International Student Admissions: Agency FAQ's

Thank you for helping students find their path to international education at KdG. This guide addresses **common questions** about our admissions process and student support services.

Note: Always refer to our website for the most current information. For additional assistance, please contact study@kdg.be.

Admission Process

Eligibility & Assessment

- We accept all students who meet our admission criteria and apply within deadlines
- No caps on student numbers
- No additional tests, interviews, or motivation statements required
- Decisions are based solely on submitted documentation
- Due to high application volumes, we cannot pre-screen individual eligibility
- We offer agency training sessions on typically accepted diplomas
- Application fees are refunded for rejected agency applications only

Critical Deadlines for Non-EEA Students

- 1. Application Deadline: 16th June 2025
- 2. Tuition Payment Deadline: 27th June 2025
 - Missing either deadline results in rejection
 - \circ $\;$ No application fee refund for deadline-related rejections

Note: EEA applicants can apply at any time with no payment deadlines.

Fees and Payments

Application Fee

- €131.50, paid during application
- Non-refundable except for agency applications rejected due to diploma or language requirements
- Requires signed agency reference form for refunds/commissions

Tuition Fees (2025-2026)

- Non-EEA Nationals: €7529.80
- EEA Nationals: €1157

- Additional costs for course materials not included
- Special consideration for non-EEA nationals with Belgian residence permits

Post-Acceptance Process

For Non-EEA Students

- 1. Acceptance notification via email
- 2. Tuition fee payment invitation (payment deadline: 27th June 2025)
- 3. Letter of enrollment issued after full tuition fee payment
- 4. Visa application process begins.

Immigration Requirements

Visa Process

- Details available on Study in Flanders website
- Template visa application form available on 'for agents' page
- Visa application responsibility lies with student/agency.
 Start as soon as possible it can take up to 5 months for a visa to be granted!

Proof of Solvency

For degree students:

- Optional KdG procedure available : <u>https://www.kdg.be/en/student-onboarding/visa-proof-of-solvency</u>
- Highly recommended increases visa granted rate dramatically
- €9,840 deposit (12 x €820)
- Monthly installment returns upon arrival
- Full refund if visa denied
- Annual renewal required

Student Life in Antwerp – Student Onboarding

All info prospective students need (housing, cost of living, work&study, ...) is bundled here: <u>https://www.kdg.be/en/student-onboarding</u>

It will also be emailed to students once they are accepted/enrolled.