



Exchange Student Fact Sheet

Kazimierz Wielki University in Bydgoszcz

Academic Year 2026/2027

Institutional Information

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| Erasmus Code | PL BYDGOSZ01 |
| OID | E10200698 |
| PIC | 998198774 |
| Address | Kazimierz Wielki University International Relations Office ul. Chodkiewicza 30 85-064 Bydgoszcz, Poland |
| Website | www.erasmus.ukw.edu.pl |

Contact Persons

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Language of Instruction

Courses for exchange students are offered in English.

Academic Calendar 2026/2027

Winter Semester: 1 October 2026 – 14 February 2027

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| Classes | 1 October – 22 December 2026 |
| Christmas Break | 23 December 2026 – 6 January 2027 |
| Classes | 7 January – 31 January 2027 |
| Examination Session | 1 February – 14 February 2027 |



Semester Break: 15 February – 21 February 2027

Summer Semester: 22 February 2027 – 29 June 2027

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| Classes | 22 February – 24 March 2027 |
| Easter Break | 25 March – 30 March 2027 |
| Classes | 31 March – 15 June 2027 |
| Examination Session | 16 June – 29 June 2027 |

Additional university holiday: 28 May 2027

Orientation Week

Orientation Week takes place at the beginning of each semester and attendance is mandatory for all incoming Erasmus+ students. The programme includes welcome meetings, practical information sessions, and opportunities to meet other international students.

Winter semester: 1 October – 9 October 2026

Summer semester: 22 February – 26 February 2027

Course Information

The catalogue of courses taught in English is available on the Erasmus+ section of the university website: <https://erasmus.ukw.edu.pl/en/courses/>

Please note that the catalogue does not include courses designed specifically for language students.

For courses in particular departments, please contact:

- English Department – Karl Wood: erasmusengdept@ukw.edu.pl
- Arabic Department – Magdalena Al-Shehri: aylulah@ukw.edu.pl
- Chinese Department – Anna Sroka: sroken@ukw.edu.pl
- Russian Department – Andrzej Silwanowicz: andrzej.silwanowicz@ukw.edu.pl
- German Department – Julia Sowacka: jsowacka@ukw.edu.pl

Language Requirements

Students should demonstrate English language proficiency at B1/B2 level according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR).

Nomination and Application Procedure

| Semester | Nomination Deadline | Application Deadline |
|--------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Winter / Full year | 31 May | 30 June |
| Summer | 31 October | 30 November |

Partner universities should send nominations to: incoming-erasmus@ukw.edu.pl



Registration website

Studies: [apply here](#)

Traineeships: [apply here](#)

First, create an account. Then return to the registration page and complete all required steps.

Required Application Documents

- Application Form (signed and uploaded in the system)
- Transcript of Records
- Language Certificate (minimum B1/B2)
- Copy of passport or national ID card
- Online Learning Agreement (OLA) completed before mobility

Visa Information

EU/EEA students do not require a visa to study in Poland.

Non-EU/EEA students must obtain a visa before arrival in Poland.

More information: [Visa and visa-free travel](#)

Accommodation

Information about student accommodation is available on the university website: [Accommodation](#)

Services for Students with Disabilities

The Disability Services Office provides support for students with disabilities, including psychological assistance, transportation services, adapted sports activities, and specialised equipment: [Website](#)

Language Courses

| Course | Hours | ECTS |
|-------------------------|-------|----------------------------|
| Polish Language Course | 20 | No ECTS (certificate only) |
| English Language Course | 30 | 4 ECTS |

The English course may be included in the Learning Agreement. The Polish course is not included in the Learning Agreement and does not appear on the Transcript of Records.