**Rules of central linguistic verification for students/Phd candidates who have been successfully qualified by faculties/doctoral shool in the basic and additional qualification for studies (SMS) and/or placement (SMP) in the academic year 2021/2022 in Erasmus+ 2021-2027, Key Action 1 - Learning Mobility: Programme Countries**

1. Language verification is conducted by the International Office (IO) in cooperation with the Academic Language Centre as the unit responsible for the preparing and verification of placement tests. The verification concerns 5 languages: English, German, French, Spanish, and Italian. If the studies (SMS) and/or practice (SMP) are carried out in another language, the conditions for exemptions from the placement test must be fulfilled.
2. The placement test will include single-choice tasks within the following components: **reading**, **grammar**, **listening**. The expected time to solve the test will be approx. 1. 5 hours.
3. Missing the language placement test means withdrawal from Erasmus+ mobility.
4. Exempted from the language placement test are students:

- who have a **language certificate** (list of certificates in the attachment below), proving language proficiency at least at the level B1 according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) - a scan of the certificate has to be attached into DreamApply account,

- who have **a diploma in philology/linguistics related to a foreign language** that the student has been qualified with - a scan of the diploma has to be attached into DreamApply account,

- who **passed the placement test** during the previous qualification(s) - a scan of the statement has to be attached into the DreamApply system and the result has to be confirmed by IO (template of the statement– to be downloaded below)

- who have already completed Erasmus+ mobility and obtained at least level B1 in the OLS (Online Linguistic Support) test - a scan of the OLS result has to be attached into DreamApply account

- **students of philological studies/ studies related to a foreign language on Bachelor level (undergraduate degree)** - a scan of a statement confirmed by their home faculty that the student obtained at least level **B1 in the exam on practical knowledge of a given language** or **passed courses covering practical knowledge of a given language at least on level B1** (template of the statement – to be downloaded below)

1. Testing by Academic Language Centre is carried out **remotely/online**.
2. The tests are conducted in three language verification rounds. The verification round is conducted in a given schedule which refers to particular version of the test (basic and/or resit) and which specifies when the tests are available for participants to complete (after this date the possibility of completing the test is blocked). Detailed schedule for conducting placement tests in a given version (basic/resit) is as follows:

* 1st language verification round, test in basic version for students who took part in the first qualification – **29.03.2021-02.04.2021**
* 2nd language verification round, test in basic version for students who took part in the 2nd qualification and resit test version for students who took part in the 1st qualification and failed during the 1st language verification round – **14.06.2021-20.06.2021**
* 3rd language verification round, resit test version for students who took part in the 2nd qualification and failed during the 2nd language verification round – **06.09.2021-12.06.2021.**

1. Students who took part in **the** **1st qualification** and **did not achieve** at least level B1 in the placement test have the right to retake the test during the **2nd language verification round**. The resit test version will consist of 100% new tasks referring to the basic version.
2. Students who took part in **the second qualification** and **did not achieve** at least level B1 in the placement test have the right to retake the test during the **3rd language verification** round. The resit test version will consist of 100% new tasks referring to the basic version.
3. **Until March 26**, students/Phd candidates qualified by the commission at the faculties/doctoral school for SMS/SMP mobility in the first qualification receives guidelines for taking the test in the **1st verification round**. Guidelines are related to logging in to the system/language questionnaire and technical requirements regarding the method of completing the test with the information regarding the conditions for exemption from taking the test. The information is provided by the contact persons for mobility for studies (SMS)/internship (SMP) in the International Office via the DreamApply system directed to the e-mail addresses indicated by students during the faculty qualification.
4. **Until April 13,** 2021 students/Phd candidates who took the placement test within the 1st language verification round receive information about the test result via the DreamApply system.
5. **Until June 11**, 2021 students/Phd candidates qualified by the commission at the faculties/doctoral school for SMS/SMP mobility in the 2ndqualification and students from the 1st qualification who did not obtain a positive test result receives guidelines for taking the test in the **2nd verification** round. Guidelines are related to logging into the system/language questionnaire and technical requirements regarding the method of completing the test and about the conditions exemption from taking the test. The information is provided by the contact persons for mobility for studies (SMS)/internship (SMP) in the International Office via the DreamApply system directed to the e-mail addresses indicated by students during the faculty qualification.
6. **Until July 30**, 2021 students/Phd candidates who took the placement test within the 2nd language verification round receive information about the test result via the DreamApply system.
7. **Until September 3**, 2021 persons qualified by SMS/SMP by the commission at the faculties/doctoral school in the additional/2nd qualification who did not obtain a positive test result receive guidelines for taking the test in the **3rd verification** round. Guidelines are related to logging into the system/language questionnaire and technical requirements regarding the method of completing the test and the conditions for exemption from taking the test. The information is provided by the contact persons for mobility for study(SMS)/internship (SMP) in the International Office via the DreamApply system directed to the e-mail addresses indicated by students during the faculty qualification.
8. **Until September 18**, 2021 students/Phd candidates who took the placement test within the 3rd language verification round receive information about the test result via the DreamApply system.