

## English language Competency Requirements for Admission to Vistula Group of Universities

A student who wants to study at Vistula Group of Universities in English language must normally provide, along with other application documents, an English language certificate (B2 level equivalent) such as TOEFL, TOEIC, IELTS, FCE, ESOL, IESOL, SET, EBC, EOS, LCCI, CAE, CPE, BEC, CEIBT, CELS. For a student to be exempt from this, student must be a native English language speaker or student must have completed high school education at a school where medium of instruction is fully in English. Diplomas from bilingual schools or English language oriented schools are not exempt.

The following rules must be read, understood and confirmed by the applicant

1. The student can begin to study at a chosen program directly if his/her English language test score is a min IELTS= 6.0, TOEIC =700, TOELF=IBT 87
2. If the student does have a test score lower than the above given min scores, then student can still 'conditionally' begin to study a chosen program if his/her English language test score is a min IELTS= 5.0, TOEIC =550, TOELF=IBT 63. Such students will have to sit an official exam within one year of enrollment at Vistula University and submit the result (with a min score indicated in #1 above)
3. If the student has a test score less than the required min levels indicated in #2 above, then the student must attend either summer language course or English language prep school or both. How long the student must attend these courses is a matter of reaching the required min test score levels. When the student brings an acceptable test score, program studies can commence in the nearest appropriate intake (October or February)
4. If the student does not have a certificate or has something other than the above mentioned test scores at the moment of application for admission, but still would like to finalize his/her application for program studies without an English language preparation, then there are three options;
  - a. Student will take one of the tests mentioned above, acquire and submit the score (with min scores indicated in #1 and #2 above) before October 1 to Vistula University admissions office.
  - b. Student will take a mock TOEIC exam at Vistula University upon arrival in Poland. If the score is above the min level indicated in #2 above, then the student can commence program studies subject to the same condition indicated in #2.
  - c. If the student fails to do either as indicated in a or b above, meaning the test score obtained fails to reach the min level in #2, then the student has to first attend English language prep school for 1 or 2 semesters until a test score is obtained as indicated in #1 and #2 above. Any other way of action will result in cancellation of student's enrollment, along with other possible consequences such as annulment of visa obtained to enter Poland

I hereby declare that I understand and accept everything written above.

Name and Surname of Candidate:

Date:

Signature