

## **Information on the English for Science and Technology (EST) test within the PhD study entrance exam in the academic year 2026/2027**

1. **To successfully pass the entrance exam**, the prerequisite is to have the English language competence at **B2 level** at minimum. The written EST entrance test checks the writing skills and language elements related to the scientific field of the applicants, as listed below.
2. Based on the results of the entrance exam, EST training for the admitted PhD students will be provided on **B2-C1 levels** according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages.
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### **Requirements for the written EST entrance test**

#### **Writing skills**

Academic/professional correspondence,  
Writing CV, covering letter, job/grant/mobility application,  
Device/apparatus description  
Workplace description (organigram, tasks, projects)  
Process description  
Annotation of Master thesis or intended PhD research

#### **Language elements typical for related scientific field:**

Terminology in the field  
Language means typical for scientific text/register  
Compounds, prefixes, suffixes, word transformations  
Numerals, basic mathematical operations  
Tenses  
Syntax  
Active/passive constructions, gerund  
Comparative and superlative forms of adjectives  
Prepositional phrases, phrasal words  
Conditional sentences 1 and 2