Welcome!
Dual Diploma Program

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Applying to SUNY New Paltz

ALL MATERIALS WILL BE SUBMITTED ON STUDIO ABROAD.

METU will send OSYM scores, high school diplomas, and official transcripts.

To apply, students should log into: https://studioabroad.newpaltz.edu/?go=METULS
Instructions on Applying to the Dual Diploma Programs

Step 1: Go to https://studioabroad.newpaltz.edu/?go=METULS and click on Apply Now.
Applying to SUNY New Paltz

REQUIRED TOEFL SCORES

✓ Paper-based or Institutional TOEFL (given by SUNY) = 550
✓ Internet TOEFL (iBT) = 79
✓ IELTS Overall Band score = 6.5
✓ Scores need to be submitted to SUNY New Paltz: sent by ETS (#2541), official score sheet faxed, or signed letter from SUNY official.
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Application for F-1 Student Visa

✓ Must complete required financial documents; you must document enough funds to cover the full costs of study at New Paltz.


✓ See Student Accounts website for breakdown of costs:

http://www.newpaltz.edu/student_accounts/tuition.cfm.

Information on costs will also be provided to you.

✓ Once application is complete, New Paltz will issue an I-20 Certificate of Eligibility.

✓ Yigit Ben Balkaya (balkaya@suny.edu) or Katie Lansford (katie.lansford@suny.edu) from the SUNY Ankara office can provide more information on the visa process in Turkey.
**Estimated* Costs for 2013-2014 Academic Year**

**Expected total: $45,000**

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*Actual costs may vary.*
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- You must also submit a health form completed by your local doctor ([http://www.newpaltz.edu/healthcenter/2013hrwelcomeattention.pdf](http://www.newpaltz.edu/healthcenter/2013hrwelcomeattention.pdf))

- It is very important that all dates related to your immunizations are included

- You can upload a copy of this form and bring the original with you to New Paltz.
Getting to SUNY New Paltz

Transportation to New Paltz

✓ Make group flight arrangements.

✓ We will arrange group transportation from JFK to the SUNY New Paltz campus.

✓ You should plan to arrive on June 30; orientation will be held on July 1.
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✓ Classes for Summer Session II begin on July 2 and end on August 6.

✓ Intersession runs from August 7 – August 21. Fall classes begin on August 26. If you stay during the intersession, you will pay an additional fee and there is no meal service.
Orientation, Course Registration and the Start of Classes

- Orientation for new students will be held on July 1. Students will receive student ID cards, computer and phone accounts and pay bills. A shopping trip will also be arranged to buy things for your residence hall.

- Summer class schedule available will be on-line at www.newpaltz.edu/summer/ or check your schedule at my.newpaltz.edu. You will take Human Development and an Art class.

- Meet with advisors: Dr. Kathleen Geher and Prof. Vern Todd to finalize schedule.
Academic Policies (available on the website)

✓ You must have a minimum GPA of 1.8 to come to SUNY New Paltz.

✓ New students must maintain a cGPA of 2.00 for liberal studies. Students who fall below these levels will be put on academic probation. The cGPA must be raised to the appropriate level the following semester to avoid dismissal.
Types of classes at New Paltz

- MUST courses: Education classes to meet your TEFL requirements at METU.
- Major classes: Liberal studies major classes to meet your New Paltz major requirements.
- GE classes: General education classes mandated by SUNY
  - * WEST (Western Civilizations)
  - * ART
  - * NSCI (Natural Science)
  - * MATH
- Writing intensive courses (WI)
To fulfill the requirements of the Liberal Studies major at New Paltz, students will choose courses from 2 categories (Language and Literature, Society and Culture) below. You must pick at least two courses from each category for a total of at least 18 credits at New Paltz. Two semesters of a language class (at the appropriate level) can be used to fulfill the language and literature category. Students also need to take a Writing Intensive course (WI); these courses are indicated with an asterisk (*) in the list below. The other half of your major is fulfilled through your language and literature courses in Turkey (see reverse).

**LIBERAL STUDIES MAJOR**

**CREDIT HOURS 36-41**

- An overall 2.0 average in courses is required for degree application.
- Grades less than C- are not accepted in major courses.

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Total Credit Hours from New Paltz: 36-41
Students can get valuable information from this student website, including:
- Your class schedule
- Your room assignment
- Your health records
- Your bill
- Your holds (blocks) on your account.
Academic Policies

✓ A minimum grade of C- must be earned in all major courses. A minimum grade of D- counts toward the completion of the GE and education classes.

✓ Failed classes must be retaken which may extend your time in the program. You are also responsible for paying for the costs of any additional courses. In the summer, you pay per credit so taking extra classes will increase the costs.

✓ Withdrawn or dropped classes must be retaken at New Paltz; a maximum of 2 failed classes can be taken at METU, except for the major classes!
Expectations

✓ Start the semester on time!

✓ Carefully review the syllabus for each class and ask questions if you don’t understand the policies.

✓ Be punctual and polite to professors.

✓ Participate in teaching fieldwork in a professional manner.

✓ Get involved on campus and have fun!
Other Points

✓ Make copies of all documents submitted to New Paltz.

✓ Once the fall schedule is published, you will work with your advisor to choose the appropriate classes for Summer and Fall 2013.

✓ Upload all documents to Studio Abroad.

✓ If you have any questions, contact Kathleen or Purnima Schachter (schachtp@newpaltz.edu).
We’ll see you in June!