

Addendum to the AUC Academic Standards and Procedures 2024-2025

Following a review of the English language entry requirements for Dutch applicants in 2024, which recommended changing these requirements, the AUC Management Team decided to seek an addendum to the adopted Academic Standards and Procedures (AS&P) for 2024-2025. As the proposed change to the English language entry requirements for Dutch VWO applicants could positively impact such prospective students, Articles 8.5 and 8.6 of the AS&P were invoked, which state that amendments of the AS&P require approval from the Student Council and Board of Studies and can only be implemented in the ongoing year if they do not negatively impact students.

The following change was approved by the AUC Student Council on 9 December 2024 and by the AUC Board of Studies on 3 December 2024. The Addendum was adopted by the AUC Board (the Dean of the UvA Science Faculty and the Dean of the VU Science Faculty) on 6 January 2025.

Where indicated, this Addendum replaces the provisions of the AUC AS&P 2024-2025 as adopted on 10 July 2024. In case of conflict with the AS&P, the addendum will apply.

AUC AS&P English language requirements in Appendix 4

English language requirements:

Dutch VWO diploma with an average grade 7 or higher in English; IELTS: overall score of 7.0 (with at least 6.5 in each of the four components); or TOEFL (internet-based): overall score of 100 (with minimum scores of at least a 24 for Reading, at least a 22 for Listening, at least a 25 for Speaking and at least 24 for Writing); or Cambridge Certificate of Advanced English (CAE): grade A; or Cambridge Certificate for Proficiency in English (CPE): grade C; or an equivalent qualification.