

**Rules for regulating language admission
requirements for university studies at
Rosenheim Technical University of Applied Sciences**

of 15. January 2026

On the basis of Article 88 (9), Article 90 (1) Sentence 7 of the Bavarian Higher Education Innovation Act (BayHIG) from 5th August 2022 (GVBl. S. 414, BayRS 2210-1-3-WK), last amended by Section 14 of the Act of December 23, 2024 (GVBl. p. 605) and by Section 8 of the Act of December 23, 2024 (GVBl. p. 632), Rosenheim Technical University of Applied Sciences issues the following statutes:

**Section 1
Applicability**

(1) These statutes supplement the existing statutes for enrollment, leave of absence and re-registration in their current version and uniformly regulate the language level for admission to a university degree programme at Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences.

(2) The required language level is specified in the study and examination regulations for the respective degree programmes. In cases of doubt, the respective examination board shall decide whether the admission requirements have been met.

(3) In justified exceptional cases, deviations from these statutes may be stipulated in the study and examination regulations of the respective degree programme.

**Section 2
Language admission requirements**

(1) For German-language degree programmes and parts of degree programmes, proof of German language skills at level B2 or C1 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) must be provided. If no language level is specified in the study and examination regulations, language level B2 is considered sufficient.

(2) For English-language degree programmes and parts of degree programmes, proof of English language skills at level B2 and German language skills at level A2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) must be provided.

**Section 3
Language certificates**

(1) The language certificates listed below are accepted as proof of the language requirements for admission.

(2) Generally accepted certificates for German language skills up to and including level C1

- 1. German-language university entrance qualification*
- 2. Certificate of the examination to determine the suitability of foreign applicants for*

*admission to study at universities in the Federal Republic of Germany
(Feststellungsprüfung)*

3. *Completed German-language Bachelor's or Master's degree*
4. *Completed degree in German studies*
5. *German at level A in the final certificate of the International Baccalaureate Diploma Programme.*
6. *International university entrance qualification plus at least two years in secondary education at a German-language school. (Proof is provided by uploading two annual reports)*
7. *For students at TH Rosenheim:
Passing the following four modules at TH Rosenheim:*
 - a) *Deutsch B2.1,*
 - b) *Deutsch B2.2,*
 - c) *Technisches Deutsch 1 – B2/C1 and*
 - d) *Technisches Deutsch 2 – B2/C1.*

(3) German C1

In addition to the certificates listed in (2), the following apply as proof of required German language skills at level C1:

1. *Deutsches Sprachdiplom DSD level 2 (level CEFR B2/C1)*
2. *Goethe Certificate C1 or higher*
3. *TELC Certificate C1 or higher*
4. *ÖSD Certificate C1 or higher*
5. *Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang (German language proficiency test for university entrance for foreign applicants) DSH 2 or higher*
6. *Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache TestDaF (German as a foreign language test for foreign applicants) TDN 4 or higher*

(4) German B2

In addition to the certificates listed in (2), the following apply as proof of required German language skills at level B2:

1. *Deutsches Sprachdiplom DSD level 2 (level CEFR B2/C1)*
2. *Goethe Certificate B2 or higher*
3. *TELC Certificate B2 or higher*
4. *ÖSD Certificate B2 or higher*
5. *Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang (German language proficiency test for university entrance for foreign applicants) DSH 1 or higher*
6. *Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache TestDaF (German as a foreign language test for foreign applicants) TDN 3 or higher*

(5) German A2

In addition to the certificates listed in (2), the following apply as proof of required German language skills at level A2:

1. *Deutsches Sprachdiplom DSD level 1 (level CEFR A2/B1) or higher*
2. *Goethe Certificate A2 or higher*
3. *TELC Certificate A2 or higher*
4. *ÖSD Certificate A2 or higher*
5. *Deutsche Sprachprüfung für den Hochschulzugang (German language proficiency*

test for university entrance for foreign applicants) DSH 1 or higher

6. *Test Deutsch als Fremdsprache TestDaF (German as a foreign language test for foreign applicants) TDN 3 or higher*
7. *DTZ (Deutsch Test für Zuwanderer, level A2/B1)*
8. *Passed German courses at a university in Germany worth at least 4 ECTS credit points at level CEFR A2 or higher*

(6) English B2

The following apply as proof of required English language skills at level B2:

1. *German university entrance qualification*
2. *Internet-based TOEFL or TOEFL iBT Home Edition, each with 72 points or more*
3. *TOEIC with 785 points or more*
4. *IELTS or IELTS Academic or IELTS ONLINE, each with a band score of 6.0 or higher*
5. *Cambridge CEFR B2 First (FCE) with grade C (at least 160 points) or higher*
6. *Cambridge CEFR C1 Advanced (CAE) with level B2 (at least 160 points) or higher*
7. *TELC English B2 or higher or TELC English University B2/C1*
8. *Pearson PTE Academic, 60 points or more*
9. *Trinity ISE II or higher or Trinity ISE Digital 80 points or more*
10. *KMK Foreign Language Certificate III (= level B2)*
11. *AKS UNIcert® II or higher*
12. *Completed Bachelor's or Master's degree in English*
13. *Completed degree in English studies in Germany or abroad*
14. *International university entrance qualification that certifies English as the language of instruction.*
15. *Passing "Technical English", "Business English" or a comparable English module worth at least 4 ECTS credits from the previous German-language degree.*

**Section 4
Date of proof**

Proof of the above-mentioned language requirements must be submitted before beginning the degree programme.

**Section 5
Exemption from the obligation to provide proof**

A German-language university entrance qualification covers the required language certificates and does not need to be submitted separately.

**Section 6
Entry into force**

These statutes shall enter into force upon publication; they shall apply for the first time to the application and admission procedure for the summer semester 2026.

The annex to the statutes regulating language admission requirements for university studies at Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences is worded as follows:

**Recommendation for preparing study plans
based on the recommendation proposal
for the language admission requirements**

English acquisition

With the internationalization of universities of applied sciences and the job market, it is generally recommended for German and English language degree programmes to anchor English skills as compulsory modules, or at least as specialist required elective modules (FWPM). This includes courses such as:

- *Presentation Skills*
- *Communication at the International Workplace*
- *Scientific Writing and Presenting*
- *AI, Language and Communication*
- *Business & Technical English*

For specific module recommendations, please contact: mathias.arden@th-rosenheim.de.

German acquisition for international students

For English-language degree programmes, we recommend the admission requirement of German A2 or higher¹ and to anchor German modules with levels B1-C1 as specialist required elective modules (FWPM). This is to ensure the acquisition of sufficient language skills for the internship semester, navigating everyday life as a student in Germany, and a possible work permit in Germany after graduation.

For bilingual degree programmes according to the IBE model, German at level A2 or higher is recommended as an admission requirement at the start of the programme, and 8 SWS of German per semester in semesters 1-3 at level B1-C1.

For German-language degree programmes, the study and language skills of international students should be strengthened within the framework of the specialist required elective modules (FWPM).

For specific module recommendations, please contact: barbara.lembecke@th-rosenheim.de. Further information at www.th-rosenheim.de/daf

These regulations come into force upon publication. They apply to all students commencing their studies at Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences from the summer semester 2026.

¹ As an additional option, a pre-semester model for acquiring language and study skills could be considered to support international students without sufficient language skills in meeting the admission requirements.

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Rosenheim, January 15, 2026

Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences

By proxy
Oliver Heller
Chancellor

These statutes were filed at Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences on January 15, 2026. They can be inspected by appointment during office hours on the premises of Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences, Hochschulstraße 1, 83024 Rosenheim, Room T 1.07.

In addition, the statutes were published digitally on January 15, 2026 under the heading "Official Gazette" on the homepage of Rosenheim University of Applied Sciences under the link <https://www.th-rosenheim.de/studium-undweiterbildung/im-studium/studienorganisation/studienregelungen/amtsblatt>. The date of publication is therefore January 15, 2026.
