

PRE-MEDICAL PROGRAMS



McDaniel College - Budapest Campus

The Pre-Medical Program of McDaniel Europe prepares students – who require additional instructions or review in **sciences and in English language** – to take the entrance examinations for the regular Degree Program. With English as the language of instruction, the following subjects are covered: General English, Medical English, Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Hungarian Language. All learning at the Pre-Medical Program focuses on the individual needs of the students. They develop skills as well as acquire knowledge and personal qualities necessary for university studies. During the course students have regular tests both written and oral to get practice in taking examinations. Although the admission rate from the Pre-Medical Program is very high, it must be understood that completion of this course does not imply or assure admission or dispense with entrance examination to the degree programs at the University of Pécs. Further information, brochures can be obtained from premed@mcdaniel.hu.

International Studies Centre Preparatory Courses

GENERAL OVERVIEW OF PREPARATORY PROGRAMS

The International Studies Centre of the University of Pécs Medical School offers complex and integrated preparatory programs for degree studies that meet the language development needs of international students and facilitate their integration into the context of higher education in

Hungary. International programs at Hungarian universities minimally require B2 (upper-intermediate) language level and you have to be knowledgeable in your chosen field of studies for admission.

Our preparatory programs are made up of 3 stages, each comprising 400 lessons:

1. THE MILESTONE STAGE

is designed for students who need additional support in meeting the minimum requirements in English. If your English proficiency is below low-intermediate (B1) level, you need to substantially develop your listening, reading, writing and speaking skills. Communicative and cooperative language classes assist you to attain intermediate (B1) level. Preparatory students having reached and applicants being already at intermediate level can continue their studies in the Upgrade Stage.

2. THE UPGRADE STAGE

focuses on language development in a manner that resembles more the academic context awaiting you. You have the opportunity to select your courses from a range of compulsory and elective modules modelled upon university seminars. 400 contact hours are spent with thematically focused language education assisting you to attain upper-intermediate (B2) level. Preparatory students having reached and applicants being already at upper-intermediate level can continue their studies in the Gateway Stage.

3. THE GATEWAY STAGE

is specifically designed for students with outstanding English skills (already reaching or exceeding B2 level). Preparatory course students will join this stage after attaining B2, upper-intermediate level in the Upgrade program. The 400 contact hours merge language instruction (Academic English and ESP) with field-specific subject teaching. Thus students improve their language skills while becoming knowledgeable in their future field of degree studies.

TRANSPARENCY OF ENTRY AND OUTPUT REQUIREMENTS

Your preparatory program starts with an online placement test (written and oral) thus we are able to find the best possible study stage for you to join, and the program ends with internationally recognized ECL language exam (upper-intermediate or advanced).

Registration fee: 150 EUR

Application fee: 100 EUR

Program length	Study Stages	Starting date	Price
5 months / 400 lessons	G	February	4,200 EUR
10 months / 800 lessons	U+G	September	6,500 EUR
15 months / 1200 lessons	M+U+G	February	9,300 EUR

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Three-week Preparatory Course

The Medical School offers a 3-week preparatory course in the fundamental subjects of the first semester: Biology, Chemistry and Physics. This course is intended for accepted students who would like to refresh their high school knowledge in these subjects, and will make the accommodation to their studies easier. It is not obligatory, but useful! Registration to the course is by notifying the Admissions and English Student Service Center at studentservice.center@aok.pte.hu and paying the fee by the deadline.

Details of the course:

- 8 hours a day, 5 days a week
- planned date: from 2 August to 19 August 2021
- deadline for application: 30 July 2021

FEE AND PAYMENT DETAILS

For fee and details of the above mentioned course, please visit our website at admissions.medschool.pte.hu.

The fee can be paid personally in cash by the first day of the course (2 August) in the cashier of the Medical School or by bank transfer to the following account number indicating the name of the course (3-week preparatory course):

Bank account name:	Pécsi Tudományegyetem (University of Pécs)
Address of beneficiary:	7622 Pécs, Vasvári P. u. 4.
Bank name:	Magyar Államkincstár (Hungarian State Treasury)
Address of bank:	7621 Pécs, Apáca utca 6.
SWIFT code:	HUSTHUHB
IBAN:	HU30 10024003- 00282716- 01110009
Intermediary bank name:	Magyar Nemzeti Bank (Hungarian National Bank)
Address of intermediary bank:	1054 Budapest, Szabadság tér 8-9.
SWIFT code:	MANEHUHB



A close-up photograph of two individuals in dark business suits shaking hands over a table. On the table are several blue folders or documents, each featuring the European Union flag (a circle of twelve gold stars on a blue background) and a small white rectangular label. The background is slightly blurred, showing more of the suits and the table. The overall tone is professional and formal.

FEES AND COSTS



ANNUAL TUITION FEE - GENERAL MEDICINE

Year 1-6: USD 16,750 / academic year
First semester fee USD 9,000
Second semester fee USD 7,750



ANNUAL TUITION FEE - PHARMACY

Year 1-5: EUR 8400 / academic year
First semester fee: EUR 4400
Second semester fee: EUR 4000



ANNUAL TUITION FEE - DENTISTRY

Year 1-5: USD 17,350 / academic year
First semester fee: USD 9,300
Second semester fee: USD 8,050

Please note that the annual tuition fee
for Dentistry includes the cost of dental
materials/semester.



ANNUAL TUITION FEE - BIOTECHNOLOGY

Year 1-2: EUR 11,000 / academic year
First and second semester fee:
EUR 5,500

ADDITIONAL FEES

1. Application fee USD 200

Payable to the local representative. If there is no local representative, please transfer the fee to the bank account of University of Pécs, and attach a proof of the bank transfer of the fee.

2. Entrance examination fee USD 250

If the exam is taken in Hungary. (At other locations the price will be given by the official representative.)

3. Registration fee USD 220

Payable once during your studies, together with the 1st semester tuition fee.

OTHER COSTS

The expected cost of books, equipment and supplies is USD 500-1,000. The average living expenses for students are around USD 700 per month.

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Note: The transfer sheet should include **the name of the applicant** as it is written in the passport, the **online registration number** and the remark **"Medical School, tuition fee"**.

Personal cheques and money orders are not accepted.

Please note that the above mentioned net amounts have to arrive to the account - the commission charges have to be paid by the student.

IMPORTANT

If the tuition fee is not credited to our bank account by the deadline given in the acceptance letter, students have to pay a default charge and may be suspended/dismissed.



ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Student Visa

Information on student visa can be obtained at the following link:

konzulizsolgalat.kormany.hu/en

Travelling to Pécs

Pécs is accessible by car or train from the international airports of Budapest or Vienna (Austria). There are daily direct flights to Budapest from New York City and other US cities via Frankfurt, London, Paris and Zurich. You can reach Pécs from the South of Germany or from Northern Italy within a day by car.

Accommodation

Long-term accommodation can be found at the Student Housing office of the Medical School. Please visit www.studenthousing.hu for more information.

Health Insurance

The students are required to have a general health insurance while staying in Hungary. Either you can take out an insurance at home that covers your health care in Hungary or you can take out one by Generali Providencia Insurance Company. They offer students a health insurance scheme, in which the doctors of the Medical School provide medical care. The terms and conditions are available upon enrolment. Please note that this insurance is valid only in Hungary.

Freshman camp

Every year incoming freshmen have the opportunity to join each other and upper-year peers before the registration week. They have the opportunity to spend a few days interacting with themselves, older students, instructors and faculty members actively engaging in dozens of types of activities. The University of Pécs Medical School organizes an info session and orientation in the camp.

Registration and Orientation Week

The **academic year** 2021/2022 will begin with the **Registration and Orientation Week**. The registration week is dedicated to a number of administrative tasks that you are obliged to complete before starting your studies. Please note that the attendance of the Orientation lecture and the collective enrolment is **compulsory**, if you do not appear at the Medical School during these two days, you will not be able to start your studies.

During the Registration Week you will create your legal status at the University of Pécs at the collective matriculation, you will learn about the curriculum and what courses to take, you will get familiar with Neptun, the computerized registration system for managing the education organization, and you will have to attend the obligatory preliminary medical check-up as well. You can also learn about how to register for a student card as well as at the Immigration Office. The Registration and Orientation Week is concluded with the obligatory Opening Ceremony on the Sunday prior to the beginning of the instruction period.

Curriculum

The curriculum of the General Medicine course in Pécs is designed to form a foundation upon which the future physician can build his or her medical knowledge in a continuously evolving profession. At the Medical School, the academic year is divided into two five-month semesters including a period for the examinations. The program of instruction consists of six years of medical, pre-clinical and clinical studies (ten semesters and one year of clinical rotations). The curriculum is drawn up in the belief that direct experience with patients, either at the bedside or in the operating theatre, is fundamental to a sound medical education.

Credit System

In September 2003, the credit system and modularization of the curriculum was implemented at the Medical School. The new system is in concordance with the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System). The workload in one semester is 30 credits, and 1 credit is the equivalent of one contact hour per week of study throughout the semester (fourteen weeks). The new educational scheme is flexible. The students have the opportunity to take the same obligatory or optional course at another university in Hungary or abroad, and to create an individual plan from a wider range of choices.

Grading System

The curriculum at the Medical School is divided into six/five successive academic years, two semesters per year. Each year builds on the subject material of the preceding years. The student must successfully complete all the course work of a module before being approved for promotion to the next module. At the end of each semester, the student's performance in all the required courses is evaluated and recorded. The academic proficiency achieved by the student in a given semester is based on the results of the evaluations (examinations) in all the courses of the curriculum for that particular semester.

The grades excellent (5), good (4), average (3), satisfactory (2) and fail (1) are used on the examinations in all the basic sciences, pre-clinical and clinical subjects, and on the Final Closing Examination, too.

Attendance and Absences

The students are required to attend the lectures, seminars and practices prescribed by the curriculum, including hospital training during the summers, and night and weekend duties. Regardless of the reasons, students missing a clerkship may be required to make up for the missed time depending on the length of the time period involved. In case of illness the students have to cover their absences with a valid medical certificate issued by a physician (clinical department, hospital or district doctor). Anticipated absences of more than two

days duration should be arranged with the Registrar and the departments concerned.

Educational Issues

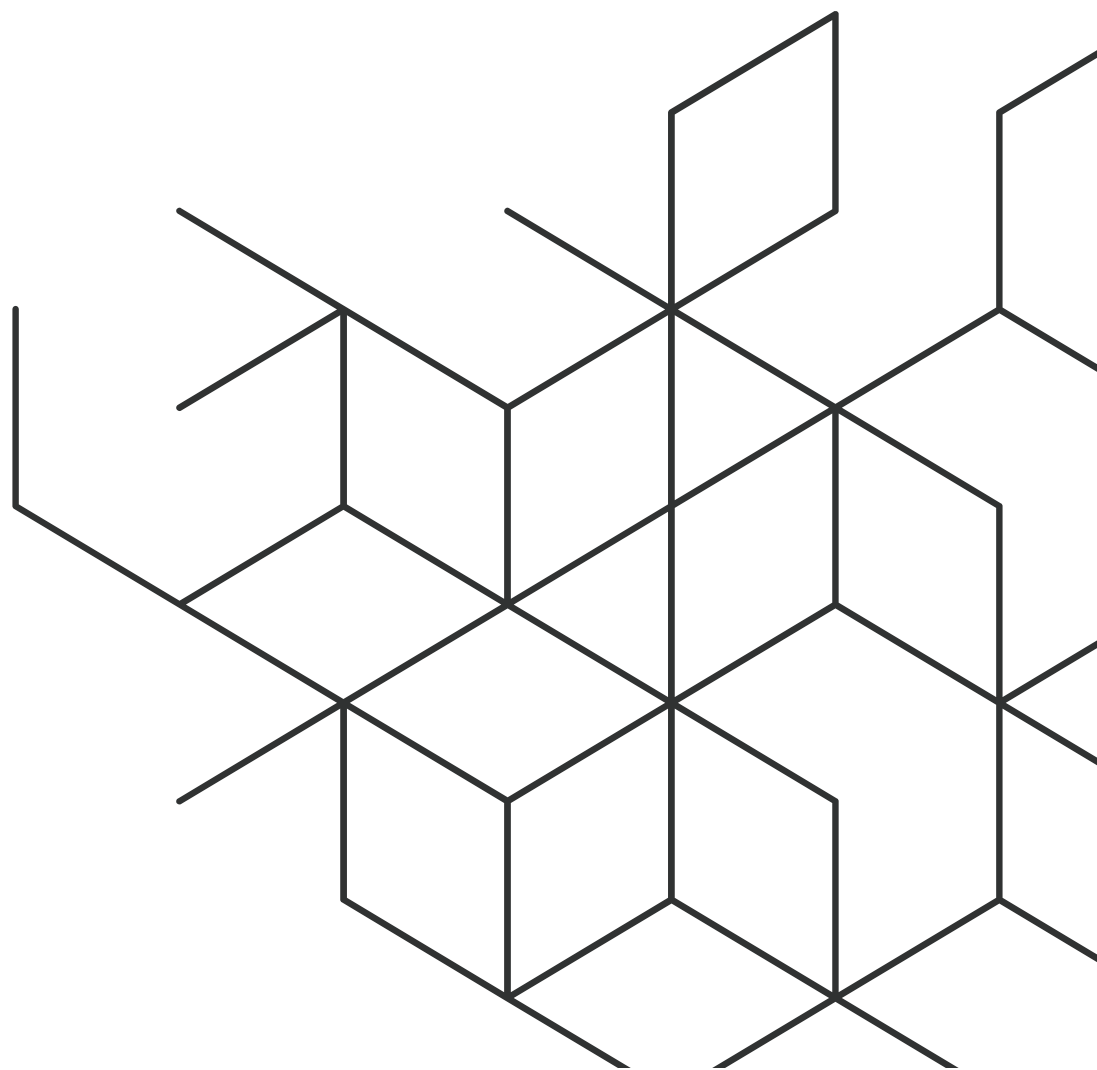
The Registrar's Office is responsible for all the study-related administration of students, for issuing transcripts of studies, diploma supplements, course descriptions, student status certificates and preparing other certifications for present and former students. They manage the electronic administration system of the University of Pécs (Neptun), compile syllbuses, curricula and timetables in cooperation with the departments, administer transfer and credit transfer procedures. They guarantee that the rules laid down in the Code of Studies and Examinations and other regulations are kept. More information can be found at medschool.pte.hu/registrar.

Getting Help

Apart from the main profile of admission process, application procedure and entrance examination management and enrolment, the Admissions and English Student Service Center provides help in non-educational issues to all of the active students, such as mediation between Immigration Authorities and university students, organizing Hepatitis vaccination and the preliminary obligatory medical-check-up, providing and managing lockers, helping students find their way on the campus and in the city, getting a GP or a specialist doctor, or finding a repairman.

Academic Calendar

Our academic year is divided into two five-month semesters including the 14-week long instruction periods as well as the 7-week long examination periods. The students may leave for a short Christmas vacation and are encouraged to take a summer vacation in July and August.



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