

## Dear Students,

the Act CCIV of 2011 on National Higher Education (hereinafter: Nftv.) abolished the language examination requirements for the award of diplomas, and instead made the University responsible for the teaching of the foreign language skills required for the exercise of the professional qualification in the given field of study and for the assessment of this knowledge. For some courses, the training and outcome requirements for the course specify the foreign language proficiency to be achieved in the course, for others the University is responsible for determining this.

The regulations on foreign language proficiency are contained in the Nftv., the training and outcome requirements of the degree programme and the Study and Examination Regulations (hereinafter referred to as the "Regulations") and the training programmes (as part of which the curriculum and the subject programme). The Training Programmes, including the curricula and subject programmes, have been amended on the basis of the Decree and are available on the [Training Programmes – Corvinus University of Budapest](https://uni-corvinus.hu) (uni-corvinus.hu). This change also applies to students who are already students: in the case of bachelor's and master's degree programmes, it applies to students who start their studies in or after the semester 2021/2022/1, and in the case of split master's degree programmes, it applies to students who start their studies in or after the semester 2022/2023/1.

Acquisition of foreign language skills in a degree programme at the University with a foreign language requirement is defined in the degree programme as "foreign language competence I." of 0 credits, which is completed by a signed, non-contact hourly criterion course.

Students must complete the foreign language competence I as indicated in Table 1.

The University offers the foreign language competence test in the following languages: English, German, French, Italian, Russian, Spanish, Portuguese. Level: specialised foreign language – B2 level.

The foreign language competence test consists of written (reading and writing) and oral (speaking and listening) sections. The weighting of the assessment units within the overall examination is: reading: 25%, writing: 25% speaking: 35%, listening: 15%. The pass mark is an overall average of 60%, with a minimum of four units of at least 60%. Within this, the pass mark for each of the four assessment areas is at least 60%, and within this, 40% for each of the four assessment areas. The assessment of competence (pass mark) may be attempted twice in the same examination period, and six times in total, including the repeated assessments. The examination arrangements for the subject are set out in the Regulations and the subject programme.

The foreign language competence subject may be taken from the 5th semester onwards for bachelor's and master's degrees and from the first semester onwards for master's degrees.

Completion of the foreign language competence subject may be recognised by submitting the supporting documents specified in Annex 2. The application for recognition of the foreign language competence subject must be submitted in Neptun and accompanied by supporting documents.

Applications to take the exam can be submitted in Neptun from 02.10.2023, 10.00, until 15.11.2023, 12.00.

You can subscribe and unsubscribe for the foreign language competency subject between 02.10.2023, 10.00- until 22.10.2023, 12.00.

The Foreign Language Competency Criterion Subject must always be taken in Neptune in the semester in which the student wishes to take the exam, but only if the student does not wish/is unable to take the exam.

**Table 1. – Foreign language competence for specific purposes requirements in each programme:**

Level	Training name	Training language	Training code	The semesters in which the training starts		Foreign language competency assessment	The semesters in which the training starts	Foreign language competency assessment
bachelor	Applied Economics	English	4BNAKGT17ABP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	no competency test required
bachelor	Applied Economics	Hungarian	4BNAKGT17MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	Philosophy, Politics, Economy	English	BNFPGA22ABP				2023/24/1	no competency test required
bachelor	Business Administration and Management	English	2BNGMEN17ABP	2021/22/1		no competency test required		
bachelor	Business Administration and Management	English	BNGMEN22ABP		2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	no competency test required
bachelor	Business Administration and Management	Hungarian	BLGMEN21MBP	2021/22/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
bachelor	Business Administration and Management	Hungarian	BNGMEN21MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	Business Administration and Management	Hungarian	BNGMEN21MSF	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
bachelor	Business Informatics	Hungarian	BNGINF21MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	Commerce and Marketing	Hungarian	2BNKEMA_RK	2021/22/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a		

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bachelor	Communication and Media Science	English	7BNKOMM17ABP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	no competency test required
bachelor	Communication and Media Science	Hungarian	7BNKOMM17MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	International Business Economics	English	BNNKGA20ABP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	International Relations	English	7BNNEMZ17ABP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	International Relations	Hungarian	7BNNEMZ17MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
bachelor	Finance and Accounting	Hungarian	BNPSZV21MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	Political Science	Hungarian	7BNPOLI17MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
bachelor	Sociology	English	7BNSZOC17ABP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	no competency test required	2023/24/1	no competency test required
bachelor	Sociology	Hungarian	7BNSZOC17MBP	2021/22/1		no competency test required		
bachelor	Data Science in Business	English	BNUZAD22ABP				2023/24/1	no competency test required

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master	Economic and Financial Mathematical Analysis	Hungarian	4ONGPME17MBP	2021/22/1	2022/23/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Actuarial and Financial Mathematics	Hungarian	4MNBPU17MBP				2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Health Policy, Planning and Financing	English	4MNEPTF19ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Supply Chain Management	Hungarian	2MNELLM17MBP	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
master	Business Informatics	English	2MNGINF17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Business Informatics	Hungarian	2MEGINF17MBP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Business Informatics	Hungarian	MEGINF23MBP				2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Business Informatics	English	MNGINF23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Economic Behavior Analysis	English	MNGAVI23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Communication and Media Science	English	7MNKOMM17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	
master	Communication and Media Studies	Hungarian	7MNKOMM17MBP	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
master	Public Policy and Management	English	4MNKGKP17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Public Policy and Management	English	MNKGKP23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Economic Analysis	English	MNKOZE20ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	

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master	Teacher of Economics	Hungarian	MLTAN222MBP				2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Marketing	English	2MNMARK17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Marketing	Hungarian	2MNMARK17MBP	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		
master	Marketing	English	MNMARK23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Marketing Strategy and Innovation	English	MNMAIN23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Master of Business Administration (MBA)	English	MNFMBAA21ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	
master	International Economy and Business	English	7MNNGAZ17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	International Economy and Business	English	MNNGAZ23ABP				2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	International Relations	English	7MNNEMZ17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	International Relations	English	MNNEMZ23ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Finance	English	MNPENZ22ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	
master	Political Economy	English	MNPOGA22ABP				2023/24/1	
master	Political Science	English	7MNPOLI17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	
master	Regional and Environmental Economic Studies	English	7MNREKO17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Sports Economics	Hungarian	2MNSPKO17MSF	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.		

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master	Accounting	Hungarian	MNSZVI23MBP		2022/23/2	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Sociology	English	7MNSZOC17ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required		
master	Business Development	Hungarian	MNVAFE21MBP	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.
master	Management and Leadership	English	MNVESZ21ABP	2022/23/1		no competency test required	2023/24/1	
master	Management and Leadership	Hungarian	MNVESZ21MBP	2022/23/1		A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.	2023/24/1	A competency test required in a foreign language: Competency test in a foreign language for specific purposes I.

**Annex 2: Types of supporting documents**

1) A state-recognised language examination at level B2 in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's course and/or an equivalent higher education qualification and/or a state-recognised general language examination at level C1 in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's course.

- Proof of these must be provided in the form of a language test certificate and/or diploma.

2) Completion of studies in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's training in a part-time joint degree programme or a double degree programme abroad, but with a minimum of twenty-one (21) credits in the relevant language.

- These must be supported by a transcript or other evidence of completion.

3) In a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's education, at least four (4) years of work experience abroad where the language was used as a working language during the work experience.

- Proof of these must be submitted: a certificate of completion.

4) The student has completed at least thirty (30) credits of the curriculum in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's training in the course of the training programme, in which case

- (e.g. DSG German language courses in Hungarian or English)

5) By submitting a TDK essay written in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's course, if the student has passed the oral round and has presented his/her results orally in the foreign language (other than the language of instruction of the student's course).

- These must be accompanied by: a certificate of participation in the competition.

6) Participation in an international academic or professional competition in a foreign language other than the language of instruction of the student's course, provided that the student has presented his/her results orally and in writing in the foreign language (other than the language of instruction of the student's course).

- The following must be submitted as proof: proof of participation in the competition.