### ARDAHAN UNIVERSITY

## APPLICATION, ACCEPTANCE AND REGISTRATION REQUIREMENTS FOR

## FOREIGN STUDENTS

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# (Candidates will be able to apply with their 2020 and 2021 YOS (Foreign Student Exam) scores.)

Applications which are not made within the application deadlines will not be accepted.

The General Aptitude Exam will be held in <u>**Turkish, English and Russian, Georgian and**</u> <u>**Arabic**</u>.

Turkish Proficiency Exam will be held in Ardahan by **TOMER** (Turkish Language Teaching Application and Research Center) at Ardahan University for the first applications between 26.07.2021-17.09.2021.

Turkish Proficiency Exam will be held in Ardahan by **TOMER (Turkish Language Teaching Application and Research Center)** in Ardahan University for **the additional applications** between **21.09.2021-14.10.2021.** 

## (2) CANDIDATES:

a) Provided that they are in the final year of high school or are in graduation status;

1) Foreign nationals,

2) Those who are Turkish citizens at birth and who receive permission from the Ministry of the Interior to leave Turkish citizenship and those who certify that they have a Certificate of Use of Recognized Rights under the Turkish Citizenship Law of underage children enrolled in the certificate of leaving Turkish citizenship,

3) Turkish Citizenship acquired besides the foreign nationality and the dual citizens in this case,

4) Those who are Turkish citizens and who completed the secondary education in a foreign country except for the TRNC (including those who completed the secondary education in Turkish schools in a foreign country except for TRNC)

5) Candidates who are citizens of the TRNC and who reside in the TRNC and have completed the secondary education in the TRNC, and who have the GCE AL (The General Certificate of Education - Advanced Level) exam scores and those who enroll in colleges and high schools in other countries between 2005 and 2010 and who have or will have GCE AL exam results are accepted.

- b) Candidates (who cannot apply);
  - 1. Those who are Turkish citizens and have completed their secondary education in Turkey and the TRNC,
  - 2) Those who are the citizens of the TRNC (except for those who have completed their secondary education in the Turkish Republic of Northern Cyprus and who have, or will have, GCE AL results and those who have enrolled and studied in college and high school in other countries between 2005 and 2010),
  - 3) Double nationalities (except those who completed all secondary education in a foreign country other than TRNC and have completed all the secondary education in Turkish schools in a foreign country other than TRNC), as defined in sub-clause 2 of clause (a) of paragraph 2 of this article,
  - 4) Dual citizenships including TRNC nationality (Except those who have graduated in the TRNC high school and who have GCE AL result already or have GCE AL exam results by enrolling and studying in college and high school in other countries between 2005 and 2010),
  - 5) The applicants from the schools in the embassies in Turkey and from the citizens of the Republic of Turkey who are studying at foreign high schools in Turkey or whose first nationality is TC at birth, as defined in subheading 2 of clause 2 (a) of this article, are not accepted.

Candidates who apply to our university between 26.07.2021 - 17.09.2021 will be able to take their exams on the day they arrive in Ardahan between 26.07.2021 - 17.09.2021 within office hours. The placement results of the candidates who have passed the exam will be announced on 20.09.2021, and registration procedures will be conducted within the office hours until 15.10.2021.

Additional placement applications, exams, additional placement procedures and additional registration procedures will be carried out if the students apply to the remaining vacancies after the announcement of the result of the first placement to our university, between  $\underline{21.09.2021} - \underline{14.10.2021}$ , during the office hours they arrive at Ardahan.

It is compulsory to get at least 50 points out of 100 in the ARUYOS (Ardahan University Foreign Student Exam) (Turkish Proficiency), which will be held between **26.07.2021 - 17.09.2021** for **the First Applications** by our university. Candidates who cannot get the minimum score at Turkish Proficiency Examination and candidates who do not have a Turkish Proficiency Certificate from Higher Education Institutions in Turkey will be given 1 year compulsory Turkish Language Instruction by TOMER (Turkish Education Application and Research Center)

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## Candidates who have Turkish Proficiency Certificate from Higher Education Institutions in Turkey do not need to take Ardahan University Turkish Proficiency Exam.

In order to choose the departments to be placed at Ardahan University, for <u>the</u> <u>first applicants</u>, it is required to take at least 40 points out of 100 from the ARUYOS (Ardahan University Foreign Student Exam-General Aptitude) exam which will be held by our university between <u>26.07.2021-17.09.2021</u> or from other exams equivalent to ARUYOS

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# <u>Turkish Proficiency Test score will not be taken into account in the placement process.</u>

Turkish Proficiency levels;

a) Levels C1 and C2: Turkish level is sufficient. Enrollment is made to the program for which the right to enroll is acquired.

b) Levels B1 and B2: Turkish level is not sufficient but can be improved. Programa recording is done with registration provided that Turkish course is taken. The student should document that he / she has raised his / her Turkish level to the level of C1-C2 by the beginning of the third academic year at the latest. At the end of this period, education and training can not be continued until those who are still in the level of B1 - B2 in Turkish until the language level is increased to C1 - C2 level.

c) Levels A1 and A2: Turkish level is insufficient. Turkish should take a course. Those who are in this situation should certify that they have raised their Turkish level to C1-C2 level at the latest until the beginning of the third academic year. The provision of

Turkish language proficiency shall be applied to those who have increased to C1-C2 level, and those who have increased to B1-B2 level.

ARUYOS Turkish Language Proficiency Level	Score Ranges	Info.	
C2	90-100	Proficient in Turkish	
C1	80-89	Proficient in Turkish	
B2	65-79	Able to be proficient in	
		Turkish soon.	
B1	50-64	Able to be proficient in	
		Turkish soon.	
A2	25-49	Incompetent in Turkish	
A1	0-24	Incompetent in Turkish	

ARUYOS Turkish Proficiency Levels and Score Ranges are indicated below

At least 1100 total points from the SAT 1 examination and at least 600 math points, the examination score will be limited to 2 years between 2010 and 2021.

- In GCE (A level) exam, at least 3 levels, at least one related to the program being applied,
- In ACT examination; Math, Science Reasoning and Composite score must be at least 24,
- In Tawjihi exams conducted in Jordan and Palestine, the average score of exam grades taken from all courses in Scientific Stream is at least 90,
- In Baccalaureat Libanais exams in Lebanon, the diploma grade in Scientific Stream must be at least 15,
- International Baccalaureate diploma with a diploma score of at least 30,
- ABITUR grade is maximum 3, Matura grade is maximum 3,
- From Al-Shahada-Al Thanawiyya (Baccalaureate) examination in Syria (Scientific Stream) over 240 for engineering faculty departments at least 190, for other departments at least 175 points,
- French diploma grade must be at least 12,
- Having received at least 540 points out of 750 in the type of the program applied in the Gaokao examination in the People's Republic of China.

According to Ardahan University Senate Consultum dated <u>18.12.2019</u>; It is appropriate to accept the Ardahan University Foreign Student Exam as equivalent to the Foreign Student Exams of <u>the State Universities established in accordance with the Higher Education</u> <u>Institutions Organization Law No. 2809</u>; (<u>Candidates will be able to apply with their 2020</u> <u>and 2021 YOS scores.</u>)

• Ardahan University Senate Consultum dated <u>16.07.2020</u>; It is appropriate to accept the Ardahan University Foreign Student Exam as equivalent to the Foreign Student Exams of <u>All Foundation Universities</u>; (<u>Candidates will be able to apply with their 2020</u> <u>and 2021 YOS scores.)</u>

### CONTENT OF ARUYOS EXAM

Ardahan University Foreign Student Selection Exam covers;

### **General Aptitude Test: 80 Math questions (Duration: 2 hours)**

### **Turkish Proficiency Exam: 50 Turkish Proficiency questions (Duration: 1 hour)**

## **Requirements for entry and residence permit procedures of foreign students studying at all levels of Higher Education institutions in Turkey;**

- Transactions to be made abroad (Passport Transactions)
- Transactions to be made as of their arrival in our country (Residence procedures)
- Actions to be taken after receiving a Residence Permit (Notification Procedures)

### Transactions to be made abroad (Passport Transactions)

Admission invitations are sent to the addresses of foreign students applying to my university.

The students submit their passports to the competent authorities of the countries based on the acceptance invitations.

Document (bank account, scholarship certificate, etc.) showing that you have the financial means to make a living in Turkey during your education.

Additional documentation may be required if deemed necessary.

### Transactions to be Made After Arrival to Turkey (Residence Transactions)

It is compulsory to apply for a residence permit for foreigners by applying to the Foreign Branch of the Provincial Directorate of Immigration Administration to receive education with the following documents within 30 days after the date of entry into Turkey.

a. Registration/acceptance certificate or an equivalent document from a higher education institution,

b. Valid and long-term passport,

c. Document showing that s/he has the financial means to make a living in Turkey during the education (bank account, scholarship certificate, etc.),

d. Valuable paper fee of residence permit published in the official gazette at the beginning of each year

e. Additional documents may be requested if deemed necessary.

## Transactions to be made After Receiving Residence Permit (Notification Process)

- a. Foreign students who receive residence permit for studying purposes must obtain their ID number by the Provincial Directorate of Immigration within 1 day.
- b. The foreign students who want to extend the residence permit must apply for the residence permit at least 15 days before or after the end of the period specified in the residence permit.
- c. For the cases of graduation, deregistration, dismissal from studentship, absenteeism, etc., if there is a change in address within 15 days, the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management must be notified within 48 hours.
- d. If there the residence permits are worn out due to erasures or scrapes, or if the residence permits are lost, it is necessary to immediately apply to the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management and get a new one.
- e. After completing the residency procedures and TR Identity number procedures at the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management, students must obtain a temporary student certificate from the university they want to enroll in and apply to the Provincial Social Security Institution to obtain their General Health Insurance.

### FINAL REGISTRATION PROCESS

- Foreign students who have the right to enroll in our university are given a temporary student certificate and sent to the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management and a residence permit is issued. The Provincial Directorate of Migration Management gives the TR Identity Number to the foreign students for whom a residence permit is issued, within 1 day.
- For foreign students who have a residence permit and a foreign identity number, a temporary student certificate is issued again and sent to the Provincial Directorates of the Social Security Institution to have their General Health Insurance. General Health Insurance procedures are completed within 1 day.
- The student who completes the residence permit, TR Identity number and General Health Insurance procedures is finally enrolled in the system.
- Personnel files of foreign students who are finally enrolled are sent to the student affairs branches of the relevant unit.

• After the Final Registration process is over, the education information of the foreign students who have made the final registration is sent to the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management, Provincial Directorates of the Social Security Institution with a cover letter.

### FOREIGN STUDENT REGISTRATION DOCUMENTS

<u>The original high school</u> diploma and a Turkish copy approved by the Turkish Embassy or Consulate in their country,

<u>Equivalency certificate</u> to be obtained from the Ministry of National Education of the Republic of Turkey or the Turkish Embassy in their country, certifying that the original high school diploma is equivalent to the diplomas obtained from Turkish high schools,

<u>The original copy of the transcript</u> and a Turkish copy approved by the Turkish Embassy or Consulate in their country,

A Turkish copy of the page showing the identity information of the official ID or passport approved by the Turkish Embassy or Consulate in their country,

Approved result document of exams accepted as equivalent to ARUYOS exam. (Candidates will be able to apply with their 2020 and 2021 YOS scores.)

## Bank receipt showing that the tuition fee has been paid. (required at registration)

A certified copy of the internationally valid foreign language certificate and Turkish proficiency certificate from the Turkish Embassy or Consulate in their country, (if applicable)

10 passport size photos.

<u>**TR Identity Number**</u> (It will be provided by the Provincial Directorate of Migration Management in Turkey within 1 day.)

<u>General Health Insurance</u> (It will be provided within 1 day by the Provincial Social Security Institution in Turkey.)

### **EQUIVALENT EXAMS TO ARDAHAN UNIVERSITY FOREIGN STUDENT EXAM**

NAME OF THE UNIVERSITY	NAME OF THE	DATE OF THE
	EXAM	SENATE
ALL STATE UNIVERSITIES	FOREIGN STUDENT	18.12.2019
ESTABLISHED ACCORDING TO	EXAMS OF STATE	
THE ORGANIZATION LAW OF	UNIVERSITIES	
HIGHER EDUCATION		
<b>INSTITUTIONS NO 2809</b>		
ALL FOUNDATION UNIVERSITIES	FOREIGN STUDENT	16.07.2020
ESTABLISHED IN TURKEY	EXAMS OF	
	FOUNDATION	
	UNIVERSITIES	

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