UNIVERSIDAD DE MURCIA

University of Murcia
Exchange Partner Information Sheet

2025-2026 Academic Year

Institution Website:	http://www.um.es
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Nomination Deadlines:

- **Fall Semester (September-January):** April 30, 2025.
- **Spring Semester (January-June):** October 15, 2025.

Application deadline:

- **Fall Semester/FY** May 31st, 2025
- **Spring Semester** November 15, 2025

Classes:

- **Fall Semester** September 8 – December 12, 2025
- **Spring Semester** January 21 – May 9, 2025

Exams:

- **Fall Semester** December 15-23 , 2025
  January 7 -20, 2026
- **Spring Semester** 1st call May 12 – 30, 2026
  2nd call: June 15 -24, 2026

Winter Break: December 23, 2025– January 6, 2026

Spring Break: March 28th April 12, 2026

Minimum semester course load: 3 regular courses.
50% of the course load must be within the same degree.

Academics:

Undergraduate programmes:
https://www.um.es/en/web/estudios/grados

Master programmes:
https://www.um.es/en/web/estudios/masteres

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Ph.D.: https://www.um.es/en/web/estudios/doctorado

English taught courses:

https://www.um.es/en/web/iwp/perfiles/estudiantes/english-taught-programs/undergraduate

Certificate Absence Sexual Crime

Spanish Law L.O. 8/2015 - 22nd. July states the following:
"Students taking PRACTICES (STAGE- PLACEMENT) at university (this applies meanly to Medicine, Nursing, Education, Social Work, Psychology, etc.) and are going to be in contact with children and minors, must bring a CRIMINAL RECORD issued by the home country authorities. Otherwise, they will not be allowed to perform practical classes in schools, hospitals, etc.

Spanish Language&Culture Programmes:

https://www.um.es/web/idiomas/spanishcourses

Language Requirement:

Spanish:
At least a B2 level is recommended for attending regular courses taught in Spanish. (Intermediate-High/Advanced-Low according to ACTFL).

Admitted language assessments:

- ACTFL (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages): levels Intermediate-high or Advanced-low
- DELE B2
- SIELE Global B2
- Home University language evaluation/test
- Language proficiency report issued by a Spanish language instructor that states the student has the reading, oral, writing and listening skills equivalent to ACTFL Intermediate-high or Advanced-low or ECFRL B2.
- 6 courses of Spanish language (not culture or civilization courses)

English: At least a B2 level is recommended for attending

regular courses taught in English.

Admitted language assessments:

- Cambridge English: First Certificate
- Trinity Integrated Skills: B2
- iBT TOEFL: 72
- Language proficiency report issued by an English language instructor that states the student has the reading, oral, writing and listening skills equivalent to ECFRL B2 or ACTFL Intermediate-high or Advanced-low.

Accommodation:

Shared apartments with other students in town.
To help you find and book you're a room before your arrival, international students shall contact our Housing Service-VIMUR: vimur@um.es.
Through VIMUR you can safely book your room, offered by our outgoing students or by verified landlords/ladies.

Please visit https://vimur.um.es, for further information.

Estimated cost of housing:

300/375 euros/month aprox. (shared apartment)

Estimated cost of meals:

75 euros/week (groceries or university cafeteria)

Visa:

All nationals not holding a passport from a European Union country need a valid visa to enter the country. Information about Consulates of the Kingdom of Spain worldwide can be found at:
http://www.exteriores.gob.es/Portal/en/ServiciosAlCiudadano/Paginas/EmbajadasConsulados.aspx

Health insurance:

All nationals from a European Union country must apply for the European Health Care Card at the Social Security Authorities of their home country.

Citizens from a non-European Union country must contract a health insurance with coverage regular and emergency health care.

General insurance: following Regional Education Authorities requirements all students must contract a liability and accident insurance upon registration. It has a 6-euro fee.

In order to have an adequate and effective treatment, international students under chronic treatment or therapy, must bring a medical report with them stating diagnosis, drugs prescribed and travel clearance.

Transcript of records:

Incoming students: official electronic transcripts of records are uploaded in the student portal by early February (fall) or mid-July (spring and FY).

Outgoing students: we do accept official electronic transcripts. They must be sent to internacionales@um.es

Grading system of the institution:

GRADE CONVERSION CHART*			
Spanish Grading Scale		**ECTS Grading Scale**	
9-10 MH	Matrícula de Honor	A+	Excellent with Distinction
9-10 SB	Sobresaliente	A	Excellent
8-8,9 NT	Notable	B	Very Good
7-7,9 NT	Notable	C	Good
6-6,9 AP	Aprobado	D	Satisfactory
5-5,9 AP	Aprobado	E	Sufficient
<5	Suspenso	F	Fail

*This chart is merely illustrative. Conversion of grades and transfer of credits policies depend on each university academic regulations.

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