Requirements for scholarship applications for fulltime studies at Bachelor's, Master's and Doctoral degree levels in public Higher educational institutions in the Republic of Bulgaria for the 2025/2026 academic year.

The **deadline** for submission of original application and required documents on paper at the Embassy of Bulgaria is **September 1st, 2025** – the postal address of the Embassy of Bulgaria is: 102-8 Hannam-daero, Yongsan-gu, Seoul 04418.

Enquiries, related to the submission of the applications by the deadline indicated above can be emailed to Embassy.Seoul@mfa.bg.

All candidates are required to select and indicate clearly in their applications forms (attached) the preferred Higher educational institution/s and major/s. It is *preferable* to consider applying to more than one university. Information on the Bulgarian Higher educational institutions and their ranking is available at https://rvu.nacid.bg/home and https://rvu.nacid.bg/home and https://rvu.nacid.bg/home and

List of required documents:

- 1. A completed application form or a letter of application containing a brief CV and specifying the Higher educational institutions and the majors applied for (attached form).
- 2. A High school diploma a copy of the document for completed secondary education including a supplement specifying the period of attendance and the grades in different subjects (applicable to Korean citizens applying for full time undergraduate study programs).
- 3. A Certificate, issued by a competent body certifying the applicant's eligibility to continue their studies in Higher educational institutions in the country in which they have completed their secondary education.
- 4. A University diploma a copy of the diploma for completed higher education bachelor's or master's degree (applicable to Korean citizens applying for post-graduate studies / higher educational degree).

- 5. Transcript of Records an up-to-date record of the students' progress in their studies: the educational component that they have studied (applicable to Korean citizens applying for part-time study).
- 6. A language proficiency certificate issued by a Higher educational institution in Bulgaria (applicable to Korean citizens who are not going to study Bulgarian or have a specialized language training).
- 7. A medical certificate, issued within a month before the application is submitted. The certificate has to be validated (legalized) by the respective authorities of the applicant's country of origin.
- 8. Valid passport copy.
- 9. Two passport size photos.

The documents under points 2, 3, 4, 5 and 7 must be officially translated into Bulgarian language and legalized, according to the standard procedure for legalization of official papers (Apostille).

Following the application deadline, all applications will be provided to the respective Bulgarian Higher educational institutions for consideration – the decisions of the abovementioned institutions are final and are not to be subjected to appeals.

The approved candidates will be exempt from tuition fees and provided with free of charge specialized language training before the beginning of their professional education (if required), as well as accommodation and scholarships in accordance with the relevant provisions of the Arrangement on cooperation in the fields of education and culture between the Government of the Republic of Bulgaria and the Government of the Republic of Korea, signed on March 30th, 2022.

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