Valid language certificates for the application to TUMexchange

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- Internationally recognized language certificates (English: TOEFL, Cambridge, IELTS, TOEIC; French: DELF, DALF, TELC Français; Spanish: DELE, CELU). The chargeable language certificates will be accepted for internal TUMexchange application after the expiry of validity date.

- Language certificates from private language schools and (online) test centers.

- DAAD Language Certificate, offered by the TUM Language Center. Note: The maximum classification corresponds to C1. There is limited testing capacity. It is therefore essential to register early for a test appointment. Make sure that your overall level (A1-C1) is marked at the end of the test. DAAD language certificates acquired at other German universities are also accepted.

- Proof of a language course taken at TUM Language Center or at another German university, stating the achieved language level (A1 – C2) and the final grade.

- German High School Certificate which proofs that you studied English/French/Spanish/etc. for at least six consecutive years (final grade min. 7 points) will be classified as level B2.

- Enrollment in a study course in which the language of instruction is 100% English - proof of language of instruction has to be provided. In this case, the English level is classified as level C1.

- Proof that you were enrolled at least one year at a high school or a university where the respective language is the language of instruction (= level C1). Internships or Work&Travel stays, etc. do not count as a proof of language proficiency.

PLEASE NOTE: Bilingual or multilingual applicants must also demonstrate their language proficiency with a language certificate. Nationality of the country of the language of instruction does not automatically count as a C2 level.