# YALOVA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES ORIENTATION MEETING 22.09.2025



### PRESENTATION CONTENT

SFL ACADEMIC CALENDER

ASSESSMENT AND EVALUATION MODULAR EDUCATION SYSTEM

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

# 2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR ACADEMIC CALENDAR

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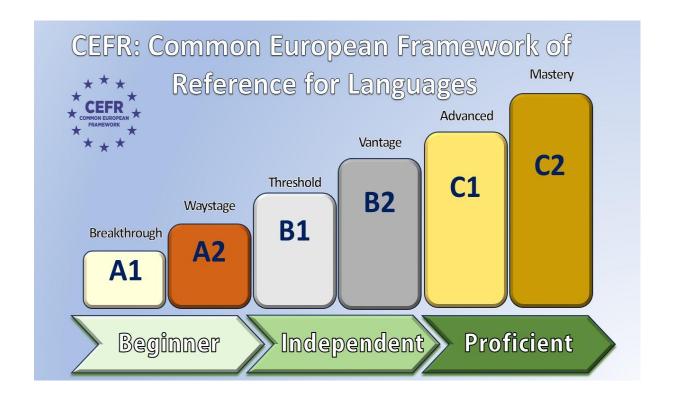
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13 Ağustos 2025	Yatay Geçiş ve Çift Anadal Başvurusu Yapanlar için Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı					
14 Ağustos 2025	Yatay Geçiş ve Çift Anadal Başvurusu Yapanlar için Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı Sonuçlarının Açıklanması					
15 Eylül 2025	ÖSYM Tarafından Yerleştirilen Öğrencilerin Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı I. Oturum					
15 Eylül 2025	Yabancı Uyruklu Öğrencilerin (YÖS) Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı I. Oturum					
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15-19 Eylül 2025	Hazırlık Tekrarı Yapan Öğrenciler için Harç Ödeme-Kayıt Yenileme					
22 Eylül 2025	I. Modül Ders Başlangıcı					
14 Kasım 2025	2025 I. Modül Ders Bitişi					
17-18 Kasım 2025	I. Modül Sonu Sınavları					
24 Kasım 2025	II. Modül Ders Başlangıcı					
16 Ocak 2026	II. Modül Ders Bitişi					
19-20 Ocak 2026	II. Modül Sonu Sınavları					
22 Ocak 2026	Güz Yarıyılı Sonu Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı I. Oturum					
23 Ocak 2026	Güz Yarıyılı Sonu Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı II. Oturum					
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25 Haziran 2026	Bahar Yarıyılı Sonu Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı I. Oturum					
26 Haziran 2026	Bahar Yarıyılı Sonu Yabancı Dil Yeterlik Sınavı II. Oturum					
	YAZ OKULU					
06-10Temmuz 2026	Yaz Okulu Ücretlerinin Ödenmesi ve Kesin Kayıtlar					
20 Temmuz 2026 Yaz Okulu Ders Başlangıcı						
28 Ağustos 2026						
31 Ağustos 2026	Yaz Okulu Sonu Sınavları					



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#### PLACEMENT TEST

- This test is conducted to determine the level at which students enrolled in programmes requiring a preparatory class and students accepted into optional preparatory education will begin their studies.
- The Level Placement Test determines the level at which our students will begin their preparatory education, so it is very important that all students who will receive preparatory education take the test.
- All students who do not take the exam will begin their education at the A1 (Beginner) level.



## MODULAR EDUCATION SYSTEM

The English preparatory course in the School of Foreign Languages consists of four modules (A1-A2-B1-B2), each lasting 8 weeks, in line with the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.

#### COURSES

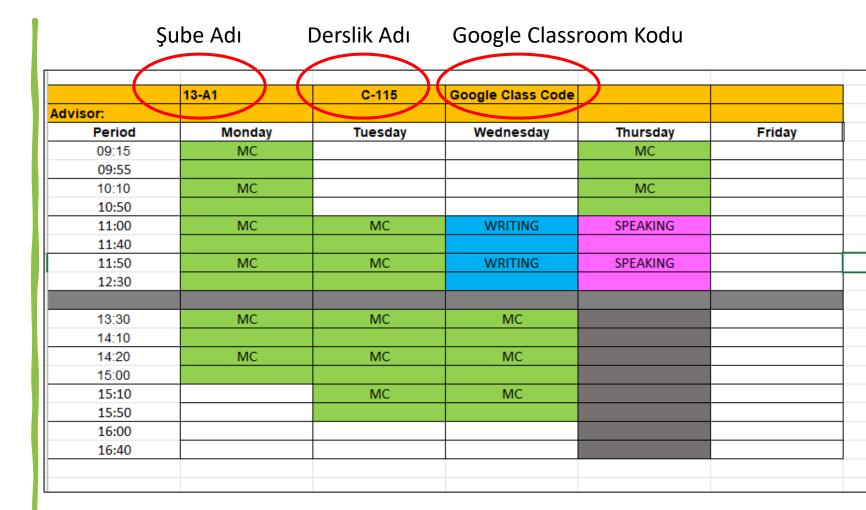


- A1: Main Course (16 hours) + Writing (2 hours) + Speaking (2 hours)
- **A2**: Main Course (18 hours) + Writing (2 hours) + Speaking (2 hours)
- **B1**: Listening and Speaking (12 hours) + Reading and Writing (12 hours)
- **B2**: Listening and Speaking (12 hours) + Reading and Writing (12 hours)

#### **COURSE SCHEDULES**

- Course schedules vary for each module.
- Finalised schedules and class lists for the first module will be announced on our website after the Placement Test.
- Our courses will commence on Wednesday, 24 September 2025, with the final course schedules and class lists.

### SAMPLE CLASS SCHEDULE

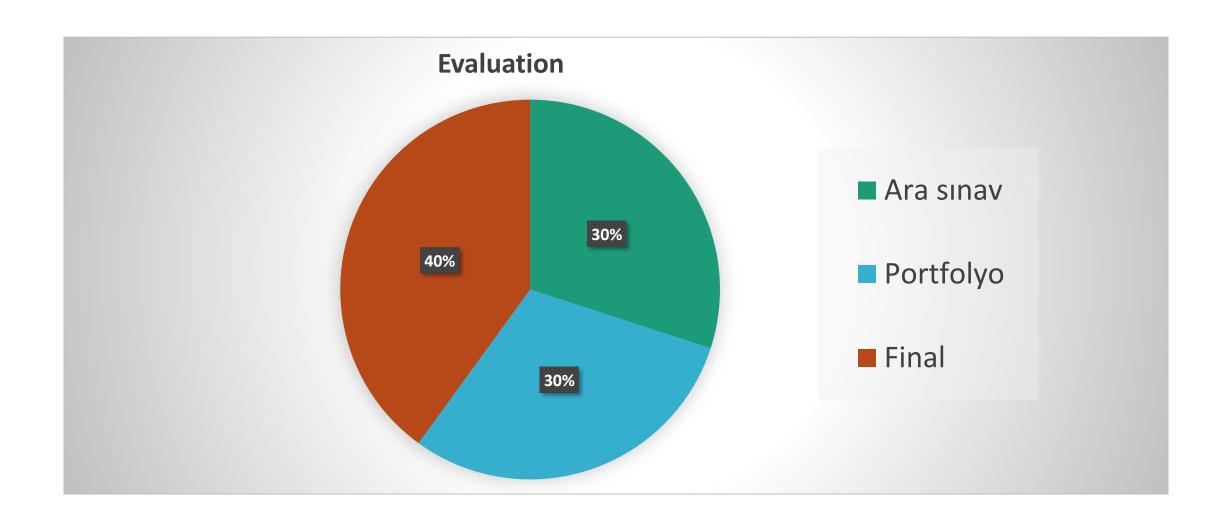


#### **COURSE BOOKS**



- ➤ A1 LEVEL: Language Hub Beginner Student's Book + Online Platform+
  Writing Pack + Speaking Pack
- ➤ A2 LEVEL : Language Hub Elementary Student's Book + Online Platform+ Writing Pack + Speaking Pack
- > B1 LEVEL: Unlock Reading & Writing 3 + Unlock Listening & Speaking 3
- ➤ B2 LEVEL: Unlock Reading & Writing 4 + Unlock Listening & Speaking 4

#### **EVALUATION PRINCIPLES**



#### ASSESSMENT TOOL CONTENTS



 Mid-term exam: Listening + Reading + Language in Use + Writing + Speaking

 Portfolio: Online Assignments + Integrated Skills Test + Mini Tasks (Writing and Speaking)

• Final exam: Listening + Reading + Language in Use + Writing + Speaking

### **PORTFOLIO**

Content	Points	Details
Online Activities	30	Assessment of activities completed by students via the online textbook platform,
Integrated Skills Test	30	A mini test to measure language skills,
Mini Writing Tasks	20	4 mini writing tasks, each worth 5 points(emails, paragraphs, reflections, etc.)
Mini Speaking Tasks	20	4 mini speaking tasks, each worth 5 points(video recordings, audio recording, short presentations etc. )
TOTAL	100	

### **ASSESSMENT**

- To successfully complete a module,
  - o you must obtain at least 60 points out of 100 in the Final Examination,
  - and at least 60 points in the overall assessment.
  - Both criteria must be met in order to progress to the next level.
- Students who do not meet these requirements will have to retake the module they failed as repeat students.
- Students who complete the B2 module will have completed their preparatory education.

#### **ENGLISH PROFICIENCY EXAM**



English Proficiency Exams are held three times a year: at the beginning of the autumn term, at the end of the autumn term, and at the end of the spring term.

#### Proficiency Test on 15-17 September 2025

• All students who are required to take compulsory preparatory education can take the English Proficiency Test at the beginning of the autumn term.

#### Proficiency Test on 22-23 January 2026

- Students who successfully complete the B1 module during the autumn term,
- All students who failed preparatory education in the 2024-2025 academic year,

#### Proficiency Exam on 25-26 June 2026

- Students who successfully complete the B1 module in the spring term,
- All students who failed preparatory education in the 2024-2025 academic year,

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES UNIT - EXCA**

• The Extracurricular Activities Unit, which will commence operations for the first time in the 2025-2026 academic year, aims to offer our students enjoyable activities such as talks, seminars, games, film screenings, projects and similar events designed to develop their social and academic skills outside of class time.



#### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES UNIT

Announcements regarding various events planned throughout the year by our School of Foreign Languages Extracurricular Activities Unit will be shared on the WhatsApp channel titled 'Exca YDYO Extracurricular Activities Coordination'. To ensure you do not miss any events, please follow the channel via the application.







#### Exca YDYO Ders Dışı Etkinlikler Koordinatörlüğü

WhatsApp kanalı



# Frequently Asked Questions – Compulsory Continuation

- Attendance at foreign language preparatory classes is compulsory.
- Students enrolled in the preparatory programme must attend at least 85% of the classes in each module.
- Students who do not meet the attendance requirement cannot take the module completion (final) exam and are considered absent from that module.
- Students who are absent twice in the same module cannot continue their preparatory education and are considered to have failed the preparatory education for that year.
- Students who are absent for more than 180 class hours in total during an academic year cannot continue their preparatory education and are considered to have failed the preparatory education.
- Medical certificates are not taken into account when calculating hours of absence.

# Frequently Asked Questions – Course Materials

- The textbooks and other supplementary materials used in classes have been predetermined by our School of Foreign Languages. Students are required to obtain the specified textbooks and other necessary resources.
- In accordance with Law No. 5846 on Intellectual and Artistic Works, the use of unauthorised (pirated) or photocopied books is strictly prohibited. Therefore, students are solely responsible for any liability arising from the use of unauthorised (pirated) or photocopied books at our school.

# Frequently Asked Questions – Registration Renewal

- Students who will be taking English Preparatory Education must log in to the Student Information System (UBS) at ubs.yalova.edu.tr to ensure their student status is ACTIVE for the Autumn Term. They should follow the steps: Student System Student Information Screen (select Foreign Languages School from the Academic Programme Selection section in the top left corner). -Course Selection-Registration Renewal steps to complete the Registration Renewal process.
- Students in the Optional Preparatory Class will not select courses from their main programmes. They only need to complete the Registration Renewal process at the School of Foreign Languages. The registration renewal process is important for students to be assigned to courses.
- Students repeating the preparatory programme and students who have enrolled at our university through the YÖS (University Entrance Exam) will be able to complete this process after paying their fees.
- These processes are carried out twice a year, in the autumn and spring semesters.

# Frequently Asked Questions – Student ID Cards

- Student ID cards also function as credit cards and will be prepared by the relevant bank and sent to our students.
- During this period, our students will be able to carry out their transactions using the student documents they receive via e-government.

#### COMMUNICATION CHANNELS – YDYO Website

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ÖĞRENCİ

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All announcements regarding our school are regularly posted on our website (ydyo.yalova.edu.tr). Students are advised to regularly announcements section of our website.

### COMMUNICATION CHANNELS – GOOGLE CLASSROOM

- In addition to the Student Information System (UBS),
   virtual classrooms will be created by teaching staff using the 'Google Classroom' application.
- These classes will be used to communicate with teaching staff, track assignments, or submit your assignments to teaching staff. The class codes required to register for courses will be announced to you along with the updated course schedules prepared after the Placement Test.
- You will need to download the application to your mobile phones to access announcements shared via Google Classroom.





### COMMUNICATION CHANNELS – YDYO INSTAGRAM



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Announcements are also made via our official social media account on Instagram (ydyo\_yalova). It is important that you follow our Instagram

account!



We wish all our students a healthy and successful academic year!