooth University

- Students wishing to study at Maynooth University as Exchange students must **first be nominated** by their home university.
- Nominations open in **mid-March**. The nomination link will be emailed to the partner university directly.
- **Nominated** students will be **contacted with information** regarding their stay with us and instructions on how to apply.
- **An acceptance email** will be sent to students a few weeks after the application deadline date.

Nomination Deadlines

Full Year: 15 May

1st Semester (Fall): 15 May

2nd Semester (Spring): 15 October

Application Deadlines

Full Year: 31 May

1st Semester (Fall): 31 May

2nd Semester (Spring): 31 October



Available Courses

- All incoming students are free to choose any modules from **our list of available courses**
- Modules must be **approved** by their home university.
- Please note some courses have **limited spaces** available, particularly Product Design, Media Studies and courses from second year English.
- Students must check there are **enough courses** on our available courses list that their home university will approve of. Flexibility is expected and extra modules should be **pre-approved**.
- Students often must make **changes** to their original course choice due to timetable clashes, limited spaces, course no longer being available, etc.
- Students are allowed to register for **max 30 ECTS per semester** and they will have two weeks after the semester start date to change their mind and register new modules.
- Postgraduate modules can **only** be taken by Postgraduate students. There are only a **limited number** of postgraduate courses available to incoming students.
- A Transcript of Records translated into English, will be required and it must show full academic history.



Language Proficiency

- **No language proficiency** certificate is required. However, we expect students to have a **very good command of English in all four language skills** – writing, reading, listening, and speaking. Students will be **marked the same way** as the domestic students, with no exceptions.



Accommodation

- As demand for on-campus accommodation far exceeds the number of beds available, students are encouraged to look for **off-campus accommodation**. Our Home Finder Service offers advice and information on how to find suitable off-campus accommodation during your stay at Maynooth University.



Travel/Medical Insurance

- All incoming students must have travel insurance which includes **repatriation** (assisted transfer of a person back to their home country in case of serious injury or illness) covering the period of their stay at Maynooth University.
- The **European Health Insurance Card** will not suffice in this case.



Orientation and Important Dates

- The orientation sessions are **compulsory** to attend for all new incoming students. Students will receive essential information regarding their time at Maynooth University.
- Please see **Important Dates** for information on term dates, study period, holiday dates and examination period.
- 1st Semester students **cannot extend their stay to full year** after they have **registered** with Maynooth University.
- 1st semester students **will not complete their exams in January**. Alternative arrangements will be made, and 1st semester students will officially **end their stay** at Maynooth University in **December**.