

Based on Article 137, paragraph (4) of the Law on Higher Education (Official Gazette of the Republic of Macedonia No. 82/2018 and Official Gazette of the Republic of North Macedonia No. 178/2021 and No. 58/2024), the Decision of the University Senate on the adoption of the Elaboration for the one-year short vocational study program: Macedonian Language for Foreigners, within the first cycle of studies at the Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" in Skopje No. 02-1309/9 dated 27.12.2024, and the Decision of the University Senate on the adoption of the Elaboration for the one-year short vocational study program: English Language for Foreign Students, within the first cycle of studies at the Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" in Skopje No. 02-1309/10 dated 27.12.2024, the "Ss. Cyril and Methodius" University in Skopje announces the following

A N N O U N C E M E N T

**for the enrollment of students/foreign nationals in short vocational study programs for language learning within the first cycle of studies
at the Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" – Skopje
at the "Ss. Cyril and Methodius" University in Skopje
in the academic year 2025/2026**

I. The Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" – Skopje organizes two short vocational study programs for language learning, as follows:

1. One-year short vocational study program: *Macedonian Language for Foreigners*, within the first cycle of studies;
2. One-year short vocational study program: *English Language for Foreign Students*, within the first cycle of studies.

II. Description of the Short Vocational Study Programs

**One-Year Short Vocational Study Program: Macedonian Language for Foreigners
(within the first cycle of studies)**

1. **Faculty/Organizer:** Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski", Skopje
2. **Type and Cycle of Studies:** One-year short vocational study program within the first cycle of studies for language learning
3. **ECTS Credits/Semester:** Total of 60 ECTS credits (30 ECTS credits for the winter semester / 30 ECTS credits for the summer semester)
4. **Language of Instruction:** Macedonian
5. **Qualification Obtained Upon Completion:** Certificate of Completed Short Vocational Study Program: Macedonian Language for Foreigners

**One-Year Short Vocational Study Program: English Language for Foreign Students
(within the first cycle of studies)**

1. **Faculty/Organizer:** Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski", Skopje
2. **Type and Cycle of Studies:** One-year short vocational study program within the first cycle of studies for language learning
3. **ECTS Credits/Semester:** Total of 60 ECTS credits (30 ECTS credits for the winter semester / 30 ECTS credits for the summer semester)
4. **Language of Instruction:** English
5. **Qualification Obtained Upon Completion:** Certificate of Completed Short Vocational Study Program: English Language for Foreign Students

III. Required Documents for Application and Enrollment

1. Application form (Form A1 available at the Faculty bookstore)
2. High school diploma (copy of the original and a translated copy)
3. Birth certificate (copy of the original and a translated copy)
4. Proof of citizenship (copy of the original and a translated copy)
5. Index and student ID card
6. Three photographs (two sized 3.5 x 4.5 cm and one 2 x 3 cm)
7. Enrollment forms (for semester registration and statistical sheet, available at the Faculty bookstore)
8. Proof of payment of 25,000 MKD per semester to the account of UKIM:
 - o Payment account: 100000000063095
 - o Depositor: NBRNM (National Bank of the Republic of North Macedonia) with the budget beneficiary account: 1600103689 788 18
 - o Revenue code: 723012
 - o Program: 41
9. Study agreement with the Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" (to be collected from the Faculty on the enrollment day)

IV. Application and Enrollment Deadline

The deadline for application and enrollment is **October 17, 2025**.

Students must submit all required documents to the Student Services Office of the Faculty of Philology "Blazhe Koneski" in Skopje until **October 17, 2025**.

General Information about the Short Vocational Study Program

- Classes in the short vocational programs are conducted in two semesters: winter and summer.
- Duration of the winter semester: **October 17, 2025 – January 12, 2026**
- Duration of the summer semester: **February 16, 2026 – May 30, 2026**
- Upon completion of both semesters, each enrolled student must take a **final exam** to receive a Certificate.

Exam Regulations:

- Each student has the right to take the exam **up to three times**. Exam dates are scheduled in agreement with the instructor as follows:
 - First attempt: **last week of May**
 - Second attempt: **first week of September**
 - Third attempt: **first week of October**
- To receive a Certificate, the student must earn **at least 50% of the total points**. The Certificate will specify the level completed and mastered by the student.
- If the student does not earn the minimum score on the first attempt in May, they may retake the exam in September. If they still do not pass, they may take it once more in October.
- If the student fails to earn the minimum score in October, they **no longer have the right** to take the exam.
- A student who successfully completes the designated language level has the right to **enroll in the next level** in the following academic year.