

# WELCOME GUIDE

FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS · 2025-2026




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# WELCOME TO THE UNIVERSITY OF LIÈGE!

Welcome to the University of Liège! Whether you are here to take classes and study or for a traineeship, it is our hope that your stay at ULiège will be a success, both on the academic and personal level.

This guide provides useful information to prepare your stay and to help you with the practical formalities during your stay at ULiège (administrative formalities, accommodation, transport, etc.).

We are pleased to welcome you to ULiège, a European university of almost 28,000 students, divided into 11 faculties and 4 campuses, including 25% international students. The University of Liège also has a 200-year history that goes right back to the Middle Ages. Today, ULiège relies on more than 200 years of knowledge transmission and development to ensure that it is internationally open and regionally engaged.

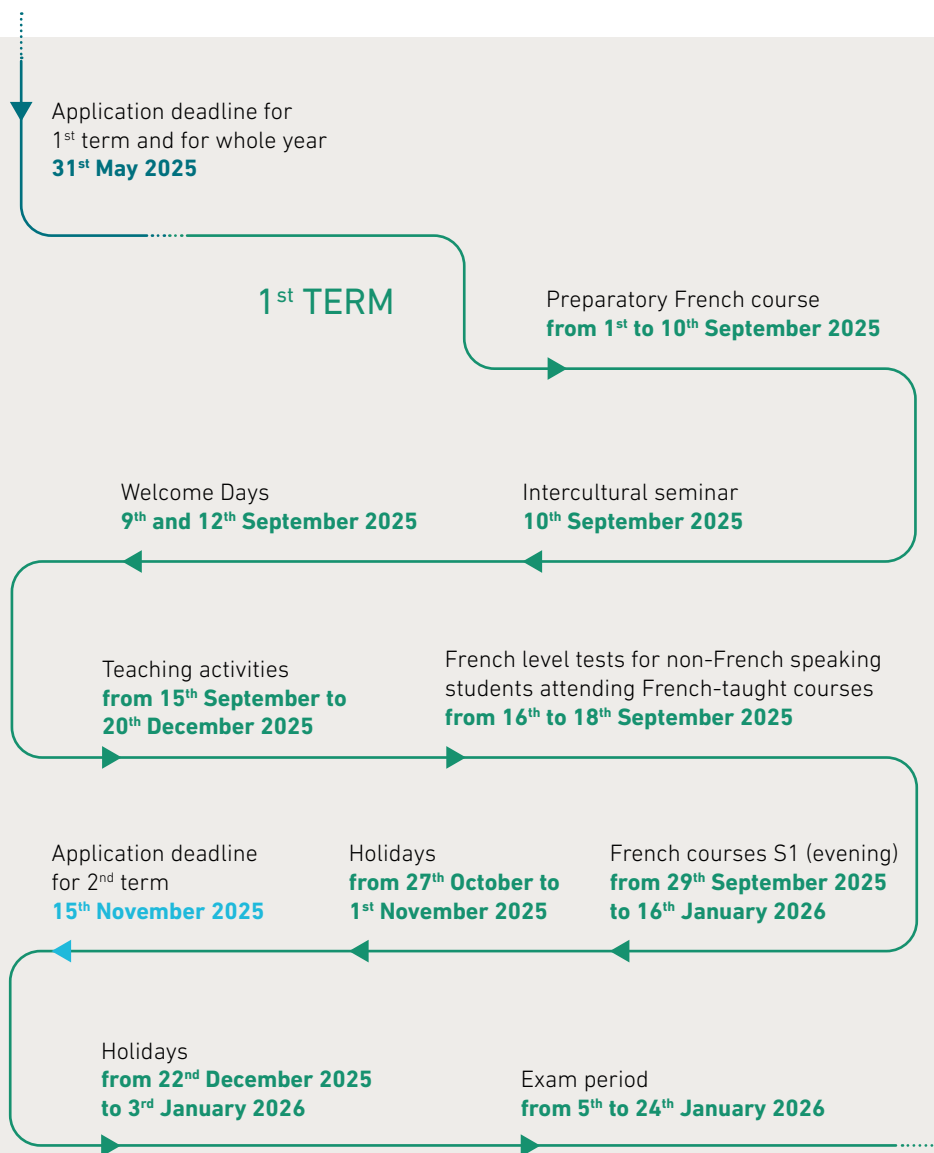
Ideally located in the heart of Europe, our university is active in the University of the Greater Region network with its partners in the cross-border area, and in a European University Alliance, called UNIC. It is also participating within 10 Erasmus Mundus Masters programs with international partners in various fields of studies, and since 2015 has been taking part in the International Credit Mobility program, which supports partnerships with different institutions outside the European Union.

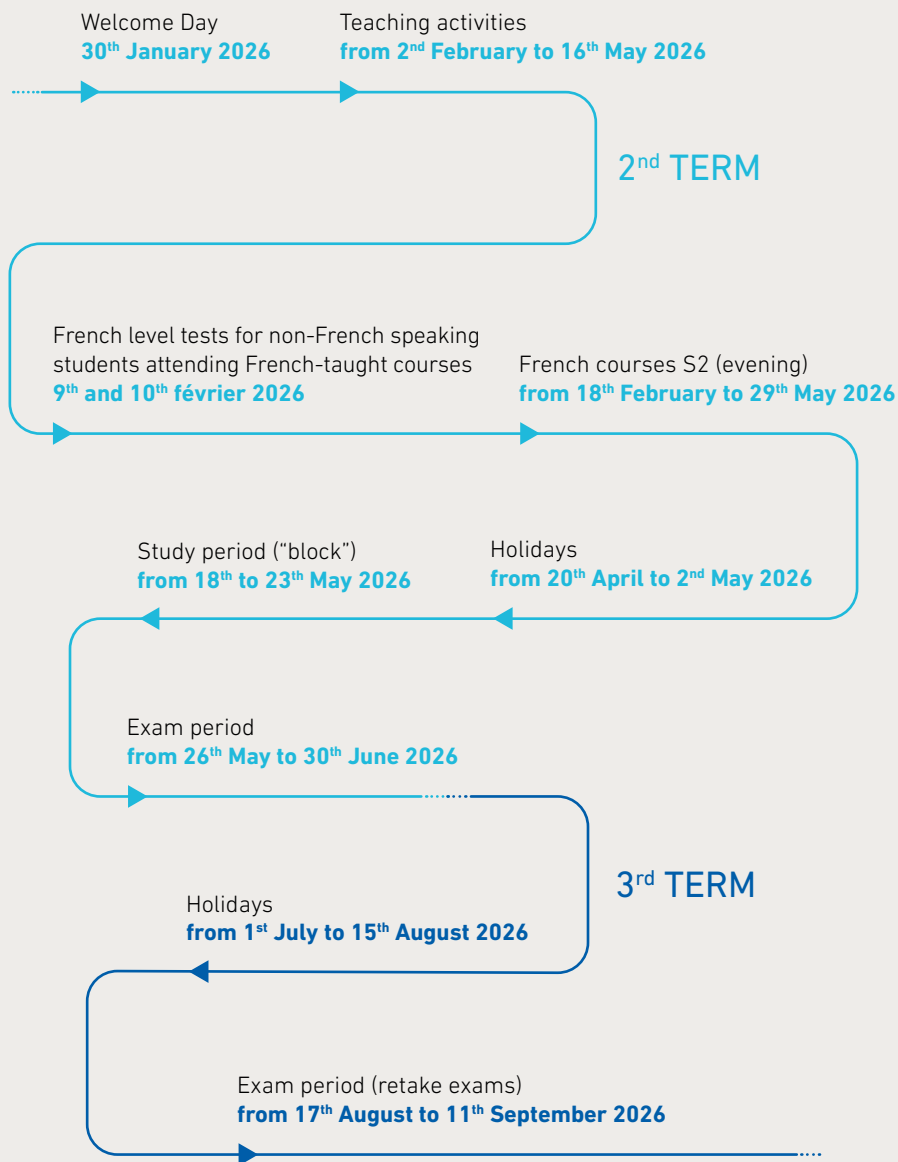
We are available for anything you may need to ensure you have great stay. We hope you enjoy your time here at ULiège.

**International Relations Office**



# IMPORTANT DATES





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Université de Liège

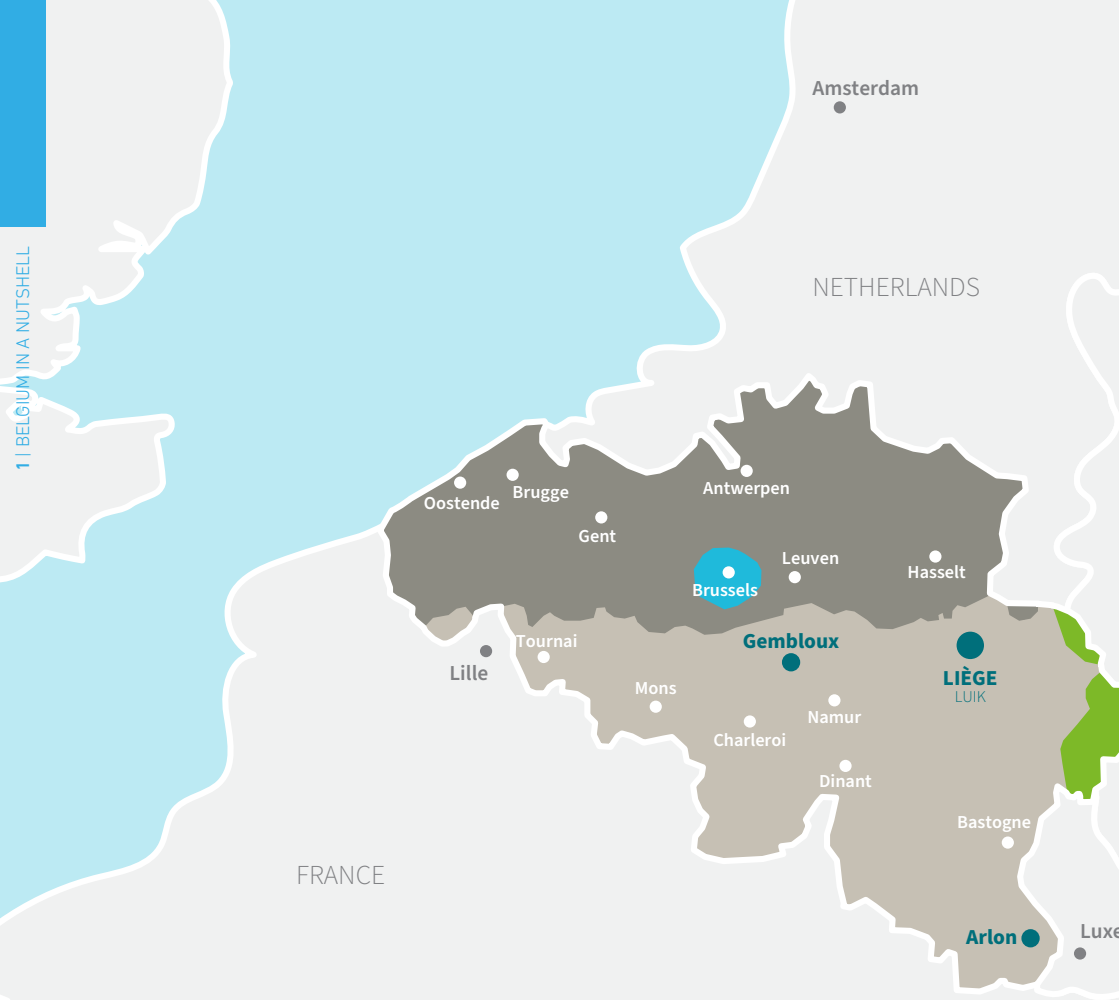


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BELGIUM  
IN A NUTSHELL



- DUTCH-SPEAKING REGION
- FRENCH-SPEAKING REGION
- GERMAN-SPEAKING REGION
- BRUSSELS-CAPITAL REGION (BILINGUAL FRENCH AND DUTCH)



**11.5**  
million inhabitants



**30 688 km<sup>2</sup>**  
surface area



**Brussels**  
Capital

Köln



**21 July**  
National Day



**Constitutional  
Monarchy**



**Federal State**



**French, Dutch  
and German**

are 3 official languages. The South of Belgium is French-speaking, the North is Dutch-speaking and the German-speaking community is along the German border. Brussels is a bilingual entity (French-Dutch), with a majority of French speakers.



**700€ to 900€**  
per month is an estimated cost of living in Liège for students except for the first month when expenses might be higher. To this amount you should add study-related costs (books, etc.).



**A warm welcome  
and new traditions to  
discover!**

Belgium has many unique sociocultural activities to discover. We encourage you to join one of the many ULiège and ESN events organised throughout the year!

In order to ensure your stay goes smoothly, we encourage you to start preparing your stay as early as possible. Review customs requirements at

 [focusonbelgium.be](https://focusonbelgium.be)



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THE UNIVERSITY OF LIÈGE

# 1. THE UNIVERSITY OF LIÈGE

## COMMUNITY

**The University of Liège is a crossroads for many career paths.**

Almost 27000 students study here every day: 25% of whom are international students. More than 5000 professors, lecturers, researchers and administrative personnel are committed to teaching, research and the service of society. Enriched by its 200-year-old history and its community, the University of Liège will offer you all the tools you need to shape a successful future.

## 39 BACHELORS DEGREES, 193 MASTERS, 62 MASTERS WITH SPECIALIZATION, 29 MOOCS AND 190 CERTIFICATES

A complete university, the University of Liège offers 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> cycle programmes in all areas of knowledge. Hundreds of course options, specializations and free online programmes (trainings) are offered thanks to the developpement of MOOCS and Continuing Education. Many of the programmes have prestigious international accreditations highlighting the quality of the teaching, research, infrastructure and supervision available.

**The training programmes are constantly evolving and new ones are proposed every year. You can carve out a unique career path here.**

## STATE-OF-THE-ART INFRASTRUCTURE

University clinics, world-renowned research centres, (Cyclotron, Centre for Protein Engineering, the Liège Space Centre, GIGA, TERRA...), one of the most beautiful libraries in Europe and the biggest in Belgium, exceptional overseas equipment (Telescopes in Chile and Morocco, oceanographic and submarine research station in Corsica, a research station in the Swiss Alps...) these are just a few of the numerous infrastructures available to students.

**The University of Liège develops and promotes multidisciplinary research excellence and its related teaching.**

## A FULFILLING ENVIRONMENT

**Choosing to study at the University of Liège involves so much more than mere education...**

Everyone is invited to enjoy the many cultural activities offered on the campuses: cinema clubs, conferences, shows...

The University's sports club (ULiège Sports) offers almost 70 sports which are open to everyone, and the Museum Center offers the opportunity to discover the collections of the institution and its partners! With 75 student associations available, do not miss your change to make your mark and get involved in different organisations.

## SUPPORT AND GUIDANCE

Students benefit from methodological support at every stage of their studies. Before, during and after their studies, the University of Liège offers support to help students succeed, develop their skills and successfully complete their projects.

## AN INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Choosing the University of Liège means joining an international university that is open to the world and located at the heart of Europe.

The University of Liège offers its students more than 1,500 opportunities to study abroad, it welcomes over 1000 students each year in the context of an exchange programme. Year after year, full English or bilingual programmes as well as many joint degree programmes but also and programs organized in collaboration with international partners are offered, including 4 bachelor programmes, almost 70 joint masters and 9 masters Erasmus Mundus. Holder of the Erasmus+ Charter for the period 2021-2027, ULiège also boasts more than 60 years of expertise in matters of cooperation and development.

## A SUSTAINABLE UNIVERSITY

Aware of its responsibilities and keen to make a significant contribution to building a desirable future, ULiège is committed to and supports the transition towards environmentally and socially sustainable paths. It has incorporated a 'Sustainability and Transition' course into all its bachelor's degree programmes.

The Green Office is a sustainable development platform run by and for the ULiège community. It informs, connects and supports students in the development of concrete projects. The Green Office is for each member of the ULiège community who wishes to put his or her talent, creativity and time at the service of actions and projects to improve the sustainability of our university.

The Green Office's activities are diverse but all have the same objective: to educate and support the ULiège community towards a more sustainable lifestyle. It also offers challenges on the **UNI for Change** mobile application to help us improve our everyday habits.

 [www.green-office.uliege.be](https://www.green-office.uliege.be)  
greenoffice@uliege.be



## 2. 1 UNIVERSITY, 3 CITIES, 4 CAMPUSES

Established in Belgium in three Walloon cities – Liège, Gembloux and Arlon –, the 11 faculties of the University of Liège are spread over 4 welcoming and cosmopolitan campuses mixing the dynamism of urban life with the charm of a pleasant green environment.

📍 Map of Liège city centre 📌 [www.campus.uliege.be/acces/plans](http://www.campus.uliege.be/acces/plans)



### LIÈGE CITY CENTER: HISTORIC CAMPUS

- **Faculty of Philosophy and Letters:** [www.facphl.uliege.be](http://www.facphl.uliege.be)
- **Faculty of Architecture:** [www.archi.uliege.be](http://www.archi.uliege.be)
- **HEC Liège - Management School:** [www.hec.uliege.be](http://www.hec.uliege.be)

- Central Administration
- International Office
- ULiège Information Desk

Bruxelles



### GEMBLUX CAMPUS

In the Province of Namur, 80 km west from Liège, the faculty of Gembloux Agro-Bio Tech is committed to teaching and research in agricultural sciences, bioengineering and in landscape architecture.

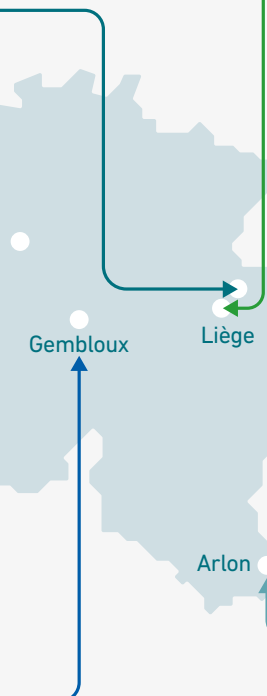
- **Gembloux Agro-Bio Tech :** [www.gembloux.uliege.be](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be)



## LIÈGE SART TILMAN: GREEN CAMPUS

On a hillside above the city of Liège, the Sart Tilman campus is home to a number of research facilities, a university hospital centre (CHU), a veterinary clinic (CVU), a psychological and speech therapy clinic (CPLU) and major sports facilities, as well as most of ULiège's faculties:

- **Medicine:** [www.facmed.uliege.be](http://www.facmed.uliege.be)
- **Veterinary Medicine:** [www.fmv.uliege.be](http://www.fmv.uliege.be)
- **Sciences:** [www.facsc.uliege.be](http://www.facsc.uliege.be)
- **Applied Sciences:** [www.facsu.uliege.be](http://www.facsu.uliege.be)
- **Law, Political Science and Criminology:** [www.droit.uliege.be](http://www.droit.uliege.be)
- **Psychology, Speech and Language Therapy, and Education:** [www.fapse.uliege.be](http://www.fapse.uliege.be)
- **Social Sciences:** [www.fass.uliege.be](http://www.fass.uliege.be)



## ARLON CAMPUS ENVIRONNEMENT

In the South of Belgium, 100 km from Liège, and a few kilometres from the border with France and Luxembourg, the Arlon campus of the Faculty of Sciences is committed to teaching and research in science and environmental management.

- **Departement of Sciences and Environmental science and management (Faculty of Sciences) :** [www.facsc.uliege.be](http://www.facsc.uliege.be)  
[www.campusarlon.uliege.be](http://www.campusarlon.uliege.be)

## 3. STUDY PROGRAMMES

Course programmes can be consulted at: [www.programmes.uliege.be](http://www.programmes.uliege.be)

### BILINGUAL OR "FULL ENGLISH" STUDY PROGRAMMES

Language learning, just like student mobility, is a priority at the University of Liège. While all courses (teaching units) involve language courses, some courses are bilingual (French/English, French/German...) or are taught entirely in English.

📌 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/international-programmes](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/international-programmes)

### THE TRADITIONAL UNIVERSITY CAREER

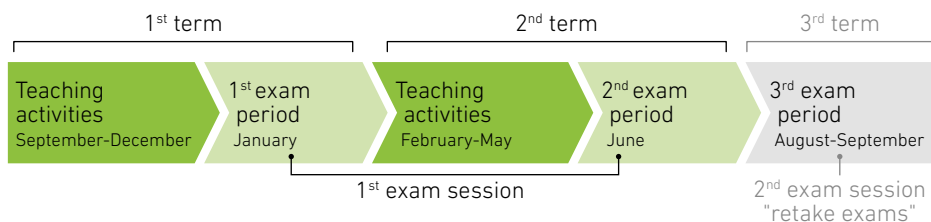
In Belgium, university studies are in line with the European model. They are organised into three cycles: bachelor's, master's and doctorate. The average academic studies are carried out in 2 cycles, generally in 5 years (bachelor + master).

📌 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudes](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudes)

### EXAMINATIONS

Within the same academic year students can take two examinations on the same teaching unit (course).

Exams are organised by the Faculties during three periods decided by the Board of Directors (see the academic calendar). The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> periods are called "the 1<sup>st</sup> session" (January and June). The 3<sup>rd</sup> period is called the 2<sup>nd</sup> session (August-September).




By way of derogation, Faculties can decide on special examination modalities for exchange students. In this case the exchange student must get in touch with the involved professors and the departmental coordinator at the beginning of term.

The result of each assessment is indicated by a figure between 0 and 20, with 10 out of 20 being the pass threshold for each teaching unit.

Marks received at ULiège are transferred to your home university by your ULiège departmental coordinator. The grade distribution table is sent with your transcript of records. You will find the general table for ULiège on our webpage.

📌 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-exams](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-exams)

We wish to remind you that, although your results will be validated in your home university, while in Liège, you are subject to the university's regulations governing study and examination. Your departmental coordinator can answer specific questions relating to examinations. We strongly encourage that you read the information about plagiarism that should be quite useful when you write papers.

 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudiant/plagiat](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudiant/plagiat) (internal webpage only available after your registration at ULiège and accessible with your ULiège ID and your password).

## 4. ACADEMIC CALENDAR

The university year is divided into three terms, with the exception of certain assessments, work placements, projects or professional integration activities. Teaching and learning activities occur during (one of) the first two terms. They are followed by assessment periods.

The third term includes assessment periods, personal research and production of essays, as well as professional insertion activities.

The academic calendar for 2025-2026 is available on

 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/calendrier-academique](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/calendrier-academique)

 **It's very important to be present for the start of classes at the beginning of each term.**



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ULIÈGE:  
HOST UNIVERSITY FOR  
EXCHANGE STUDENTS

# 1. THE ECTS SYSTEM

The University of Liège uses ECTS system (European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System), which facilitates the recognition of your academic credits during your stay. Usually, a term is equivalent to 30 ECTS and a full year to 60 ECTS, but this may differ according to your home institution.

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-ECTS](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-ECTS)

## 2. ADMINISTRATIVE FORMALITIES

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in)

Here is an overview of the main formalities related to your stay at the University of Liège.

### CHECKLIST

#### **○ BEFORE YOUR ARRIVAL** p.23

- ✓ Online registration
- ✓ Acceptance Letter from ULiège
- Identity documents in order of validity (ID card and/or passport, visa if necessary)
- Health insurance
- Buddy Program
- Accommodation research

#### **○ WHEN YOU ARRIVE AT ULIÈGE** p.24



- Registration at the University (International Office)
- Approval of your course programme (see departmental coordinator)
- Administrative formalities at the Foreign Affairs – City Hall (depending on your profile)
- Registration for health cover (called “mutuelle” in Belgium)

#### **○ BEFORE GETTING BACK HOME** p.31

- End-of-stay certificate (International Office)
- Administrative formalities at the Foreign Affairs – City Hall (depending on your profile)
- Notify your coordinator about your departure and check that all the formalities are in order



## PREPARING YOUR DEPARTURE

1. Discuss the courses you intend to take at ULiège with your coordinator in your home university.
2. If you need a visa to enter in Belgium, take the necessary steps with the Belgian embassy in your home country (with the ULiège acceptance letter) before arriving in Belgium.
3. Start your research of accommodation (more info p.56)  
 [www.campus.uliege.be/en/accommodation](http://www.campus.uliege.be/en/accommodation)
4. If you wish to meet a local student and be involved in the Buddy Program, register at  
 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-buddy-request](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-buddy-request)
5. **European students:** ask your health insurance fund for an european health insurance card.  
**Non-European students:** if possible, subscribe to a health insurance in your home country.



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## UPON ARRIVAL AT THE UNIVERSITY OF LIÈGE

### 1. REGISTRATION AT THE INTERNATIONAL OFFICE

The International Office is available to accompany you throughout your stay in Liège and assist you with your academic and social integration into the community.

Please visit the office in person to complete your official enrollment where you will receive your student card, password and internet access and important institutional certificates.

On Registration Day, please bring with you a copy of your acceptance letter (scan or pdf is enough) and your valid ID document (ID card or passport).

Any change that may occur during your stay (change of address, telephone number, etc.) must be entered via the myULiège portal (My profile).


Check your uliege email inbox regularly as it is the official means of communication by the university to share important and useful information with students.


Our door is always open! Do not hesitate to contact us, we are here to support your stay.


#### IN LIÈGE

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 +32 4 366 58 59

#### Map of Liège city centre

During registration periods the office is open from Monday to Friday, from 9 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. and from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in)

#### IN GEMBLoux

Registration is done at the International Office of Gembloux, not in Liège.

#### **Relations Internationales**


Bureau pédagogique (registration)


Entrance 5 - building 9

Passage des Déportés, 2

5030 Gembloux

[erasmus.gembloux@uliege.be](mailto:erasmus.gembloux@uliege.be)

 +32 81 62 21 08

 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/international](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/international)

#### IN ARLON

Register at the International Office in Liège.

## 2. CONTACT YOUR DEPARTMENTAL COORDINATOR

The departmental coordinator will validate your Learning Agreement and explain how the courses are organised and what methods of evaluation are used. You will be informed about how to contact them in your official letter of acceptance.

**No change in the Learning Agreement will be accepted unless it is signed by your departmental coordinator.**



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### 3. ADMINISTRATIVE FORMALITIES

#### All students

- ⚠ Any foreigner staying in Belgium for more than three consecutive months must notify the municipal authorities of the city in which they are residing.

#### 📍 IN LIÈGE

Cité administrative (City Hall), 1<sup>st</sup> floor  
Ville de Liège - Service des étrangers  
Potiérue, 5  
4000 Liège

☎ +32 4 221 82 29  
service.etrangers-etudiants@liege.be

📍 Map of Liège city centre ①

#### 📍 IN GEMBOUX

Parc d'épinal, 2  
5030 Gembloux  
☎ +32 81 62 63 31  
population@gembloux.be

#### 📍 IN ARLON

Hôtel de ville (étage B1)  
Service des étrangers  
Rue Paul Reuter, 8  
6700 Arlon  
☎ +32 63 24 56 73  
service\_etrangers@arlon.be

#### Students residing in a border country (annex 33)

For students who are citizens or have a residence permit from France, Germany, Luxembourg and the Netherlands, the following documents are required:

- valid identity document (passport or identity card) or residence permit
- certificate of registration from the International Office at ULiège
- lease or landlord's certificate
- 1 recent passport-size photo
- 11€\*

\* see rates in force on the registration date

## European students (EU)

For students from EEE countries (EU + Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway), the following documents are required:

- valid passport or identity card
- certificate of registration from the International Office at ULiège
- proof of health insurance cover (European card or private insurance)
- address in Liège (if in a students' residence, a residence statement)
- 1 recent passport-size photo
- 22€ + 25,20€ for the residence card\*

EU students can move from one EU country to another with a national ID or passport; no visa is required.

## European student - as part of a mobility/exchange programme (study in Belgium for min 3 months and max 6 months)

For students from EEE countries (EU + Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway), the following documents are required:

- valid passport or identity card
- certificate of registration from the International Office at ULiège
- 1 recent passport-size photo
- 11€



## Students from a country outside the EU

Non-EU students must report their arrival at the city hall on arrival (after registration at ULiège) to get a residence permit.

For students from a country outside the EU, the following documents are required:

- passport with a D visa
- certificate of registration from the International Office at ULiège
- proof of means of support
- address in Liège (if in a students' residence, a residence statement)
- 1 passport-size photo
- 22€ + 23,60€\*

Students from outside the EU who stay in Belgium and wish to travel outside the country should have a valid visa and annex 15 issued by the municipal authorities.

To travel outside the Schengen area, consult the diplomatic mission of the country you wish to visit, as to whether a visa is required.

Non-european students may be required to open a Belgian bank account (see p.50).



## 4. WELCOME DAYS

In collaboration with the Erasmus Student Network (ESN ULiège) and the ULiège communication department, the International Office organises some Welcome Days for exchange students. We strongly encourage you to check out this fun and informative days as a way to learn about your new university, the city of Liege and make new friends!

Welcome Days 2025-2026:

- for stays during the 1<sup>st</sup> term and the whole year, **Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025**
- for stays during the 2<sup>nd</sup> term, **Friday 30<sup>st</sup> January 2026**

ULiège is part of the "Pole Liège Luxembourg", a network of university and colleges in the region. An intercultural seminar will be organised on **10<sup>th</sup> September 2025** "How to survive in the Belgian culture?" and "Belgian political landscape". All are invited to attend!

 [www.poleliegelux.be](http://www.poleliegelux.be)

A detailed programme of these Welcome days will be sent individually by email.

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-welcome-days](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-welcome-days)

For exchange students from the Gembloux campus, Welcome Days are also organised by "Pôle Namur"

 [www.poledenamur.be/etudiant/mobilite-internationale](http://www.poledenamur.be/etudiant/mobilite-internationale)

A Festival of Cultures will be organised on **Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025** to celebrate the different cultures and diversity at ULiège. Students are invited to participate and share about their home country, culture and experiences.





## AT THE END OF YOUR STAY

Before going back home, you must inform your departmental coordinator about your departure. In addition, you must come to the International Office to receive your Attendance Certificate (Departure Form) at the office or by email.

**At the end of your stay, you also must notify the local administration if and only if you hold a Belgian residence permit.**

### **For students on the Liège campus:**

- either go to the local municipal office with your national ID, the «annexe 8» or your «E card» (EU students) or «A card» (if you are from a country outside the EU) a new address in your home country and 11€
- or connect on the e-platform of the City Hall of Liège in order to notify your departure (called «radiation»):

 <https://www.liege.be/fr/vie-communale/services-communaux/etat-civil-et-population/domicile/demarches/radiation-pour-letranger>

**Students on the Gembloux or Arlon campuses must report to the respective local administrations in their host city.**

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-depart](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-depart)



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LANGUAGE TRAINING

# 1. FRENCH COURSES

## LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

At the University of Liège most courses are taught in French. Exchange students therefore need to have sufficient language proficiency, both written and oral, to understand courses and to effectively take part in seminars and tutorials.

Students **who plan to take a course in French**, must include proof of language proficiency to their university application. The minimal required level is B1 (B2 for HEC Liège) according to the Common European Framework of Reference.

Upon arrival and in addition to a language proficiency certificate, **non French-speaking students who take courses in French** have to take a compulsory online test in French to attest their proficiency. The results are sent to departmental coordinators.

Dates for the online French tests:

- for the 1st term: from **6<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> September 2025**
- for the 2nd term: **9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> February 2026**

For courses taught in English a B1 certificate is required (B2 for HEC Liège).



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## IN LIÈGE

In Liège, French preparatory courses (before the beginning of the 1<sup>st</sup> term) and French courses (during the academic year) are organised by the "Département de français de l'Institut supérieur des Langues Vivantes (ISLV)".

### 1 | Preparatory course

1<sup>st</sup> term preparatory course: **from 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> September 2025** (no ECTS) 120€ fee for exchange students.

### 2 | Courses during the year

For students who would like to follow a French course during their exchange in Liège, the compulsory test will be used to evaluate their level in order to create the groups for the courses.

- S1 = 1<sup>st</sup> term evening classes: **from 29<sup>th</sup> September 2025 to 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026**
- S2 = 2<sup>nd</sup> term evening classes: **from 18<sup>th</sup> February to 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

60 hours of class : 2 x 2 hours per week and online module.

- S1 or S2 = 5 ECTS
- S1 + S2 = 10 ECTS if satisfactory result for the final evaluation of S1.

**⚠ Levels: from A1 to B2+. C1 level is only organised in the second term. C2 is not on offer.**

## Fees

- Free for ULiège exchange students who have the French language course in their Learning Agreement.
- 120€/term for other students.

## 3 | Fully online courses

100% online course with experienced French teachers, are available for the following levels: Elementary (A1-A2) and intermediate (B1-B2) levels.

- 1<sup>st</sup> term: **from 6<sup>th</sup> October to 19<sup>th</sup> December 2025**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> term: **from 9<sup>th</sup> March to 29<sup>th</sup> May 2026**

30 course hours: 2 hours per week via Zoom + Declic module (**no ECTS**)

**Fee:** 60€ per term

**For further information about courses and registration, contact:**

**ISLV**

Rue de Pitteurs 20, Bâtiment L3 - 4020 Liège

☎ +32 4 366 57 59 (secretariat)

islvfr@uliege.be

📌 [www.islv.uliege.be](http://www.islv.uliege.be)

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## 📍 IN GEMBLoux

A French course for non-native speakers is organised during the year in Namur (10 minutes by train from Gembloux train station) and credited with 3 ECTS. At the first meeting the respective level of each student is assessed so that groups can be organised.

**More information: [erasmus.gembloux@uliege.be](mailto:erasmus.gembloux@uliege.be)**

Two weeks of French classes and introduction to the culture and belgian heritage are organised by the Namur Academic Centre (Pôle Académique) at the beginning of the academic year. Registration is open until end of June.

📌 [www.poledenamur.be/etudiant/mobilite-internationale/iw](http://www.poledenamur.be/etudiant/mobilite-internationale/iw)

## 📍 IN ARLON

📌 [www.campusarlon.uliege.be/en/learn-french-english](http://www.campusarlon.uliege.be/en/learn-french-english)







## 2. OTHER LANGUAGE COURSES

### IN LIÈGE


In addition to language courses, the ISLV also offers foreign language courses.

#### 1 | Evening courses

Evening courses in the following languages are available once a week (6 to 8 p.m.) during one academic year, in the city center and on the Sart Tilman campus: German, English, Arabic, Spanish, Italian, Dutch, Portuguese and Russian (beginner, intermediate and advanced levels).

Evening courses in the following languages are available twice a week (6 to 8 p.m.) during one semester, in the city centre: German, English, Spanish, Italian, Dutch (beginner and intermediate levels).

#### For more information and registration:

 +32 4 366 55 17

[islvle@uliege.be](mailto:islvle@uliege.be)

 [www.islv.uliege.be](http://www.islv.uliege.be)

#### 2 | Supervised online training

- **@LTER** : German, English, Spanish, Italian, Dutch (beginner, intermediate and advanced levels, according to the number of participants).
- **CONVERS@TIONS** : German, English, Spanish, Italian, Dutch (from B1 intermediate level upon request).

#### 3 | Conversation tables

Conversation tables are organized by the International Office during the evening in Liège: French-German, French-Dutch, French-Italian, French-Japanese.

 [www.international.uliege.be/erasmus-in-tables-de-conversation](http://www.international.uliege.be/erasmus-in-tables-de-conversation)

### IN ARLON

#### English courses

 [www.campusarlon.uliege.be/apprendre-fr-en](http://www.campusarlon.uliege.be/apprendre-fr-en)



# 5

## HEALTH INSURANCE AND HEALTH CARE

Individual health insurance is **compulsory** in Belgium. If you are not registered with a health care insurance provider in your home country which covers your stay in Belgium, you must subscribe to a **health insurance** provider in Belgium.

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- **If you are from an EEA country** (EU + Iceland, Liechtenstein and Norway) and if you are insured through your own national health service, before leaving your home country, you should ask for the **European health insurance card**. This covers you in case of illness abroad. The period of validity may differ from one country to another and is a maximum of two years.

However, if you need to see a doctor in Belgium, it will be more convenient to register with a Belgian health insurance provider so as to get about 75% of the medical costs paid back to you. The balance could be paid by your health insurance in your home country.

- **If you are from a non-EEA country**, you **must** have coverage to stay in Belgium, either through comprehensive insurance policy taken out in your country of origin, or in Belgium.

In addition, through their registration at ULiège, **all university students** get civil liability and physical insurance coverage for any accident related to their university activities, at home and abroad.

If you want to subscribe to a health insurance (mutuelle) in Belgium, you will have to do it after your arrival in Liège, it is not possible to do it before. You will receive the necessary information in your Welcome Pack.











# 6

## RESOURCES AND INTEGRATION




# 1. SUPPORT SERVICES

The University of Liège has several support services available to assist students.

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## STUDENT AFFAIRS

The Student Affairs Office is dedicated to supporting the quality of life of each student, allowing them to carry out their academic studies under the best conditions possible.

 +32 4 366 53 61

[affaires.etudiantes@uliege.be](mailto:affaires.etudiantes@uliege.be)

 [www.uliege.be/affairesetudiantes](http://www.uliege.be/affairesetudiantes)

## COUNSELLING AND PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT SERVICES

Feel unwell, need psychological support (personal difficulties, relationship with other students or teachers, integration, anxiety, loss of motivation, etc.)? This office provides you with a listening ear and acts as a relay to other more specialised contacts (if necessary).


 +32 4 366 55 61 - +32 4 366 20 82

[soutienpsy@uliege.be](mailto:soutienpsy@uliege.be)

 [www.student.uliege.be/student/ecoute-soutien](http://www.student.uliege.be/student/ecoute-soutien)

## STUDY GUIDANCE

Academic study guidance is available for students needing assistance in their new study environment and managing the work load.


 +32 4 366 53 61

[guidance.etude@uliege.be](mailto:guidance.etude@uliege.be)

 [www.uliege.be/guidance](http://www.uliege.be/guidance)

## SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES

Support services are available for students with a temporary disability (at least 3 months) or a long-term disability such as sensory or motor impairment, disabling illness, accident, psychological difficulties, etc.

 +32 4 366 53 61

[ash@uliege.be](mailto:ash@uliege.be)

 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudiants/handicap](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/etudiants/handicap)

## INFORMATION ON FUTURE STUDIES

Do you want to enroll regularly at the University of Liège after your Erasmus?  
Find out more!

☎ +32 4 366 56 74

info.etudes@uliege.be

📌 [www.enseignement.uliege.be/futur-etudiant/contacts](http://www.enseignement.uliege.be/futur-etudiant/contacts)

## CENTRE J

This communal information centre has made versatility and accessibility its main concerns and is dedicated to welcoming, informing, counselling and guiding young people with their questions or problems. It assists young people with questions on leisure activities, educational and job opportunities, travel, and legal or personal problems.

☎ +32 4 223 00 00

centrej@liege.be

📌 [www.liege.be](http://www.liege.be)

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## SIPS

SIPS is a family planning centre specifically for young people. All students can consult a lawyer, psychologists/therapists, doctors and social workers. The team offers free services and answers questions about relationships, emotional and sexual life: sexually transmitted infections, contraception, pregnancy, violence, LGBTQIA+, etc.

CALI (Cercle Arc-en-ciel Liégeois) drop-in centre: Thursdays from 5.30pm to 7.30pm.

☎ +32 4 223 62 82

sips@sips.be

📌 [www.sips.be](http://www.sips.be)

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## 2. BUDDY PROGRAM

The first days in a new environment are always difficult. You have to find your bearings, meet new students, locate rooms and complete important documents. This necessary adaptation process takes time and energy.

ULiège has set up a Buddy Program in which local students offer their help and support to newcomers – show them the city, the university, and contribute to their smooth integration into the local life.

The International Office can provide the names and contacts of local students involved in this programme.

If you are interested, please complete the form:

 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-buddy-request](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-buddy-request)

## 3. myULIÈGE, INTERNET AND EMAIL ACCESS

### myULIÈGE

myULiège is a must-have tool for ULiège students as it is the main access to online resources. A lot of information is available: course materials, important news such as information about the courses but also about leisure, sports, cultural activities... and discussion forums among and between students and teaching staff. The classified ads are also quite vaste (from party announcements to requests for help).

Once registered as exchange student, you can update your data (address, phone number).

Once your course programme has been validate by your departmental coordinator, you can:

- access to your timetable and classrooms
- access the course material (ppt, course's notes, infos...)
- check you examination results
- select what examinations to resit

### ACCESS

Access can be obtained through the ULiège ID number and password received after you registration at the International Office.

### INTERNET

Once your myULiège account is activated, you can browse the Internet and check your email from a computer, smartphone or tablet.

## SETTING UP AN EMAIL ADDRESS

The University offers each student a free email address based on their registration name: **firstname.name@student.uliege.be**

It is automatically created with the activation of myULiège.

You have the possibility to forward your ULiège email address to another email address of your choice.

In your Welcome Pack which you will receive upon arrival, you will be given a document which explains how to use myULiège and the other platforms used for classes (ecampus, Lola, etc.).

## 4. LIBRARIES AT ULIÈGE

ULiège Library offers a large range of services to students, teachers, researchers and staff in terms of documentation and scientific publications. All of ULiège's documentary resources, whether paper or electronic, are accessible via the single search interface **lib.uliege.be**.

ULiège Library's 16 locations, on all university campuses, provide study and work spaces close to services and collections: more than 2,200 seats, evening opening until 9p.m. and Saturday opening for the three largest locations, collaborative work rooms, etc.

ULiège Library offers a number of services to students, including training and tutorials (<https://lib.uliege.be/fr/support/besoin-daide/formations>) and a variety of remote channels for personalised help (<https://lib.uliege.be/fr/contacts>): telephone, email, chat, FAQs.

Want to find out more? Need practical information (how to get there, opening times, etc.)?

 **lib.uliege.be**



## 5. STUDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

### FÉDÉ

The objectives of the "Fédération des étudiants" (Fédé) are to represent and inform students, and to defend their interests, to offer services, and to provide support in the students' academic lives.

They supports various cultural initiatives, socially involved projects and entertainment activities. Along the same lines the Fédé also supports students' associations created for and by students developing unique initiatives based on collective interests.

Each faculty also has several students' associations. Ask fellow students or the Fédé:

#### Maison de la Fédé

☎ +332 4 366 31 99

✉ info@fedé-uliege.be

📌 [www.fede-uliege.be](http://www.fede-uliege.be)

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### ESN-ULIÈGE

**Erasmus Student Network (ESN)** is an international network of students' associations in over 40 countries in Europe. The ESN-ULiège is a dynamic team consisting of students from the various faculties of the University of Liège.

This association makes it possible for Erasmus students to fit into local life through cultural and festive events organised all through the city. It also offers Erasmus students the possibility to go and visit several cities in Belgium and Europe and for very special rates.

✉ esn@uliege.be

📌 [www.esnuliege.be](http://www.esnuliege.be)

📘📷 ESN ULiège-Erasmus Student Network

There is also the ESN HEC for Erasmus students at HEC Liège.

📘📷 ESN HEC Liège



## 6. 48 FM - THE STUDENTS' RADIO

"48 FM" (a name inspired by the former "48" bus line to Sart Tilman) is a student radio in the heart of the city.

Broadcast on 100.1 FM, DAB+ and streaming, the radio station currently relies on a team of more than 100 volunteers (presenters, journalists, technicians, etc.).

48 FM is constantly welcoming new participants. You will be able to try your hand at audiovisual practice, meet other students and share the themes that fascinate you.

Don't speak French yet? No problem, foreign language content is welcome. You are also free to develop a project at your own pace.

Consider joining the 48 FM team!



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info@48fm.com

[www.48fm.com](http://www.48fm.com)

[48fm.radio](#)

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## 7. BANK ACCOUNT

If you choose to open a bank account in Belgium this should be done as soon as possible upon your arrival. Banks usually require the following documents:

- a passport or identity card
- an address in Liège and in your home country (official document)
- a certificate from the International Office of ULiège
- residence certificate for students from countries outside the EU

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You may be able to open an online bank account before your arrival via online banks such as Nickel, Wise, Revolut, N26, etc.



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## 8. MOBILE PHONES

There are 3 main competing networks for mobile phones in Belgium:

- **Orange** : [www.orange.be](http://www.orange.be)
- **Proximus** : [www.proximus.be](http://www.proximus.be)
- **Base** : [www.base.be](http://www.base.be)

Check which one is best for your needs.





## 9. TRANSPORTATION

All the information you need to get to and around the ULiège campuses is available on [my.mobility.uliege.be](https://my.mobility.uliege.be) (advice on walking and cycling routes, the best bus routes, the location of secure cycle parks, etc.).

### BUS AND TRAM

**TEC** (Transports En Commun) is the name of the local bus and tram company. It offers an extended and modern network.

The main bus lines to the Sart Tilman are 2, 3 and 8. The journey to the campus takes about 30 minutes.

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At the TEC offices, you can buy:

- ticket: 2,70€ (on the bus) 2,20€ (via MOBIB card)
- Daily ticket: 4,40€
- MOBIB card: 5€
- 8 journeys card: 9,40€ (via MOBIB card and 9,70€ without MOBIB card)
- seasons tickets (via MOBIBcard): 38,20€/month and 332,30€/year. For students under 25, the rate is 12€/year (+ MOBIB card)

 [www.letec.be](https://www.letec.be)

### RAILWAY

**SNCB** (the Belgian Railway Company) offers various cut-price formulas to travel in Belgium and Europe. You can find more information on their website or at the train station.

**Youth Multi (Go Pass 10):** If you are under 26, it entitles you to ten 2nd class single journeys for only 64€ (62€ with the App). It has a validity of 1 year and can be used by several persons. There is also the Youth Ticket (Go Pass 1) for one journey: 7,70€.

**Standard Multi (Rail Pass):** Similar to Youth Multi (Go Pass 10), but without age limit and for 105€ (102€ with the App).

The SNCB is going to change its fare offer before the end of 2025. Don't hesitate to check the website for the latest offers and fares.

 [www.belgiantrain.be](https://www.belgiantrain.be)

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### ON FOOT OR CYCLING

Pedestrian maps with estimated journey times between ULiège sites are available.

The cities of Liège and Gembloux offer long-term bicycle hire at democratic prices. Secure parking and showers are available on most ULiège campuses.

 [my.mobility.uliege](https://my.mobility.uliege)



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PRACTICAL TIPS

# 1. LIÈGE

## THE CITY OF LIÈGE

Liege is the largest city in the French-speaking part of Belgium. Located in the eastern region of the country, it sits on the Meuse river. This folkloric, historic and multifaced city invites you to discover one of its many neighbourhoods which are more like small villages. On Sunday morning, stroll through "La Batte", the longest running, open-air market in Europe, set up along the riverbanks.

### Some interesting websites:

[www.visitezliege.be](http://www.visitezliege.be)  
[www.liege.be](http://www.liege.be)  
[www.escapades.be](http://www.escapades.be)  
[visitwallonia.be](http://visitwallonia.be)

## VISIT THE PROVINCE OF LIÈGE

At the crossroads between The Netherlands, Germany and Flanders (the Dutch-speaking part of Belgium), the Province of Liege is easily accessible by all modes of transportation, including a high-speed rail station and an airport.

Throughout the year, but particularly when the sun is shining, you can enjoy a variety of walks and hikes. In addition to a large network of paths and trails, exclusively dedicated to walkers and cyclists (RAVeL), you can explore over 5,000 km of signposted walks (see <https://ravel.wallonie.be/home.html>)!

Many cultural events are also hosted each year, such as the International Festival of Crime Movie (Film Policier), and a number of music festivals. Popular gatherings include, Retrouvailles (with over 300 associations in all fields from sports to politics and from drama to healthcare presenting their activities), the "Fêtes de Wallonie", and the funfair in October ("Foire d'octobre"). Night life is in itself an attraction, with dozens and dozens of cafés and restaurants, cinemas, concerts and performances that make Liège a very lively city.

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## GETTING AROUND LIÈGE

### BY TRAIN

Liège is accessible by train mainly from the Guillemins Railway Station, from where a regular bus and tram service takes you to the town centre and to the Sart Tilman campus.

📌 [www.belgiantrain.be](http://www.belgiantrain.be)

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### BY PLANE

Brussels Airport (Zaventem) is located near Brussels. It is possible to travel by rail from Brussels to Liège-Guillemins (Luik-Guillemins).

📌 [www.brusselsairport.be](http://www.brusselsairport.be)

From Brussels South Charleroi Airport you can take busses, coaches and trains leaving from Charleroi (the station is 7 km away from the airport and there is a shuttle).

📌 [www.brussels-charleroi-airport.com](http://www.brussels-charleroi-airport.com)

Liège Airport, also called Liège-Bierset, is located in the North-West of the city of Liège. From the airport, you can take a shuttle or a bus (53, 57) to reach the city centre of Liège.

📌 [www.liegeairport.com](http://www.liegeairport.com)





## ACCOMMODATION

Before looking for accommodation, be sure to check where your faculty is located. There are 3 faculties in the city centre: the Faculty of Philosophy and Letters, HEC-École de Gestion and the Faculty of Architecture. The other faculties are located on the Sart Tilman campus which is accessible by bus (see map).

## ACCOMMODATION

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## PRIVATE ACCOMMODATION

In Liège, a student's bedsit is called a "kot". It's an individual room, generally furnished and rented out by the landlord. Usually there are several kots in the same building. Students share facilities such as toilets, bathroom and kitchen. A room can also be located in a landlord's house, with shared facilities. Students can also choose fully independent lodgings (studios, flats, or even houses). The price for a furnished kot is around 400€/month, additional costs not included.

A private accommodation database maintained by the University of Liège is available on

 [www.campus.uliege.be/kot](http://www.campus.uliege.be/kot)

### Useful websites addresses for private accommodation

[www.kotaliege.be](http://www.kotaliege.be)

[www.student.be](http://www.student.be)

[www.skot.be/kot-liege](http://www.skot.be/kot-liege)

[www.appartager.be](http://www.appartager.be)

[www.immovmi.be/fr](http://www.immovmi.be/fr)

[www.kothouse.be](http://www.kothouse.be)

[www.vivastreet.be](http://www.vivastreet.be)

[www.greatkot.be](http://www.greatkot.be)

[www.airbnb.be](http://www.airbnb.be)

[www.ikot.be](http://www.ikot.be)

It is important to note that the price can be presented in two different ways: either it only includes the rent, or it includes rent and all or part of the utility charges. To ensure a good quality of accommodation and that you have time to compare prices, it is preferable to arrive in Liège one or two weeks before the start of the academic year. It's better to wait until you have arrived before making your choice. Please note! It's advisable not to pay for accommodation before you've seen it in person, to be sure you're not dealing with a scam. Be very careful, and read the rental agreement carefully, especially for duration of the rent. If you are planning to rent out your property on a sublet basis, make sure your lease allows for this. A jurist from "Consulex" can help and advise you for free. Contact the International Office for more information.

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## ACCOMMODATION IN A PRIVATE RESIDENCE

The University of Liège does not have a student residence, and students wishing this type of accommodation must look to private companies. One private residence is located on the Sart Tilman campus 📌 [www.kotaliege.be/en/residences/ukot](http://www.kotaliege.be/en/residences/ukot)

### The other residences are in the city centre:

[www.luniliege.be](http://www.luniliege.be)

[www.studenthouse-liege.be](http://www.studenthouse-liege.be)

[www.generation-campus.be](http://www.generation-campus.be)

[www.studentstation.be](http://www.studentstation.be)

[www.studentstation.be](http://www.studentstation.be)

[www.chickandkot.be](http://www.chickandkot.be)

[www.erasmust.eu](http://www.erasmust.eu)

[www.te-cum.be](http://www.te-cum.be)

## YOUTH HOSTEL

If you should arrive in Liège without accommodation, we advise you to spend the first few nights at the Youth Hostel of Liège.

All students registering at ULiège are full right members (reduced rates -10%).

Every year the Youth Hostel offers some free nights (minimum 2 months) to a few exchange students for a couple of hours work. If you are interested, please mention this when you write to them.

### Youth Hostel

☎ +32 4 344 56 89

liege@laj.be

📌 [www.lesaubergesdejeunesse.be/liege](http://www.lesaubergesdejeunesse.be/liege)

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## UNIVERSITY RESTAURANTS

On the Sart Tilman campus two university restaurants provide a self service system (Agora restaurant and Veterinary Medicine restaurant) with hot meals, cold dishes, salads and desserts during lunch time. A local menu is also proposed once a week in both self-service restaurants.

Cafeterias have hot and cold drinks, snacks, sandwiches, soups, and some simple dishes. You will also find salads in jars and a pizza corner with homemade pizzas and hamburgers.

The cafeterias have limited opening times during examination periods and breaks.

 [www.campus.uliege.be/restaurants](http://www.campus.uliege.be/restaurants)

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## PRESSES UNIVERSITAIRES DE LIÈGE (LIÈGE UNIVERSITY PRESS)

In close collaboration with the academic staff, the University Press sell textbooks (syllabus) as well as provide the required readings to the students at prices that defy any competition. So, 2 stores are available:

### **University Press Shop, located in the Sart Tilman Campus (building B8).**

- purchase of syllabus and books
- access to copy machines (black/white and colours (copies for 0,025€)
- binding systems (spiral and self-adhesive strip), stapling and perforation (2 or 4 holes)
- 3 new self-service computers connected to the printers
- three self-service computers connected to the printers
- printing via USB (pdf), PC and laptop
- free scanner
- Wifi
- stationery section

☎ +32 4 366 33 69  
TheHuy.Nguyen@uliege.be

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### **L'Espace ULiège Opéra, located in the city centre (building O3)**

In addition to the services offered in the Sart Tilman, it is also possible to:

- taste different sorts of coffees, softs and snacks
- participate to various kind of events: exhibitions, conferences, concerts, debates...

☎ +32 4 366 32 93  
Thierry.Mozdziej@uliege.be

📌 [www.presses.uliege.be](http://www.presses.uliege.be)

📘 presses.universitaires

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## COMPUTER ROOMS

The University of Liège provides students with computers equipped with Internet software in more than 50 computer rooms offering all together more than 650 computers across campus.

The list of these rooms can be found at 📌 [www.campus.uliege.be/salles-informatiques](http://www.campus.uliege.be/salles-informatiques)

In order to have access to these computers you will need a login and a password which you will receive on the day of your registration.

Moreover, the whole campus has WIFI access!

## HEALTH CARE

If you wish to see a doctor check <https://ordomedic.be> or call ☎ +32 2 524 98 89 and ask for a General Practitioner ("médecin généraliste").

If you are looking for a GP who speaks English, do not hesitate to ask the International Office. After 7 p.m. and over the weekends or holidays a doctor on duty can be called at any time and without prior appointment (call 100).

Students who live in Liège can go to the medical house (Maison de Garde Médicale), from Friday 7 p.m. to Monday 8 a.m. (from 9 p.m., make a phone call to make an appointment).

Quai Van Beneden, 25  
4020 Liège

☎ +32 4 341 33 33

📍 **Map of Liège city centre ②**

Any student registered at the ULiège and with a Belgian Health Mutual Insurance ("mutualité") is entitled to a ULiège rate with specialists (except dentists and plastic surgery) and emergency at "Centre Hospitalier Universitaire" of Sart Tilman.

You have to show your ULiège student card when you register at the main desk of the hospital then, the fee you will have paid will be repaid by your insurance (mutuelle) in Belgium. This does not apply to such medical acts as blood samples, scan tests, etc.

Make sure you mention your ULiège ID ("matricule ULiège") when you make the appointment.

☎ +32 4 323 23 23

📌 [www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-health](http://www.international.uliege.be/en/erasmus-in-health)

📍 **Map of Sart Tilman**

**Family planning** services (gynaecological consultation, emotional and sexual life...) are also accessible for moderate fees; SIPS (Service d'Information Psycho Sexuelle), for instance, works in partnership with ULiège.

☎ +32 4 223 62 82

📌 [www.sips.be](http://www.sips.be)

📍 **Map of Liège city centre ⑥**

**In case of emergency** (accidents, disturbing pain...),  
go immediately to an emergency unit in a hospital.

**Useful numbers:**

**European emergency number**  
**(ambulances, fireman, police) ☎ 112**

**Poison control Centre ☎ +32 70 245 245**

**Pharmacy on duty ☎ +32 903 99 000**

**Emergencies at ULiège ☎ +32 4 366 44 44**

## SPORTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

### SPORTS

Are you interested in exploring new sporting activities? ULiège Sports offers an impressive list of more than 60 different disciplines at attractive student rates.

Most of the activities take place on the university campus at the Sart Tilman sports centres, providing an ideal location for practicing sport and meeting other students. But that's not all! **From 29 September to 4 October, you can try most of our sports for free!** It's a great opportunity to discover new activities and find the one that suits you best.

After this free trial week, don't miss our **Sports Fair** (Saturday 27 September 2025 at the amphitheatres de l'Europe - B4) where you will be able to get all the information you need and sign up for activities. Whether you are a beginner or more experienced, join us for an unforgettable sports experience!

Learn all about the sports programme on our website, or in the brochure available at the office on the Sart Tilman campus or at the International Office.

#### ULiège Sports

Bâtiment B2b, Quartier Village, 2  
Rue de l'Aunaie, 22  
4000 Liège, Sart Tilman

☎ +32 4 366 39 34

✉ [sports@uliege.be](mailto:sports@uliege.be)

📌 [www.sports.uliege.be](http://www.sports.uliege.be)

📘📷 ULiège Sports

📍 **Map of Sart Tilman**



## CULTURAL ACTIVITIES: SO MUCH TO DISCOVER!

The University constantly has interesting events on offer! Festivals, concerts, exhibitions, films, encounters with artists or writers, theatre performances, improv shows, photo workshops, lectures, scientific activities, social discussions...

Culture is for everyone! Enjoy!

The museum and cultural centre of ULiège invites you to discover its museums all year long and opens its scientific collections during specific events. We have a lot to surprise you! Want a sneakpeak? Watch the videos on [www.musees.uliege.be/videos](http://www.musees.uliege.be/videos)

ULiège has negotiated occasional or permanent "student rates" for cultural events throughout the year: theater, opera, cinema: theater, opera, cinema, circus, dance, VR, concerts...

Find all offers on the website [my.culture.uliege.be](http://my.culture.uliege.be) and in the Tuesday morning "Agenda ULiège" newsletter.

Note that a special student rate is available for all events or exhibits at many institutions in the city. The Theatre de Liege, the Opera and the Gringnoux cinema offer deals for young people. City's museums are free until the age of 26.

 [www.campus.uliege.be/culture](http://www.campus.uliege.be/culture)  
[www.musees.uliege.be](http://www.musees.uliege.be)

Exchange students also benefit from extra advantages which are reserved for them. The International Office and the ESN-ULiège will inform you in due course.

 **Map of Liège city centre** [1](#) [2](#) [3](#) [4](#) [5](#) [6](#) [7](#) [8](#) [9](#) [10](#) [11](#) [12](#)



## 2. GEMBLoux

### THE CITY OF GEMBLoux

Located in the centre of Belgium near cities such as Namur (20 km), Charleroi (30 km), Bruxelles (45 km) and Liège (70 km), Gembloux is a town of 26,000 inhabitants on major motorways and direct railway lines.

The Faculty, surrounded by a beautiful park and classified historical buildings belonging to a former abbey, combines centuries of tradition with forward-looking vision, thus offering an exceptionally unique academic environment on a majestic 40 acres wooded campus.

### GETTING AROUND GEMBLoux

Information about how to get to the Faculty of Gembloux Agro-Bio Tech (GxABT) can be found at 📌 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/plans](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/plans)

### ACCOMMODATION

For information about accommodation in Gembloux, look on this website

📌 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/logement](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/logement)

The average rent (utility charges included) is around 370€/month for a room.

### UNIVERSITY RESTAURANTS

There are a number of places to eat on campus or in town.

📌 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/se-restaurer](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/se-restaurer)

### HEALTH CARE

All health issues are dealt with on

📌 [www.gembloux.be/ma-commune/informations-utiles/sante](http://www.gembloux.be/ma-commune/informations-utiles/sante)



## COMPUTER ROOMS

Nearly 100 computers are accessible according to a very large schedule. Each computer is equipped with all the business software needed for the students' work.

This equipment, Internet access and the main scientific software enable the processing of research results or the preparation of experience and internship reports.

A student website offers distance learning, online information and support, supplementary exercises, preparation of questions, self-assessments, advice on working methods, etc. You also have the possibility to contact the assistants by email. More than 200 Wi-Fi terminals spread over the campus also offer Internet access.

### **SIG - Service informatique**

Passage des Déportés, 2 - 5030 Gembloux

Opening hours: from Monday to Friday from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. and on Saturday from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m.

 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/sig](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/sig)

## SPORTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES

The Faculty's sports association (ASAG asbl) has 25 sports on offer at affordable rates.

 <http://asag.be>

Next to the training programmes offered by the Faculty, Gembloux provides a host of cultural initiatives, an ideal complement that contributes to our students' well-being. Check out one of the numerous concerts, including the famous Wallygat Rock Festival organised by the students' association, theatre performances, film sessions.

ATRIUM57, Centre culturel de Gembloux is also a major player in the local cultural life. Thanks to its stimulating programme students can attend performances, screenings, exhibitions, and all sorts of associative projects.

 [www.atrium57.be](http://www.atrium57.be)

## STUDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

Various associations are located on the Gembloux campus

 [www.gembloux.uliege.be/campus/associations](http://www.gembloux.uliege.be/campus/associations)

One of the associations more specifically concerns the international public: the Cercle international des étudiants (CIE). This association is open to all Gembloux students and teaching staff.

[cie.gembloux@uliege.be](mailto:cie.gembloux@uliege.be)  
[facebook.com/cie.gembloux](https://facebook.com/cie.gembloux)

## 3. ARLON

### THE CITY OF ARLON

Arlon is a city of 30 000 citizens in the south of Belgium with 3 campuses dedicated to higher education. Situated in the frontiers of France and Luxembourg, it maintains permanent relationships with other European countries.

Two thousand years of history have left Arlon with a prestigious heritage. Its Gallo-Roman origins are nicely displayed in the Archeological Museum that attracts every year many international tourists. The shops, parks, cafés and brasseries in the pedestrian area allow pleasant walks in the city centre.

The leisure centres (sports, cinema, culture...) provide a wide offer of sports and culture.

 [www.arlon.be](http://www.arlon.be)

### GETTING AROUND ARLON

Access to the Department of Environmental Science and Management  
Avenue de Longwy, 185  
6700 Arlon

 [www.campusarlon.uliege.be](http://www.campusarlon.uliege.be)

### ACCOMMODATION

University and private accommodation

 [www.campus.uliege.be/en/accommodation-arlon](http://www.campus.uliege.be/en/accommodation-arlon)

### CATERING

There is no university restaurant but you can warm up dishes at the cafeteria.

A supermarket and an affordable restaurant are very closed to the university. Other restaurants are also available in the city centre.

### STUDENTS' ASSOCIATIONS

Student activities are organised throughout the year. You can join the Facebook group of "Cercle des Étudiants en Environnement du Campus d'Arlon" (CEECA) and also the non-profit organization "Arlon Ville Etudiante" (AVE) to follow their events.

 [www.campusarlon.uliege.be/associations-etudiantes](http://www.campusarlon.uliege.be/associations-etudiantes)

## HEALTH CARE

General practitioner 📍 [www.myconsultation.be/medecin-generaliste/aron](http://www.myconsultation.be/medecin-generaliste/aron)

Dentist 📍 [www.myconsultation.be/dentiste/aron](http://www.myconsultation.be/dentiste/aron)

Duty medical post 📞 1733 (from Friday 8 p.m. to Monday 8 a.m.)

Hospital consultation 📍 [www.vivalia.be/prestataires](http://www.vivalia.be/prestataires)

Emergencies 📍 [www.vivalia.be/page/en-cas-d-urgence](http://www.vivalia.be/page/en-cas-d-urgence)



# SOME USEFUL NUMBERS

## European emergency

☎ 112

## Firemen and ambulances

☎ 100

## Police

☎ 101 (urgences)

## Card-stop (24h/24)

☎ +32 78 170 170

## ULiège emergency (24h/24)

☎ +32 4 366 44 44

## International Office at ULiège

Place du 20-Août, 7 (Bât. A1)  
4000 Liège - Belgique

## Study period

☎ +32 4 366 55 47

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## Departmental coordinators

See the Acceptance Letter

