

SOCIAL SCIENCES UNIVERSITY OF ANKARA CRITERIA TO PASS THE ENGLISH PREPARATORY COURSE

English Proficiency:

Students enrolled in the programs with English as a language of instruction are subject to the provisions of the Foreign Language Teaching and Examination Regulations of the School of Foreign Languages in Social Sciences University of Ankara.

Level Determination Test:

Students enrolled in the higher education program whose language of instruction is partially or entirely in foreign language are admitted to the Level Determination Test at the beginning of the academic year. The Level Determination Test is conducted in written form and is evaluated over 100 points. The student who gets 60 points from the Placement Test is eligible to take the Foreign Language Proficiency Exam to be held at the beginning of the academic year.

Foreign Language Proficiency Exam:

The Foreign Language Proficiency Exam is conducted to determine the students who are entitled to exemption at the beginning of each academic year and to measure the proficiency of the students at the end of each semester. The Foreign Language Proficiency Exam is conducted with four skills to measure student's reading, listening, writing and speaking skills in a foreign language and is evaluated over 100 points. The student who gets at least 75 points from the Foreign Language Proficiency Exam, becomes successful and completes his/her foreign language preparatory education. The student, who cannot take the Foreign Language Proficiency Exam because of his/her excuse, will take the next Foreign Language Proficiency Test to be held by the School of Foreign Languages.

Exemption:

The student is exempted from the compulsory preparatory program if he/she provides the conditions that are determined below:

- a) To be successful in the Foreign Language Proficiency Exam,
- b) To have a valid certificate which is determined by the Senate from the international foreign language exams accepted as equivalent by the central foreign language examinations accepted by the Council of Higher Education and the score announced on the School of Foreign Languages website,
- c) At least in the last three years, in a country where the foreign language that is determined as the language of instruction is spoken as the native language, completing his/her education in the last five years in the secondary education institutions where the citizens of

that country attend,

d) On the condition that its equivalence is accepted by the Council of Higher Education, completing his undergraduate and graduate education in the last five years in the higher education institutions where the citizens of that country attend,

e) To enter and to be exempted from the Foreign Language Proficiency Exam of Social Sciences University of Ankara in the last three years.