

Financial Support for Incoming Erasmus+ Students

Individual support (monthly scholarship)	Travel costs
The financial support corresponds to EUR 800,00 per month	The travel grant is intended to cover one return ticket from the city where the home university is located to Zaprrešić
Students with fewer opportunities may receive a top-up amount to the individual support of their EU Erasmus+ grant with an amount of 250 EUR per month*	The distance between cities is calculated using the European Commission's official Distance Calculator . According to the Erasmus+ programme rules, the distance is calculated as the straight-line distance between cities (as the crow flies) .
Students receive 80% of the payment for the entire period at the start of their exchange, within 2 weeks after signing the individual grant agreement, and 20% in the last month, after filling in the Erasmus+ mobility report .	The amount of the travel grant depends on the distance and is calculated based on the table below.
The full amount to be paid to the student will be set in the grant agreement and according to the dates / days spent on study exchange at the UAS Baltazar Zaprrešić.	In case of shorter distances to and from the host destination, students are encouraged to use low-emission options for travel (train, bus, bike, or car-pooling).
	If a student travels more then 50% of the journey using low-emission means of transport, the travel grant is higher: - Between 100 and 499 KM: 211 EUR / participant – standard travel; green travel – 285 EUR - Between 500 and 1.999 KM: 309 EUR – standard travel; green travel 417 EUR

* INCLUSION SUPPORT

A person with **fewer opportunities** is a potential participant whose personal, physical, mental or health-related conditions is such that his/her participation in the project / mobility action would not be possible without extra financial or other support.

In case of available funding the following student categories may apply for additional grant support (250 eur/month):

- Students of lower socioeconomic status

Description/proof of status: student is a recipient of the state social (financial) support

- Students who have a refugee status, asylum seekers or migrants

Description/proof of status: decision granting asylum or subsidiary protection, like residence permit. It is also important that with the above-mentioned status prove their identity, and this is possible with following documents: passport for an asylum seeker, special passport for aliens, other identification document(s).

- Students with inclusion support

Description/proof of status: Participants with physical, mental or health related conditions that require extra financial support to allow their participation in the mobility and for accompanying persons (including costs related to travel and subsistence, if justified and as long as it is not covered through budget categories "travel support" and "individual

support" for these participants).

- Due to war, students from Ukraine.

Description/proof of status: no proof required.

Real costs are financed - the request must be justified by the applicant and approved by the Croatian National Agency for Mobility and EU Programmes. Documents to be provided by student: family physician's or specialist doctor health certificate (original is mandatory, not older than 6 months) and the decision of the competent state institution/organization with the indicated degree (percentage) and type of person's impairment (copy/scan of the document is acceptable).

ERASMUS+ GRANT CALCULATION

For long-term Erasmus+ mobility, the grant is calculated **based on the duration of the mobility**.

- Each **full month** (30 days) is calculated as **800 EUR** (+ 250 EUR per month if the student is eligible for a top-up).
- If the mobility also includes **extra days** that do not make up a full month, these are calculated separately using the daily grant rate (800 EUR (+ 250 EUR if applicable) / 30 days).

Note: Students also receive funding for **2 travel days** (*one before and one after the mobility*).

If green travel is used, students may also be eligible for funding for **an additional 4 travel days** (up to six days in total).

The final amount of the Erasmus+ grant, calculated in accordance with all the rules, will be stated in the financial agreement signed between the participant and UAS Baltazar Zaprešić at the beginning of the mobility (during the first week).

TRAVEL GRANT

All students are entitled to travel support based on the distance to their destination. They may receive a higher amount of support if they use **green travel options**, such as trains, buses, bicycles, or carpooling.

The amount of travel support depends on the distance to the destination and whether a green travel option is used (see the table below).

Distance	Unit cost (includes the return journey!)	Green travel (includes the return journey!)
10 – 99 km	28 €	56 €
100 – 499 km	211 €	285 €
500 – 1 999 km	309 €	417 €
2 000 – 2 999 km	395 €	535 €
3 000 – 3 999 km	580 €	785 €
4 000 – 7 999 km	1188 €	1188 €
8 000 km ili više	1735 €	1735 €

Green travel is a travel in which low-emission means of transport are used for **most of the journey** (more than half of the total distance of the return trip, in kilometres). Low-emission means of transport includes:

- Train
- Bus
- Carpooling (sharing a vehicle)
- Bicycle

Note that the following is not a carpooling:

- Family members or friends drive the participant to the mobility destination solely for this purpose, with no other personal or professional reason for making the journey;
- Only one participant travels by car.

Examples of carpooling:

- Two or more participants travel together in one car to the mobility destination;
- The participant uses BlaBlaCar or other carpooling platforms;
- The participant travels with someone who is making the same journey for personal or professional reasons, independently of the participant's mobility.

Important note: All students who choose a **green travel** option must complete the **Green Travel Statement** and submit it to the International Cooperation Office, together with **supporting documents** confirming their travel method. These may include bus or train tickets, fuel receipts in the case of carpooling, or other relevant proof of travel.