



FACT SHEET 2023-24

UNIVERSITAT ABAT OLIBA CEU, BARCELONA, SPAIN

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FALL & SPRING SEMESTER DATES

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Nomination deadline	May, 1st	November, 1st
Application deadline	May, 15 th	November, 15 th
Orientation sessions	September 7th	January 30th
Classes	September 12th - December 22nd	February 5th - May 15th
Final exams	January 8th-25th	May 22th – June 7th
Retake exams	February 12th – 23th	June 25th -July 8 th



NOMINATION

Students must be nominated by their Home University to: internacional@uao.es

Please provide the following information: name of the student, surname, email, degree and period of mobility (fall/spring/full year).

APPLICATION

The application is an online process and students will receive the instructions to complete it after receiving a nomination from the Sending Institution. The home institution will also receive the first message with instructions via cc.

Check list for a complete application:

Learning Agreement

For non-native speakers: Spanish and/or English language certificate of a B2 (upper-intermediate) or superior level, depending on the language of instruction chosen by the student. Both official certificates and recommendation letters issued by the home university will be accepted.

Transcript of Records in English or Spanish

Copy of first page of Passport (non-EU students) or Identity Document (EU students)

Copy of a private international health insurance or European Health Insurance Card covering the entire period of the mobility

Photograph

ACADEMIC OFFER: Undergraduate / Bachelor level

COURSE INFORMATION	http://www.uaoceu.es/en/studies?tipos_estudio=30
LANGUAGES OF INSTRUCTION	Spanish / Catalan for some courses / Spanish & English for Bilingual Degrees
LANGUAGE COURSES OFFERED	Spanish (A1, A2, B1 - elementary & intermediate level) and Catalan (A2, B1- elementary & intermediate level) free courses, 2x2h per week. Each course if completed is worth 6 ECTS credits. +info and language courses: https://sway.office.com/ZEvilmdOy0HAYNLI?ref=email&loc=play



APPROXIMATE EXPENSES PER MONTH IN EUROS

Accommodation	400€ - 600€
Food	350€
Public Transport	50€
Others	100-200€

Students have access to a canteen with meals at affordable prices and complete facilities to warm up their packed lunches.

ACCOMMODATION

In Barcelona, sharing a flat seems to be the most common choice among local and international students. The UAO CEU collaborates with **Barcelona Centre Universitari (BCU)**, the biggest reservation center in the city offering various types of accommodation (rooms in shared flats, student residences, hosting families).

<https://bcu.cat/en/accommodation-in-barcelona/>

Accommodation guidance contact: info@bcu.cat

Please feel free to check out also the following websites of our other partners:

www.citylifebarcelona.com

www.vivebarcelona.com

www.uniplaces.com

www.habitatgejove.com/webv2c/en

<https://erasmusu.com>

If you are interested in staying in a student residence an option can be **RESA Campus la Salle** located within a 10 minutes walking distance to the UAO CEU:

www.resa.es/es/residencias/barcelona/residencia-universitaria-campus-la-salle/residencia

Another alternative is to look for a flat or a shared flat on your own, using websites such as www.idealista.com, www.spotahome.com or www.badi.com



Please bear in mind that looking for accommodation on your own requires certain caution and students choosing this option do so on their own responsibility. It is not recommended to pay a deposit or any other fee until the flat can be visited.

PUBLIC TRANSPORT:

Using public transport in Barcelona is very easy and recommendable. In addition, special discount for young people under 30 is available getting the **T-Jove** card, a card valid for 3 months for 40€.

+info: <https://www.tmb.cat/en/barcelona-fares-metro-bus/single-and-integrated/t-jove>

ASSESSMENT AND GRADING SYSTEM

1) Assessment system:

The assessment system used at the Abat Oliba CEU University is based on the idea that students are evaluated throughout, and not only at the very end of the academic term (Continuous Assessment).

According to the university's continuous assessment system, the final exam grade must not count for more than 50% of the final course grade, which means that assignments, workshops, seminars and other activities undertaken throughout the semester must count for at least 50% of the course final grade.

2) Grading system:

Following the Spanish grading system, students at the Abat Oliba CEU University are assessed using a 10-point grading scale, with 10 being the highest and 0 being the lowest grade.

9-10 points	Outstanding ("Sobresaliente")
7-8.9 points	Remarkable ("Notable")
5-6.9 points	Pass ("Aprobado")
0-4.9 points	Failed ("Suspenso")

3) Class attendance:

According to the Abat Oliba CEU University regulations, students are compelled to attend all classes, seminars and workshops, with a maximum of 20 % of absences.

Additional absences will result in a reduction of 0.5 point for each extra absence from the continuous assessment grade.