



## FACT SHEET 2025-2026

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#### FALL & SPRING SEMESTER DATES

	Fall Semester	Spring Semester
Nomination deadline	May, 1st	November, 1st
Application deadline	May, 15 <sup>th</sup>	November, 15 <sup>th</sup>
Orientation sessions	September 5th	January 28th
Classes	September 15th - December 19th	February 2nd - May 13th
Final exams	January 8th-23th	May 18th – June 4th
Retake exams	February 9th – 20th	June 22th -July 6 <sup>th</sup>

#### NOMINATION

Students must be nominated by their Home University to: [internacional@uao.es](mailto: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

<b>COURSE INFORMATION</b>	<a href="http://www.uaoc.eu/en/studies?tipos_estudio=30">http://www.uaoc.eu/en/studies?tipos_estudio=30</a>
<b>LANGUAGES OF INSTRUCTION</b>	Spanish / Catalan for some courses / Spanish & English for Bilingual Degrees
<b>LANGUAGE COURSES OFFERED</b>	Spanish (A1, A2, B1 - elementary & intermediate level) and Catalan (A2 - elementary level) free courses, 2x1,15h per week. Each course if completed is worth 6 ECTS credits. +info and language courses: <a href="https://sway.office.com/ZEvilmdOyOHAYNLI?ref=email&amp;loc=play">https://sway.office.com/ZEvilmdOyOHAYNLI?ref=email&amp;loc=play</a>

### APPROXIMATE EXPENSES PER MONTH IN EUROS

<b>Accommodation</b>	400€ - 600€
<b>Food</b>	350€
<b>Public Transport</b>	50€
<b>Others</b>	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](mailto:info@bcu.cat)

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](http://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](http://www.idealista.com), [www.spotahome.com](http://www.spotahome.com) or [www.badi.com](http://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.