



16 September 2019, Monday

08:30-09:00 Registration

09:00-09:10 Opening Remarks
Prof. Dr. Mustafa Verşan Kök, President

09:10-09:30 Introduction to METU
Prof. Dr. Ahmet Yozgatlıgil, Vice President & Erasmus+ Institutional Coordinator

09:30-10:00 Introduction to METU, ICO & ISO

10:00-10:15 Information about Orientation Program
International Cooperations Office (ICO) Staff

10:15-10:45 Coffee Break

10:45-11:15 Info Session: "Online Student Services at METU"
Computer Center Staff

11:15-11:30 Info Session: "How to Benefit from Medical Facilities at METU?"
Dr. İnci Pinar Öz Ulu, Medical Center

12:00-13:30 Lunch at the Cafeteria (hosted by METU)

13:45-14:30 Seminar: "ODTÜ101: Student Adaptation to METU Life"
Assist. Prof. Dr. Serap Emil, Department of Educational Sciences

14:30-15:00 Seminar: "Stages of Adjustment and Culture Shock"
Dr. Esra Eret, Center for Advancing Learning and Teaching

15:00-18:00 Campus Tour organized by METU MISA (student club)

VENUE:

**Cultural and
Convention
Center
Kemal Kurdas
Hall**

17 September 2019, Tuesday

09:00-10:00 Info Session: "Course Registration Process" (**Hall B**)
International Students Office (ISO) Staff and Host Students

10:00-10:45 An Interactive Session on Intercultural Communication
International Cooperations Office (ICO) Staff



10:45-11.15 Coffee Break

11:15-11:45 Seminar: “Turkish Customs and Traditions”
Assist. Prof. Dr. Besim Can Zırh, Department of Sociology

12:00-13:30 Free time for lunch

13:30-14.30 Seminar: “Gender Equality and Codes of Behavior at METU”
Assoc. Prof. Dr. F. Umut Beşpınar, Department of Sociology

14:30-14:45 Info Session: TANDEM (Language Learning Program)
Dr. Gamze Karbi & Yeliz Akel, Department of Modern Languages

18:00-23:30 Social Program organized by METU MISA (student club):

- Movie Night at U3 Amphi **

VENUE:

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18 September 2019, Wednesday

12:00 Course registration system opens for first year students

14:00 – 14:45 Info Session: “Residence Permit Procedures”

14:45 – 15:30 Info Session: “Dormitory Rules & Regulations and Alternative Accommodation Opportunities”

15:30 – 23:30 Social Program organized by METU MISA (student club)

- **15:30 – 18:00** Icebreaking Activity at ODTÜ Devrim Stadium

- **18:30 – 23:30** Dinner at “Route” Restaurant in downtown (only for students above 18)

VENUE:

**Cultural and
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Kemal Kurdas
Hall**

19 September 2019, Thursday

Visit and Lunch at Eymir Lake

10:00 Tour bus departs at Rectorate Building (Rektörlük)

10:30-12:00 Walking around Eymir Lake (*wear your comfy shoes for walking*)

12:00-13:00 Brown-Bag Lunch

13:30 End of the tour and return to campus

VENUE:

Eymir Lake



20 September 2019, Friday

“Aramıza Hoşgeldiniz” Welcome Program

09:15-10:40 Visiting Departments and Academic Orientation
Meeting rooms in the departments:

Faculty Of Engineering	Classroom/Auditorium
Computer Engineering Department	BMB 1
Environmental Engineering Department	ÇZ 14
Electrical and Electronics Engineering Department	D 131
Industrial Engineering Department	IE 04
Food Engineering Department	Department Auditorium
Aerospace Engineering Department	AUD
Civil Engineering Department	DR 1
Geological Engineering Department	127
Chemical Engineering Department	Z 14
Mining Engineering Department	Department Auditorium
Mechanical Engineering Department	E 200
Metallurgical and Materials Engineering Department	C Auditorium
Petroleum and Natural Gas Engineering Department	Department Auditorium
Faculty Of Architecture	Classroom/Auditorium
Industrial Design Department	Studio 3
Architecture Department	Studio 1
City and Regional Planning Department	CRP Studio For 1 st Class
Faculty Of Economics And Administrative Sciences	Classroom/Auditorium
Economics Department	Çobanoğlu Hall
Business Administration Department	G 202
Political Science and Public Administration Department	F 16
International Relations Department	G 111
Faculty Of Arts And Science	Classroom/Auditorium
Biological Sciences Department	Z 03
Philosophy Department	B 103
Physics Department	Seminar Room
Statistics Department	Z 22
Chemistry Department	CHEM Auditorium
Mathematics Department	Cahit Arf Auditorium
Psychology Department	B 102
Sociology Department	B 05
History Department	B 04
Faculty Of Education	Classroom/Auditorium
Computer Education And Instructional Technology Department	EFC 109
Elementary Science Education Department	EF 10
Physics Education Department	EF 16
Chemistry Education Department	EF 25
Mathematics Education Department	EF 27
Elementary Science & Elementary Mathematics Education Departments	EF 10
Early Childhood Education Department	EF 34
English Language Teaching Department	EFB 23

VENUE:
Departments
&
Cultural and
Convention
Center
Kemal Kurdaş
Hall

13:30-15:00 Rector's Speech

METU Student Club Shows

Venue: Cultural and Convention Center, Kemal Kurdaş Hall



21 September 2019, Saturday

VENUE:
Gymnastics Hall
(Büyük Spor Salonu)

10:00-16:00 Sports and Cultural Activities by METU Student Clubs
Indoors and outdoors

22 September 2019, Sunday

VENUE:
City Center

10:00-17:00 Visit to Anıtkabir and Ankara Castle organized by METU MISA (student club)**

23 September, Monday

Classes start

Important Notes

- Info Sessions and Seminars are organized by ICO and ISO and it is strongly recommended for students to attend the official program.
 - Evening activities are organized by METU ESN and MISA student clubs and it is optional to attend those events.
 - **There is a possibility that the social events organized by MISA on the 17th and 22nd of September can be changed/canceled. So please check your emails and other announcements regarding these events.
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