



Information and Conditions for Incoming Students under Agreement of Cooperation

Dear Student,

If you are planning to study at Astana International University under the Agreement of Cooperation between your institution and ours, please carefully read the following information and requirements. Compliance with these conditions is mandatory for all incoming students.

1. Language of Instruction and Language Proficiency

- At our university, only the **6B03101 International Relations, 6B04114 Management, 6B06107 Data Science, 6B02301 Translation and translation studies, 6B01701 Foreign language: two foreign languages, 6B05101 Biology, 6B01711 English and Chinese languages, 6B01501 Informatics, 6B01506 Mathematics, 6B01505 Physics and 6B02303 Translation Studies and Chinese Language** offer classes in English.
- **All other departments provide education in Kazakh and Russian.**
- Therefore, students who wish to take courses in departments other than 6B03101 International Relations, 6B04114 Management, 6B06107 Data Science, 6B02301 Translation and translation studies, 6B01701 Foreign language: two foreign languages, 6B05101 Biology, 6B01711 English and Chinese languages, 6B01501 Informatics, 6B01506 Mathematics, 6B01505 Physics and 6B02303 Translation Studies and Chinese Language, are strongly suggested to have at least B2 level proficiency in Kazakh or Russian.
- Departments Offering Programmes in Kazakh and Russian:

<https://www.aiu.kz/programs/bachelor?lang=en>

- In the same vein, the English proficiency level of students who wish to take courses is suggested to be at least B2. IELTS/TOEFL

2. Course Selection and Credit Requirement

- Before your arrival, you must clearly state the courses you wish to take in your application form, including the full names of the courses.
- You must also specify the total number of ECTS credits you are required to complete 2 during your mobility period.

- Your course programme will be arranged based on the courses and credit load you indicate.
- Please note that course registration will ultimately depend on the weekly timetable and course availability upon your arrival.
- The university does not guarantee that all selected courses will be available.

3. Accommodation

- Please kindly note that a special dormitory will be arranged for students. The dormitory fee is 40,000 KZT per month.
- If any documentation is required by the dormitory administration, students are solely responsible for obtaining and submitting them.
- Further information concerning the dormitories will be provided upon students' arrival at Astana International University.

4. Health Insurance

- All incoming students are required to have valid health insurance that is recognised in Kazakhstan.
- The recognized health insurance allows students to receive medical services at Astana Clinic.
- Please note that private health insurance policies including those obtained in students' home countries are generally not accepted at public hospitals in Kazakhstan.

5. Visa and Temporary Residence Permit (TRP)

- If a visa is required, it must be obtained from the Embassy or Consulate of the Republic of Kazakhstan in your country prior to arrival.
- Nationals of the Kyrgyz Republic, Russian Federation, the Republic of Uzbekistan, and the Republic of Tajikistan are required to obtain a Temporary Residence Permit (TRP) in Kazakhstan in accordance with migration regulations.
- The Temporary Residence Permit (TRP) application process is carried out in accordance with the migration legislation of the Republic of Kazakhstan.
- Please note that the responsibility for obtaining a visa and Temporary Residence Permit rests with the student. The university may provide supporting documents; however, the student is responsible for completing all required procedures.

- As migration regulations may change, students are strongly advised to check the most up-to-date information with the nearest Kazakh diplomatic mission before planning their mobility.

6. Required Documents for International Student Applications to Astana International University

All the following documents should be sent to the email address of the International Relations Office (i.e., aiu.global@aiu.edu.kz):

- Application form, which will be sent by the AIU International Cooperation Department
- Passport copy, which should be a valid copy of the passport's personal information page
- Transcript of records, which must be in English and officially issued for the most recent level of education completed
- Language Certificate
- All documents should be combined into a single ZIP folder and named after the applicant (e.g., Name_Surname.zip) before submission.

! There is no application or registration fee for international students at our university.

However, please note that all payments related to dormitories, visa applications, or residence permits must be covered by the students themselves.

Should you have any questions or encounter any issues, please do not hesitate to contact the International Relations Office via aiu.global@aiu.edu.kz

Thank you for your attention. We wish you a successful and enriching academic experience at our institution!