CALL FOR ENROLMENT 2020/2021 – COMMON PROVISIONS

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PUBLIC INDEPENDENT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS AND INDEPENDENT HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS CARRYING OUT STUDY PROGRAMMES UNDER A CONCESSION

CALL FOR ENROLMENT IN FIRST-CYCLE (UNDERGRADUATE) AND SECOND-CYCLE INTEGRATED MASTER’S DEGREE STUDY PROGRAMMES IN THE 2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR

COMMON PROVISIONS

Pursuant to paragraph 7 of Article 40 of the Higher Education Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), Nos. 32/12 – official consolidated text, 40/12 – ZUJF, 57/12 – ZPCP-2D, 109/12,85/14 and 75/16; hereinafter: the Higher Education Act) and paragraph 6 of Article 21 of the Government of the Republic of Slovenia Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), No. 24/05 – official consolidated text, 109/08, 38/10 – ZUKN, 8/12, 21/13 and 47/13 – ZDU-1G and 64/14), in its regular session held on 23rd of January 2020, the Government of the Republic of Slovenia adopted the Decision on the Approval of the Content of the Call for Enrolment in First-Cycle (Undergraduate) Study Programmes and Second-Cycle Integrated Master’s Degree Study Programmes in the 2020/21 Academic Year.

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I. APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT

The first-round application period

The first-round application period for enrolment runs from 12 February to 9 June 2020.

Candidates are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en. Each candidate may only submit one application, namely the application for enrolment in eVŠ by 9 June 2020 with a qualified digital certificate, ArnesAAI account or username and password. In the application and admission procedures for the academic year 2020/2021, applicants are allowed to submit all the attachments to the applications electronically to the competent higher education application and information services at the following below e-mail addresses (those attachments to the application which are required under Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment - the attachments must bear the reference number of the enrolment application).

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by 9 June 2020 is considered to be submitted in time.

Candidates are required to send attachments to the enrolment application by e-mail to the higher education application and information service:

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana, PO Box 524, 1001 Ljubljana, e-mail: vpis@uni-lj.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Ljubljana higher education institution or a public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession;
- the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor, PO Box 246, 2001 Maribor, e-mail: vpis@um.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Maribor higher education institution;
- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Primorska, Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, e-mail: vpis@upr.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Primorska higher education institution;

1 In the Official Gazette of the RS, no. 74/20 of 21 May 2020, a Decision establishing the cessation of the grounds for interim measures in respect of judicial, administrative and other public law matters to control the spread of SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) was published, enter into force on 1 June 2020, which means that, in view of the suspension of deadlines in accordance with the first paragraph of Article 6 of the Act on provisional measures for judicial, administrative and other public matters to cope with the spread of infectious disease SARS-CoV-2 (COVID-19) (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia, Nos. 36/20 and 61/20; ZZUSUDJ), the suspension of the deadline will expire on 1 June 2020, so the deadlines that started to run before the imposition of temporary measures will during the day ran forward. According to the second paragraph of Article 6 of the ZZUSUDJ, which regulates the running of material deadlines, this means that the eighth day from the date of termination of measures is 9 June 2020. This means that the 9 June 2020 deadline for submitting applications to public calls for enrolment where the deadline for submitting applications would otherwise expire during the duration of the measures.

2 The Act Determining the Intervention Measures to Mitigate and Remedy the Consequences of the COVID-19 Epidemic (ZIUOOP) Act, published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia no. 80/20, determined in Article 64 that, regardless of the provisions of the regulations governing the implementation of application and admission procedures for enrollment, in the application and admission procedures for enrollment for the academic year 2020/2021 at higher education institutions in the Republic of Slovenia applications for enrollment and all evidence required by the application electronically without a secure electronic signature, if the identity of the applicant can be established in another reliable way, even after the end of the epidemic.

It is not necessary to send the application for enrollment by registered post to the competent higher education institution, an electronic submission on the eVŠ web portal is sufficient, even if the application was submitted with a username and password. Candidates send the supplemental documents by e-mail to the competent higher education application and information service or to an independent higher education institution. As a sufficient verification of the applicant's identity, an EMŠO number (EMŠO is a personal identification number in the Republic of Slovenia) is sufficient, or for foreign citizens who do not have a Slovenian EMŠO, a copy of an identity document (EU citizens ID card or passport, citizens of other countries only a passport).
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- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Nova Gorica, Vipavska cesta 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, e-mail: studentska.pisarna@ung.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Nova Gorica higher education institution.

In the application, candidates may specify, in order of priority, a maximum of three (3) different study programmes in which they wish to enrol and for which they meet, or will meet, the enrolment conditions before the expiry of the deadlines published in this Call for Enrolment.

The priority order in which the study programme preferences are listed is important, because candidates will, under the conditions indicated in this Call for Enrolment in the chapter on the selection procedure, be admitted to the first specified programme for which they meet all the conditions. Candidates should therefore only choose programmes for which they meet the enrolment conditions, otherwise their choice will not be taken into consideration.

PLEASE NOTE:
The deadline for the submission of electronic applications through the eVŠ web portal is 9 June 2020. After 9 June 2020, changes to and de-registration from individual specified study preferences will no longer be possible.

When completing an application, candidates should ensure that they meet (or will meet) the conditions for enrolment in the particular study programme. Candidates should therefore only choose programmes for which they meet (or will meet) the enrolment conditions, otherwise their study choice will not be taken into consideration.

The second-round application period
The second-round application period runs from 20 to 28 August 2020.

Candidates who did not apply in the first-round application period or have not been admitted into any of the study programmes specified in the first-round application or have not enrolled in the study programme to which they have been admitted in the first-round application period or have deregistered from that study programme by 17 August 2020 inclusive may apply for enrolment places that are still available in the second-round application period.

The information regarding enrolment places that are still available in the second-round application period will be published on 19 August 2020 on the eVŠ web portal and on the websites of the higher education application and information services of the University of Ljubljana, the University of Maribor, the University of Primorska, the University of Nova Gorica, and on the websites of other higher education institutions.

Candidates are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en. Each candidate may only submit one application, namely the application for enrolment in eVŠ by 28 August 2020 with a qualified digital certificate, ArnesAAI account or username and password. In the application and admission procedures for the academic year 2020/2021, applicants are allowed to submit all the attachments to the applications electronically to the competent higher education application and information services at the following below e-mail addresses (those attachments to the application which are required under Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment - the attachments must bear the reference number of the enrolment application).

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by 28 August 2020 is considered to be submitted in time.

Candidates are required to send attachments to the enrolment application by e-mail to the higher education application and information service:
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- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana, PO Box 524, 1001 Ljubljana, e-mail: vpis@uni-lj.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Ljubljana higher education institution or a public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor, PO Box 246, 2001 Maribor, e-mail: vpis@um.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Maribor higher education institution;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Primorska, Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, e-mail: vpis@upr.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Primorska higher education institution;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Nova Gorica, Vipavska cesta 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, e-mail: studentska.pisarna@ung.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Nova Gorica higher education institution.

In the application, candidates may specify, in order of priority, a maximum of three (3) different study programmes in which they wish to enrol and for which they meet, or will meet, the enrolment conditions before the expiry of the deadlines published in this Call for Enrolment.

The priority order in which the study programme preferences are listed is important, because candidates will, under the conditions indicated in this Call for Enrolment in the chapter on the selection procedure, be admitted to the first specified programme for which they meet all the conditions. Candidates should therefore only choose programmes for which they meet the enrolment conditions, otherwise their choice will not be taken into consideration.

Candidates for whom the selection procedure of the first-round application period has not yet finished (candidates who will sit the Slovenian matura exam (i.e. the national upper secondary school-leaving external examination) in two parts or undergo tests of specific aptitudes, abilities, and skills in the autumn term; candidates undergoing the procedure for the recognition of completed education for the purpose of continuing studies; and candidates who were approved for enrolment following an appeals procedure) may submit a second-round application by 28 August 2020. If such candidates are admitted to one of the study programmes specified in the first-round application, their second-round application will be eliminated from the selection procedure in the second-round application period with their written consent.

PLEASE NOTE:
The deadline for the submission of electronic applications through the eVŠ is 28 August 2020.

After 28 August 2020, changes to and de-registration from individual specified study preferences will no longer be possible.

When completing an application, candidates should ensure that they meet (or will meet) the conditions for enrolment in the particular study programme. Candidates should therefore only choose programmes for which they meet (or will meet) the enrolment conditions, otherwise their study choice will not be taken into consideration.

Candidates who were admitted to a study programme in the first-round application period but have not enrolled in that study programme may submit a second-round application. A second-round application may also be submitted by candidates who enrolled in the study programme to which they were admitted in the first-round application period but have deregistered from that study programme by 17 August 2020.
Application period for still-available enrolment places
The application period for still-available enrolment places runs from 24 September to 12 p.m. on 25 September 2020.

During that period, the following candidates may apply for still-available enrolment places:
- candidates who did not apply in the first- or second-round application period,
- candidates who have submitted their first or second application and have not been admitted to any of the chosen study programmes listed in their application in the selection procedure of the current year,
- candidates admitted in the first- or second-round application period in a study programme which will not be implemented.

Information on the study programmes with still-available enrolment places will be published on 24 September 2020 on the eVŠ web portal and on the websites of the higher education institutions.

Candidates are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at [http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en](http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en). Each candidate may only submit three applications. In each application candidates should list one study programme for which they meet the enrolment conditions. The application for enrolment must be submitted through the eVŠ web portal by 12 p.m. on 25 September 2020 with a qualified digital certificate, ArnesAAI account or username and password. In the application and admission procedures for the academic year 2020/2021, applicants are allowed to submit all the attachments to the applications electronically to the competent higher education institution (those attachments to the application which are required under Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment - the attachments must bear the reference number of the enrolment application).

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by 12 p.m. on 25 August 2020 is considered to be submitted in time.

Only applications received by the competent higher education institution by 12 p.m. on 25 September 2020 will be considered to be submitted in time. Applications received later will be discarded.
II. STUDY PROGRAMMES AND ENROLMENT CONDITIONS

Pursuant to the provisions of the Higher Education Act, faculties, academies, professional colleges, public independent higher education institutions or independent higher education institutions carrying out study programmes under a concession shall publish this Call for Enrolment in the following study programmes for the 2020/2021 academic year:

- second-cycle integrated master’s degree programmes that comprise 300 or 360 credits and last five or six years;
- first-cycle university study programmes that comprise 180 or 240 credits and last three or four years;
- first-cycle professional study programmes that comprise 180 credits and last three years.

Candidates may enrol in the study programmes if they meet the conditions laid down under the relevant study programmes and specified in this Call for Enrolment. The enrolment conditions are as follows:

- for enrolment in second-cycle integrated master’s degree programmes and first-cycle university study programmes:
  - a general matura certificate;
  - a final examination certificate from an appropriate four-year upper secondary school programme completed before 1 June 1995;
  - for enrolment in certain second-cycle integrated master’s degree programmes and first-cycle university study programmes, candidates are required to hold a vocational matura certificate from an appropriate upper secondary vocational education programme, together with an examination certificate for a general matura subject;

- for enrolment in first-cycle professional study programmes:
  - a final examination certificate from an appropriate four-year upper secondary school programme, a general matura certificate or a vocational matura certificate;
  - in order to be able to enrol in certain study programmes, candidates are also required to pass a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills.

In some study programmes candidates are expected to master the language in which a particular study programme is conducted. Information on the study programmes for which a knowledge of the language is verified at the time of enrolment application is provided in the Call for Enrolment for each particular study programme.
The number of available enrolment places for enrolment in the first year, in parallel degree studies and for graduates is announced under the individual study programmes in the Call for Enrolment, which is published for citizens of the Republic of Slovenia (hereinafter: Slovenian citizens) and citizens of the Member States of the European Union separately for full-time study programmes and separately for part-time study programmes. These enrolment places are also available to foreign citizens from countries that are not Member States of the European Union (hereinafter: foreign citizens) who have permanent residence in the Republic of Slovenia and who themselves or their parents are residents of the Republic of Slovenia for tax purposes. Compliance with the conditions referred to in the preceding paragraph is verified prior to the start of the selection procedure, i.e. according to the candidate’s status as at 3 July 2020 in the first-round application period, as at 10 September 2020 in the second-round application period, and as at 25 September 2020 in the application period for still-available enrolment places. The enrolment places are also open to persons who have been granted international protection in accordance with the International Protection Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), No. 22/16). Citizens of Norway, Iceland, Liechtenstein and Switzerland that are not Member States of the European Union are treated in the same way as citizens of Slovenia and other European Union Member States.

The enrolment places that are available for Slovenians without Slovenian citizenship and foreign citizens are specified separately (see Chapter XVII. and the tables with enrolment places for foreign citizens).

Enrolment is available for candidates who wish to enrol in a higher year of study of the relevant programme regardless of their citizenship.

Candidates holding a foreign education certificate can find the relevant information in Chapter VIII.
IV. INFORMATION DAY

An information day will be held by all higher education institutions on:

– Friday, 14 February 2020 at 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m.;
– Saturday, 15 February 2020 at 10:00 a.m.,

unless otherwise specified by an individual higher education institution. Certain higher education institutions will host several information days as well as individual information meetings. The essential information will be provided to candidates on the first information day or on the website of the respective higher education institution.

At the information day, candidates will be presented in more detail the enrolment conditions, options and conditions for the study programme, professions or work, employment possibilities, the continuation of studies, and other information relevant to choosing the study programme.
V. LIMITED ENROLMENT AND SELECTION CRITERIA

If the number of candidates applying is significantly greater than the number of announced enrolment places, the universities, public independent higher education institutions or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession will adopt a decision on the limitation of enrolment. Information on the study programmes with limited enrolment will be published on the eVŠ web portal and on the websites of the higher education application and information services by 16 June 2020.

- For enrolment in first-cycle professional and first-cycle university study programmes and second-cycle integrated master’s degree programmes that are subject to a decision on the limitation of enrolment, candidates are selected according to the criteria specified for each study programme and published in this Call for Enrolment.
- In selecting candidates who hold a diploma from a completed four-year upper secondary profession-oriented education programme, the results of the third and fourth years, taken as the percentage of points specified for the individual study programme, are deemed to be the general results achieved in the final examination.
- In selecting candidates who have completed a five-year upper secondary school programme, the examination results from the fourth and fifth years rather than from the third and fourth years will be taken into account.
- In selecting candidates who have completed an advanced upper secondary education programme or a vocational-technical programme, the examination results from the first and second years of these programmes will be used to generate the score of points specified for the third and fourth years under the relevant individual study programme.
- In selecting candidates who have completed a matura course after a four-year upper secondary education programme, the examination results from the third and fourth years, as well as the general matura examination results, will be taken into account. In selecting candidates who have completed a matura course after three years of an upper secondary education programme or less, only the matura examination certificate will be taken into account. The results achieved in the general matura examination are also deemed to be the results of the third and fourth years, taken as the percentage of points specified for the third and fourth years under the relevant individual study programme.
- In selecting candidates who have completed a vocational course, the examination results from the third and fourth years of their gimnazija (general upper secondary school) studies or upper secondary technical education programme, and the vocational matura certificate, will be taken into consideration.
- In selecting candidates who have completed, or will complete, the general matura without concluding the third and fourth years of an upper secondary school programme, the results achieved in the general matura examination are deemed to be the results of the third and fourth years, taken as the percentage of points specified for the third and fourth years under the relevant individual study programme.
- In selecting candidates holding an International Baccalaureate Diploma (hereinafter: an IB Diploma), the results achieved in the final examination are also deemed to be the results of the third and fourth years, taken as the percentage of points specified for the third and fourth years under the relevant individual study programme. An IB Diploma, or an IB Results Summary (if the candidate has not yet been awarded an IB Diploma), bearing the text: Diploma Awarded or Bilingual Diploma Awarded, constitutes evidence of having successfully completed an international baccalaureate.
- For candidates holding a European Baccalaureate Certificate, the grades stated in the European Baccalaureate Certificate or their annual grade reports will be converted into grades according to the Slovenian grading scale in secondary educational programmes in accordance with the rules on the conversion of grades from European Schools.

3 The Determining the Intervention Measures to Mitigate and Remedy the Consequences of the COVID-19 Epidemic (ZIUOOPE) Act, published in the Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia no. 80/20, stipulated in Article 63 that for application and admission procedures for enrollment at higher education institutions in the Republic of Slovenia for the academic year 2020/21, public and concessioned higher education institutions will not have to obtain the consent of the Government of the Republic of Slovenia. should have been in previous years.
Candidates who attended an upper secondary-school programme and whose previously acquired formal ungraded formal or informal knowledge was recognised will be allocated zero (0) points in the selection procedure. Information on the possibilities of obtaining a grade is provided by upper secondary schools.

If for enrolment in a study programme a candidate provides different evidence on the fulfilment of the enrolment conditions, the evidence that is more favourable for the candidate will be taken into account in the selection procedure.

The following tables and rules are used for the conversion of upper secondary school grades and the calculation of points in the case of limited enrolment:

- The table for the conversion of grades and the calculation of points for enrolment in first-cycle higher professional study programmes with limited enrolment.
- The table for the conversion of grades and the calculation of points for enrolment in first-cycle university study programmes and second-cycle integrated master’s study programmes with limited enrolment.
- Rules for evaluating foreign secondary education certificates (published on the websites of the higher education application and information services).
VI. TESTS OF SPECIFIC APTITUDES, ABILITIES AND SKILLS AND INDIVIDUAL MATURA SUBJECT EXAMINATIONS

Tests of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills will be held at the higher education institutions according to the schedule in the Annex entitled Tests of Specific Aptitudes, Abilities and Skills for the 2020/21 Academic Year, namely between 26 June and 10 July 2020 in the first-round application period, except for the Academy of Music of the University of Ljubljana, study programme: Musical Arts, where the test of musical and artistic talent and knowledge in the first-round application period is scheduled for 28 May 2020. In the second-round application period, the tests of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills will be held between 9 and 11 September 2020. The exact dates of the tests are listed under the individual study programmes of this Call for Enrolment. If the tests are not held, candidates who have already passed the test may apply for these study programmes.

Candidates will be notified of the testing at least five days prior to the date of the test in the first-round application period, and two days prior to the date of the test in the second-round application period. The notifications are sent by higher education institutions to the e-mail addresses of the candidates indicated in the enrolment applications.

An invitation to undergo a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills will be received by candidates who:

• have listed a study programme which requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills as their first choice study programme;
• have listed a study programme which requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills as their second or third choice study programme, and a study programme with limited enrolment as their first choice;
• have listed a study programme which requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills as the first, second or third choice study programme, and into which they may exceptionally enrol even if they do not meet the enrolment conditions but demonstrate exceptional aptitude.

More detailed information about the testing of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills is available at individual higher education institutions.

Higher education institutions will issue candidates a certificate on the tests taken and the test results, and will inform the higher education application and information service thereof.

Individual general matura subject examinations may be taken by candidates who have already passed the general or vocational matura, or candidates undergoing the vocational matura examinations, candidates whose certificates obtained abroad have been recognised in the procedure for the recognition of education for the purpose of continuing studies as being equivalent to the matura certificate, and other candidates if these subjects are a condition for enrolment in a second-cycle integrated master’s degree programme or a first-cycle university study programme, and are to be taken into account in the selection procedure for enrolment.

Examinations are to be taken within the deadlines laid down in the general matura examination calendar. Candidates themselves must submit their applications for examinations to the National Examinations Centre or upper secondary schools carrying out the gimnazija programme within the deadlines laid down in the rules on the general matura examination.

The certificates of individual general matura examinations issued by the National Examinations Centre have permanent validity.

Candidates may exceptionally take the tests of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills in the autumn term, or within the deadlines laid down by higher education institutions or independent higher education institutions, provided they are, for justified reasons, allowed to do so by the body of the higher education institution concerned, or if so decided following an appeals procedure.

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4 If the candidates do not receive notification at the e-mail address indicated in the enrolment application, they should contact the relevant higher education institution.
VII. EVIDENCE OF FULFILMENT OF THE ENROLMENT CONDITIONS

Copies of original certificates and other required documents are deemed to constitute evidence in the application and admission procedure that the enrolment conditions have been met, provided they are:

- certified by a notary or by an official of any administrative unit, regardless of the residence of the person requesting the certification,
- verified based on the original document by an official of a university higher education application and information service, of a public independent higher education institution, or of an independent higher education institution providing study programmes under a concession. The official marks the compliance of the transcript or copy with the original on the copy of the relevant document.

In the first-round application period and the second-round application period, candidates must submit evidence of fulfilment of the enrolment conditions to the relevant higher education application and information service.

1. Candidates taking the general matura, vocational matura or an examination in a general matura subject in the winter, spring or autumn term of the academic year are not required to send any certificates. Data from certificates from the third and fourth years and data from the general matura certificate, vocational matura certificate and certificate of examinations taken in individual general matura subjects shall be forwarded to the higher education applications and information service by the National Examinations Centre by the deadlines laid down in the general or vocational matura examination calendar. The National Examinations Centre will also send data from certificates from the third and fourth years and data from the general matura certificate, vocational matura certificate, and certificates of examinations taken in individual general matura subjects, to the higher education application and information service for candidates who took the general matura after 1995 and for candidates who took the vocational matura after 2002.

2. Candidates who took the final examination for upper secondary school education are required to send the final examination certificate and the certificates from the third and fourth years.

3. Candidates who enrolled in a four-year upper secondary-school programme between the 1981/82 and 1985/86 academic years and completed such programme by 31 August 1991 or 31 August 1992 are required to send the diploma as evidence of completion of an upper secondary-school programme and the certificates for the last two years of the upper secondary-school education programme.

4. A final examination/trial matura certificate (from 1994) is also deemed to be a general matura certificate.

5. Candidates whose general performance in the third and fourth years is entered into a transcript are required to enclose as proof the first page of this transcript and pages stating the grades for an individual year and the overall performance for an individual year.

6. Candidates holding an International Baccalaureate Diploma (International Baccalaureate – IB) are required to send this diploma. Data from an International Baccalaureate certificate acquired this year by candidates at a gimnazija upper secondary school in Slovenia will be sent by the gimnazija, with the candidate’s consent, by 10 July 2020. Candidates who will take the International Baccalaureate examination abroad must submit the IB diploma by 10 September 2020 at the latest. In accordance with the Matura Examination Act, the IB Diploma is equivalent to a general matura certificate obtained in the Republic of Slovenia, and the procedure for recognition is not required.

7. In accordance with the Implementation of International Education Programmes Act, the European Baccalaureate Certificate is equivalent to the corresponding public document on completed education issued in state-approved education programmes pursuant to the law, and therefore no procedure for recognition is required with respect to such certificate. For candidates who have completed upper secondary educational programmes of European Schools, the grades stated in the European Baccalaureate Certificate or their annual grade reports will be converted into grades according to the Slovenian grading scale in accordance with the rules on the conversion of grades from European Schools.

8. Data from certificates will be forwarded to the higher education application and information service by the National Examinations Centre in accordance with the general or vocational matura calendar.
9. The results of the tests of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills will be communicated by higher education institutions to the higher education application and information services by 10 July 2020 in the first-round application period, and by 14 September 2020 in the second-round application period.

10. Candidates, Slovenian citizens and citizens of the Member States of the European Union who have a certificate of upper secondary education completed abroad are required to submit the following:

- **in the first-round application period**, i.e. by 9 June 2020: certified copies of their final examination certificates, the certificates for the last two years of upper secondary-school education and other evidence of eligibility, such as a certificate of Slovene language;
- **in the second-round application period**, i.e. by 28 August 2020: certified copies of their final examination certificates, the certificates for the last two years of upper secondary-school education, and a decision on the recognition of upper secondary education obtained abroad for the purpose of continuing studies (if the candidate obtained such a decision within the first-round application for enrolment in the 2020/21 academic year) and other evidence of eligibility, such as a certificate of Slovene language.

Candidates should submit translations of certificates to the higher education application and information service only if the latter so requires.

Candidates who obtain a certificate of upper secondary education completed abroad in the current year must submit certified copies of the final examination certificates, certificates for the last two years of upper secondary school education and translations of these certificates, if required, to the higher education application and information service in the first- and second-round application periods as soon as possible after the issuance of their final examination certificate or by 10 September 2020 at the latest. A decision on the recognition of education obtained abroad will be obtained ex officio by the higher education application and information service.

The decision on recognition for the purpose of continuing studies is issued by the universities, public independent higher education institutions, or independent higher education institutions carrying out study programmes under a concession (See Chapter VIII).

11. Certificates acquired in the former Yugoslav republics before 25 June 1991 are recognised without a special recognition procedure.

12. Candidates who attended an upper secondary-school programme and whose previously acquired formal or informal knowledge was recognised and graded accordingly, must themselves submit the proof thereof to the competent higher education application and information service by 6 July 2020 at the latest in the first-round application period or by 10 September 2020 in the second-round application period.
Candidates who prove enrollment conditions with foreign secondary or equivalent education, we are informing that their proof of education is subject to recognition under the Assessment and Recognition of Education Act in Slovenia.

In this case, the application form for enrolment is also an application for the initiation of the process of recognition of foreign education for the purpose of continuing education in the Republic of Slovenia. The form is submitted on the eVŠ web portal: [http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en](http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en). Candidates who will submit an incomplete application or application for recognition of foreign education for the purpose of continuing education in Slovenia will be additionally informed about the request and the deadline for supplementing the application by regular and electronic mail.

Applicants applying to study with a foreign secondary school diploma for the application and recognition process shall attach to the application the documents as listed:

5 The Rules on Forms, Documents and Costs in Procedures for the Assessment and Recognition of Education are being prepared- They will already apply to the procedures for the recognition of education for the 2020/2021 academic year.
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List of documents that are required for the procedure for recognition of education for the purpose of continuing education in the Republic of Slovenia for candidates holding a foreign education certificate

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The list of documents may vary depending on the country where the education certificate was issued; therefore, candidates are advised to obtain in advance information about the detailed list of documents or about the procedure from the authorised persons of the universities, as indicated in the contact details below:

- **the University of Ljubljana**, PO Box 362, 1001 Ljubljana, telephone +386 1 241-85-85, 241-85-86, e-mail: recognition@uni-lj.si, website: https://www.uni-lj.si/; business hours: Monday through Friday: 9.00 a.m to 11.00 a.m. and 12.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. (by phone);

- **the University of Maribor**, Slomškov trg 15, 2000 Maribor, telephone +386 2 235-52-63, e-mail: recognition@um.si, website: http://www.um.si/studij/priznavanje; business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.;

- **the University of Primorska**, Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, telephone +386 5 611-76-31, e-mail: vpis@upr.si, website: http://www.upr.si; information on business hours is available at https://www.upr.si/sl/studij/vpis-up;

- **the University of Nova Gorica**, Vipavska 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, telephone +386 5 331-52-34, e-mail: studentska.pisarna@ung.si, website: http://www.ung.si; business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 to 3:30 p.m.

Candidates applying for enrollment in accordance to transfer criteria among study programmes of undergraduate or second-cycle integrated master's degree study programmes contact directly the higher education institution where they apply for further information about the list of documents for the procedure for recognition.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

The deadline for issuing a decision on recognition in accordance with the Recognition and Evaluation of Education Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), Nos. 87/2011, 97/2011 – corr. and 109/12) is **two months after the date of receipt of a complete application**.

Candidates must comply with the deadlines for the submission of evidence of fulfilment of the enrolment conditions that apply to the admission and selection procedure.
The first-round application period

Candidates who in their first-round application listed as their first choice a study programme for which no decision on the limitation of enrolment has been adopted will be admitted to this programme if they meet the general enrolment conditions.

Candidates who in their first-round application listed as their first choice a study programme which is subject to a decision on the limitation of enrolment will be admitted to this programme, or to the next two chosen study programmes with limited enrolment, if they meet the general enrolment conditions and have attained a sufficient number of points, and to available enrolment places in study programmes with unlimited enrolment if they meet the general enrolment conditions.

If too many candidates have applied for the available enrolment places in a study programme with unlimited enrolment and these candidates have listed this study programme as their second or third choice in the first-round application, the criteria specific to the study programme with limited enrolment will be used for the selection of these candidates.

If all available enrolment places in a study programme that was not subject to a decision on the limitation of enrolment have been filled by candidates who have listed this study programme as their first choice, candidates who have listed the study programme as their second or third choice cannot be admitted to this study programme.

Candidates with the same number of points as were attained by the last-ranked admitted candidate in relation to the number of announced enrolment places laid down in a decision on the limitation of enrolment will be placed on the list of those admitted regardless of the number of enrolment places available.

The results of the selection procedure will be available by 24 July 2020, at the latest. Each candidate will receive a decision on the results of the selection procedure. The higher education application and information services will also send the lists of admitted candidates to higher education institutions.

The following candidates will subsequently be placed on the list of admitted candidates:

- candidates who are taking the general matura or vocational matura in two parts for legitimate reasons pursuant to a decision issued by the bodies responsible for the general matura or vocational matura;
- candidates who are taking tests of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills in the autumn examination period pursuant to a decision issued by the competent body of a faculty, academy or professional college;
- candidates, Slovenian citizens and citizens of the Member States of the European Union who have completed their upper secondary school studies abroad, pending a decision in the recognition procedure in accordance with the Recognition and Evaluation of Education Act;
- candidates so listed following an appeals procedure.

Candidates who meet the general enrolment conditions will be placed on the list of candidates admitted if they have at least the same number of points as the candidate ranked last on the list, or if they have applied for enrolment in a study programme without limited enrolment.

The higher education application and information service will inform candidates who have subsequently been placed on the list of admitted candidates, and the higher education institutions to which they have been admitted, of the results of the selection procedure in writing.

Candidates with special status who in the first-round application period meet the general conditions for enrolment in the study programme and were not admitted during the regular selection procedure to any of their chosen study programmes will subsequently be placed on the list of admitted candidates if they have attained at least 90% of the minimum number of points required for enrolment by 18 September 2020.
The second-round application period

Candidates who in their second-round application listed as their first choice a study programme that was listed as the first choice by fewer than the full number of enrolment places will be admitted to this programme if they meet the general enrolment conditions.

If the number of applications for a study programme listed as the first choice in the second-round application exceeds the number of enrolment places available, candidates will be selected according to the procedure laid down in “Chapter IX – Selection procedure – first-round application period”, and by taking into account the criteria laid down for the study programme by the limitation of enrolment.

The results of the selection procedure will be available by 24 September 2020, at the latest. Each candidate will receive a decision on the results of the selection procedure. The higher education application and information services will also send the lists of admitted candidates to higher education institutions.

Candidates who have been admitted following an appeals procedure will subsequently be placed on the list of admitted candidates. Candidates who meet the general enrolment conditions will be placed on the list of admitted candidates if they have at least the same number of points as the candidate ranked last on the list, or if they have applied for enrolment in a study programme without limited enrolment.

Candidates with special status who meet the general conditions for enrolment in the study programme in the second-round application period and were, during the regular selection procedure, not admitted to any of their chosen study programmes will subsequently be placed on the list of admitted candidates if they have attained at least 90% of the minimum number of points required for enrolment.

Application period for still-available enrolment places

If too many candidates have applied for the available enrolment places in the application period for still-available enrolment places, criteria specific to the study programme with limited enrolment will be used for the selection of these candidates.

The status of candidate with special status granted in the first- or second-round application period will also be taken into account in this application period (the certificate must be submitted to the higher education institution by the candidate himself, within the deadlines for submitting the application for study referred to in Chapter I.). An individual application for the status of candidate with special status may not be submitted in this application period.
X. GRANTING THE STATUS OF AN ENROLMENT CANDIDATE WITH SPECIAL STATUS

Candidates apply for the status of an enrolment candidate with special status together with the submission of their enrolment application, in which they must indicate that they wish to apply for the status of candidate with special status (this should be indicated when completing the enrolment application under Section “Verification of data on previous higher education”, where they should answer YES to the fourth statement which reads: “I want to apply for the status of a candidate with special status”). The enrolment application must be accompanied by an individual application and documents proving the following:

- disability or special needs that arose before the completion of an upper secondary school programme;
- a chronic illness or the consequences of an acute illness which had an impact on the examination results in the period that is taken into consideration in the admission procedure (the third or fourth year of an upper secondary school programme or the upper secondary final examination);
- exceptional social circumstances that arose before the completion of an upper secondary school programme, or
- the status of an elite athlete in the period that is taken into consideration in the admission procedure (the third and fourth year of an upper secondary school programme or the upper secondary final examination).

Candidates may submit the application and the supporting documents online together with their enrolment application or send them by e-mail:

- **in the first-round application period, by 19 June 2020**, at the latest. The status of an enrolment candidate with special status granted for the first-round application period is also applicable in the second-round application period;
- **in the second-round application period, by 28 August 2020**, at the latest to the addresses of the following higher education application and information services:
  - the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana, PO Box 524, 1001 Ljubljana, e-mail: vpis@uni-lj.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Ljubljana higher education institution or a public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession;
  - the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor, PO Box 246, 2001 Maribor, e-mail: vpis@um.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Maribor higher education institution;
  - the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Primorska, Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, e-mail: vpis@upr.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Primorska higher education institution;
  - the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Nova Gorica, Vipavska cesta 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, e-mail: studentska pisarna@ung.si if the study programme listed in the application form as the first choice is carried out by the University of Nova Gorica higher education institution.

The competent body of the university, public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession will decide on the granting of such status and notify the candidate thereof in writing.

Decisions concerning candidates with special status that were adopted by the competent bodies of universities, public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession are only applicable to the application and admission procedure under this Call for Enrolment in the first- and second-round application periods and in the application period for still-available enrolment places.

More information regarding granting an individual the status of an enrolment candidate with special status and admission to the study programme is available at https://www.uni-lj.si/, www.um.si/vpis, www.ung.si, www.upr.si. Candidates should obtain the relevant information before completing the application form.
XI. CITIZENS OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE EUROPEAN UNION AND OTHER FOREIGN CITIZENS WHO HAVE PERMANENT RESIDENCE IN THE REPUBLIC OF SLOVENIA AND WHO THEMSELVES OR THEIR PARENTS ARE RESIDENTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF SLOVENIA FOR TAX PURPOSES, PERSONS WHO HAVE BEEN GRANTED INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION, AND Applicants FOR INTERNATIONAL PROTECTION

Citizens of the Member States of the European Union and other foreign citizens who have permanent residence in the Republic of Slovenia and who themselves or at least one of their parents or legal guardians are residents of the Republic of Slovenia for tax purposes, and persons who have been granted international protection in accordance with the International Protection Act (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), No. 16/17) are required to apply for enrolment places announced for Slovenian citizens and citizens of the Member States of the European Union in the Call for Enrolment under individual study programmes in the manner and by the deadlines laid down in Chapter I of this Call for Enrolment. The higher education application and information service will obtain ex officio evidence of a candidate's status as a person under international protection or as an applicant for international protection from the competent body.

Information on applications for and enrolment in the first year of first-cycle (undergraduate) study programmes is available at:

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana (Kongresni trg 12, PO Box 524, 1001 Ljubljana, https://www.uni-lj.si/, tel.: +386 1 241-85-85, +386 1 241-85-86, e-mail: admission@uni-lj.si), business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m to 11:00 a.m. (in person) and 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. (by phone), if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Ljubljana, or in a public independent higher education institution or independent higher education institution carrying out study programmes under a concession;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor (Slomškov trg 15, PO Box 246, 2001 Maribor, tel.: +386 2 235-52-61, e-mail: vpis@um.si), business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Maribor;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Primorska (Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, tel. +386 5 611-76-31, e-mail: vpis@upr.si); information on business hours is available at https://www.upr.si/sl/studij/vpis-up, if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Primorska;

- the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Nova Gorica (Vipavska 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, tel. +386 5 331-52-34, e-mail: studentska.pisarna@ung.si), business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 3:30 p.m., if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Nova Gorica.

Candidates who have foreign education certificates proving that they fulfil the conditions for enrolment can find the relevant information in Chapter VIII.
XII. IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR STUDENTS WHO ARE ALREADY ENROLLED

Students who wish to change their study programme and have not yet exercised this right or the right to repeat a year are required to apply like other candidates. This also applies to students who want to change the study mode in the same study programme in the first year. Both are required to submit an enrolment application through the eVŠ web portal (https://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/).

Candidates who have already repeated a year or changed their full-time study programme may apply for full-time studies, but they are charged a tuition fee in accordance with Article 77 of the Higher Education Act. Candidates who wish to repeat the first year of the study programme in which they enrolled in the past are not required to apply through the eVŠ web portal. In order to repeat a year of the study programme in which they are already enrolled, candidates must meet the conditions for repeat enrolment. Information on the procedure and conditions for repeat enrolment is available to students at their higher education institution.
XIII. APPLICATION FOR ENROLMENT ACCORDING TO THE TRANSFER CRITERIA AMONG STUDY PROGRAMMES

The application period according to transfer criteria among study programmes runs from 1 to 17 September 2020. Students who wish to enrol in a study programme that requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills are required to submit their application by 9 June 2020.

Places for enrolment in a higher year of study are determined separately by the higher education institutions and announced in the Call for Enrolment. All candidates, regardless of their citizenship, may apply for these enrolment places.

Enrolment is available for candidates who wish to enrol in a higher year of study of the relevant programme regardless of their citizenship.

Candidates for enrolment according to transfer criteria among study programmes are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en. Each candidate may submit several applications. In one application candidates should specify one study programme for which they meet the enrolment conditions.

The application for enrolment must be submitted through the eVŠ web portal by 9 June 2020 or 17 September 2020 with a qualified digital certificate, ArnesAAI account or username and password. In the application and admission procedures for the academic year 2020/2021, applicants are allowed to submit all the attachments to the applications electronically to the competent higher education institution (those attachments to the application which are required under Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment - the attachments must bear the reference number of the enrolment application).

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by 9 June or 17 September 2020 is considered to be submitted in time.

Applications for enrolment according to transfer criteria among study programmes are considered by the competent bodies of the higher education institutions:

− taking into account the transfer criteria as specified under individual study programmes for students who wish to change study programmes accredited after 11 June 2004 (Bologna study programmes), or

− in accordance with the procedures of the higher education institutions for accelerated advancement for candidates who have not completed the previous study programme and wish to enrol in the same year or a lower year of their previous study programme.

Candidates applying for enrolment according to transfer criteria among study programmes must meet the conditions for enrolment for the first year of the study programme in which they wish to enrol. The year of study in which a candidate may enrol is determined by the higher education institution in the application and admission procedure, regardless of the chosen year of study stated by the candidate in the application for enrolment.

Candidates who have foreign education certificates proving that they fulfil the conditions for enrolment can find the relevant information in Chapter VIII.
The application period for enrolment in parallel degree studies and enrolment for graduates runs from 1 to 17 September 2020. Students who wish to enrol in a study programme that requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills are required to submit their application by 9 June 2020.

Enrolment places in the first year of parallel degree studies and in the first year of study for graduates are determined separately by higher education institutions. The number of enrolment places available for individual study programmes is specified in the Call for Enrolment. Slovenian citizens and EU citizens can apply for these enrolment places.

More information regarding parallel degree studies and the enrolment of graduates in undergraduate studies is available at higher education institutions (faculties, academies and professional colleges).

Candidates for enrolment in parallel degree studies or graduates applying for undergraduate enrolment places are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en. Each candidate may submit several applications. In one application candidates should specify one study programme for which they meet the enrolment conditions. The application for enrolment must be submitted through the evš web portal by 9 June 2020 or 17 September 2020 with a qualified digital certificate, ArnesAAI account or username and password. In the application and admission procedures for the academic year 2020/2021, applicants are allowed to submit all the attachments to the applications electronically to the competent higher education institution (those attachments to the application which are required under Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment - the attachments must bear the reference number of the enrolment application).

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by 9 June or 17 September 2020 is considered to be submitted in time.

Parallel degree studies

Students who wish to enrol in a parallel degree study programme are required to submit their enrolment application online through the eVŠ web portal within the deadlines specified above. Candidates are required to submit to the higher education institution to which they are applying for enrolment a certificate of fulfilment of the requirements for enrolment in a higher study year at the higher education institution where they are already enrolled, and the approval of the (parent) higher education institution, if required (candidates should obtain this information directly from the higher education institution). Certificates of fulfilment of the requirements for enrolment in a higher study year at the parent higher education institution must be submitted by the time of enrolment at the latest.

Students who wish to enrol in a study programme which requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills are required to submit an application online through the eVŠ web portal by 9 June 2020, at the latest.

For enrolment in the first year of a parallel degree study programme, Slovenian citizens and EU citizens are not charged a tuition fee for full-time studies, if they have not yet obtained an education corresponding to at least the level of education obtained under the study programme in which they are enrolled.

Graduates

Graduates and students graduating in the current academic year may only apply for enrolment places that are available for graduates if applying for full-time studies in second-cycle integrated master's degree study programmes, but they may also apply for enrolment places that are available in the regular application periods if applying for full-time studies in first-cycle study programmes and for part-time studies, in the manner and by the deadlines specified in Chapter I of this Call for Enrolment. For studies in such enrolment places, tuition fees are charged, regardless of whether the studies are full-time or part-time (in accordance with Article 77 of the Higher Education Act).
Graduates of higher education study programmes under the previous regulations and graduates of university and professional study programmes are required to submit their applications online through the eVŠ within the deadlines specified above. They must send to the higher education institution to which they are applying for enrolment a diploma (a photocopy of the document as stated in the first paragraph of Chapter VII of this Call for Enrolment), and a certificate of the examinations taken. Candidates applying without a qualified digital certificate (with username and password) are also required to send a printed and signed enrolment application form.

Candidates who wish to enrol in a study programme which requires a test of specific aptitudes, abilities and skills are required to submit an application by 9 June 2020. They must submit a diploma and a certificate of the examinations taken to the higher education institution to which they are applying for enrolment by 17 September 2020, at the latest.

Slovenian citizens and EU citizens can apply for enrolment places for graduates.

Candidates who have foreign education certificates proving that they fulfil the conditions for enrolment can find the relevant information in Chapter VIII.

The above regulations apply to all study programmes.
Enrolment takes place at the relevant higher education institutions, which invite candidates in writing or online to enrol. Enrolment will be carried out on the basis of a completed application form.

Enrolment of candidates admitted in the first-round application period is expected to run from 27 July to 17 August 2020 at the latest. Enrolment of candidates admitted in the second-round application period runs from 24 to 30 September 2020. The enrolment of candidates admitted in the application period for still-available enrolment places runs from 24 to 30 September 2020. For justified reasons determined by the competent body of a higher education institution, candidates are allowed to enrol by 30 October 2020, at the latest, if the competent body of the higher education institution so decides following their request.

Admitted candidates who have applied for enrolment in a higher year of study (according to the transfer criteria and conditions for accelerated advancement) or parallel degree studies and graduates enrolling in undergraduate studies should also enrol within the deadlines specified in the preceding paragraph.

Students who enrolled in the first year of a first-cycle (undergraduate) study programme or of a second-cycle integrated master’s degree programme and who withdraw from that study programme by 15 October 2020 are considered to not have enrolled in that study programme.
### XVI. EXPLANATION REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF A TUITION FEE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 77 OF THE HIGHER EDUCATION ACT

Tuition fees may not be charged to citizens of the Republic of Slovenia and citizens of other EU Member States for education in state-approved first-cycle undergraduate study programmes and second-cycle study programmes provided as a public service.

Notwithstanding the preceding paragraph, citizens of the Republic of Slovenia and citizens of other EU Member States are charged a tuition fee if they have already obtained education corresponding to at least the level of education obtained under the study programme in which they are enrolled, or if they have not yet obtained an education corresponding to at least the level of education obtained under the study programme in which they are enrolled and their student status in the previous study programme has terminated in accordance with Article 70 of the Higher Education Act.

Candidates who have already repeated a year once or changed their study programme once may apply for and be admitted to full-time studies, but they are charged a tuition fee in accordance with Article 77 of the Higher Education Act.
Citizens of countries that are not Member States of the European Union and Slovenians without Slovenian citizenship can apply for enrolment places announced in the tables with enrolment places for Slovenians without Slovenian citizenship and foreign citizens – citizens of countries that are not Member States of the European Union.

Foreign citizens are required to pay a tuition fee in accordance with the Regulations on tuition fees and accommodation in public student dormitories for Slovenian nationals without Slovenian citizenship and foreigners in the Republic of Slovenia (Official Gazette of the Republic of Slovenia (Uradni list RS), No. 77/16).

Pursuant to the signed protocols on cooperation in the field of education, citizens of Bosnia and Herzegovina, Montenegro, Kosovo, North Macedonia and Serbia enjoy a status equal to that enjoyed by the citizens of Slovenia and the European Union as regards the payment of tuition fees for enrolment in the academic year 2020/21, which means that they are exempt from the payment of tuition fees for full-time studies as applicable to foreign citizens.

Tabel 1: Deadlines for the submission of enrolment applications and attachments thereto for Slovenians without Slovenian citizenship and foreign citizens from countries that are not member states of the European Union (EU)

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6 In the second application deadline, candidates who have not been included in one of the applications for the stated study programs in the selection procedure of the first application deadline can apply for announced enrolment places at the University of Ljubljana (either because of the failure to meet the enrolment conditions, or because of the insufficient number of point). All candidates with foreign secondary school diplomas must already have a decision on the recognition of that diploma. Applicants who have a decision to recognize a foreign secondary school issued by 2005 may also apply.

Candidates applying without a qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account (with username and password) must submit the enrolment application form online through the eVŠ web portal by 11 September 2020, then print, sign and send it by registered post to the faculty or academy by 12 September 2020.

7 Candidates who did not apply in the first-round application period or have not been admitted into any of the study programmes specified in the first-round application period may apply for enrolment places that are still available in the second-round application period. Each candidate may submit a maximum of three applications. In each application, candidates should specify one study programme for which they meet the enrolment conditions.
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More detailed information regarding the application and selection procedure for foreign citizens from countries that are not Member States of the European Union and Slovenians without Slovenian citizenship will be provided by the Universities and independent higher education institutions on their websites.

Candidates are required to apply by submitting an electronic application through the eVŠ web portal at [http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en](http://portal.evs.gov.si/prijava/?locale=en). The application for enrolment must be submitted through the eVŠ web portal by the application deadline specified in Table 1. The required attachments (supplemental documents) to the application (which candidates should check on the websites of the higher education institutions) can also be sent by e-mail by the deadlines specified in Table 1 to the competent higher education application and information service or independent higher education institution – the attachments (supplemental documents) must bear the reference number of the enrolment application.

An application that has been completed and submitted with an electronic signature (qualified digital certificate or ArnesAAI account) or without a secure electronic signature (with username and password) through the eVŠ web portal by the deadlines specified in Table 1 to the competent higher education application and information service or independent higher education institution (the attachments (supplemental documents) must bear the reference number of the enrolment application) is considered to be submitted in time.
Information on the application and admission procedure and evidence required for enrolment in the first year of first-cycle (undergraduate) study programmes is available at:

- **the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana** (Kongresni trg 12, PO Box 524, 1001 Ljubljana, [https://www.uni-lj.si/](https://www.uni-lj.si/), tel.: +386 1 241-85-85, +386 1 241-85-86, e-mail: admission@uni-lj.si), business hours: Monday through Friday: 9.00 a.m to 11.00 a.m. (in person) and 12.00 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. (by phone), if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Ljubljana;

- **the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor** (Slomškov trg 15, PO Box 246, 2001 Maribor, tel.: +386 2 235-52-63, e-mail: vpis@um.si), business hours: Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m., if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Maribor;

- **the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Primorska** (Admissions Office of the University of Primorska) (Titov trg 4, 6000 Koper, tel. +386 5 611-76-31, e-mail: vpis@upr.si), if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Primorska;

- **the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Nova Gorica** (Vipavska 13, 5000 Nova Gorica, tel. + 386 5 331-52-34, e-mail: studentska.pisarna@ung.si), if candidates wish to enrol in a study programme at the University of Nova Gorica;

- **public independent higher education institutions and independent higher education institutions carrying out study programmes under a concession.**

Candidates who have foreign education certificates proving that they fulfil the conditions for enrolment can find the relevant information in Chapter VIII.
The Call for Enrolment is also published on the website [http://portal.evs.gov.si/](http://portal.evs.gov.si/) and the websites of the higher education application and information services of the University of Ljubljana ([https://www.uni-lj.si/](https://www.uni-lj.si/)), the University of Maribor ([www.um.si/vpis](http://www.um.si/vpis)), the University of Primorska ([www.upr.si](http://www.upr.si) and [www.vpis.upr.si](http://www.vpis.upr.si)) and the University of Nova Gorica ([www.ung.si](http://www.ung.si)).

Instructions on how to complete the application form are available on the website: [http://portal.evs.gov.si/](http://portal.evs.gov.si/). Instructions in written and video versions are available in both Slovenian and English.

**Technical assistance in the event of problems with digital certificates and electronic signatures:** The unified contact centre of the state administration, e-mail: [ekc@gov.si](mailto:ekc@gov.si), tel: 080-2002 (on weekdays from 8.00 a.m. to 10.00 p.m.). Please note that assistance for your application will be provided only during business hours.

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Further information regarding the Call for Enrolment is available at: the Higher Education Application and Information Service of the University of Ljubljana; Kongresni trg 12, 1000 Ljubljana, tel.: +386 01 241-85-02 or 241-85-55, or via e-mail [vpis@uni-lj.si](mailto:vpis@uni-lj.si), and at [https://www.uni-lj.si/](https://www.uni-lj.si/);

the Higher Education Application and Information Centre of the University of Maribor; Slomškov trg 15, 2000 Maribor, tel.: + 386 2 235-52-61, 235-52-63, 235-52-64, e-mail [vpis@um.si](mailto:vpis@um.si), (business hours Monday through Friday: 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.) and at [www.um.si/vpis](http://www.um.si/vpis);

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Candidates may also obtain information regarding the Call for Enrolment and the application and admission procedure from school counsellors at upper secondary schools and professionals at employment services.

Further information regarding the status of an enrolment candidate with special status and admission to study programmes is available on the websites of the higher education application and information services.

Explanations regarding the calculation of points for the selection of candidates are available from school counsellors at upper secondary schools and employment services. The table for the conversion of grades and the calculation of points for classification into higher education study programmes are also published on the following websites: [http://portal.evs.gov.si/](http://portal.evs.gov.si/) and the higher education application and information services of the University of Ljubljana ([https://www.uni-lj.si/](https://www.uni-lj.si/)), the University of Maribor ([www.um.si/vpis](http://www.um.si/vpis)), the University of Primorska ([www.upr.si](http://www.upr.si) and [https://www.upr.si/sl/studij/vpis-up](https://www.upr.si/sl/studij/vpis-up)) and the University of Nova Gorica ([www.ung.si](http://www.ung.si)).

Calls for enrolment in study programmes without a concession are published on the websites of private independent higher education institutions without a concession, and at [http://portal.evs.gov.si/](http://portal.evs.gov.si/). More detailed information is provided by the individual institution.

Information regarding enrolment and general *matura* subject examinations is available at individual general upper secondary schools (*gimnazija*) and at the National Examinations Centre (Ljubljana, Kajuhova 32 U, +386 1 548-46-00, [http://www.ric.si/](http://www.ric.si/)).