

NEAR EAST UNIVERSITY



FACULTY OF PHARMACY

STUDENT HANDBOOK

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Message from the Dean

Dear Students and Esteemed Readers,

Welcome to the Faculty of Pharmacy at Near East University!

Our Faculty is part of Near East University, the largest university on the island of Cyprus, which adorns the landscape of the Eastern Mediterranean. The Faculty of Pharmacy was established in 2006 and welcomed its first graduates in 2012. I am proud to have been involved in the establishment of our Faculty, and I am confident that, as members of this academic community, you too will take pride in being part of it.

Pharmacy is one of the most vital links in the healthcare chain and has been one of the most respected professions across cultures throughout history.

Pharmacy is a profession in which theoretical knowledge and practical training are delivered together. Accordingly, our classrooms, teaching laboratories, and research laboratories have been designed and equipped in accordance with the most modern standards.

Our aim as a Faculty is to provide you with the best possible education throughout the five years you will spend with us. To achieve this, our distinguished academic staff, equipped with contemporary knowledge and extensive experience, will provide you with up-to-date professional knowledge while also preparing you for your future careers. Pharmacy education is demanding, yet equally rewarding. If you aspire to become a true pharmacist, you must carefully integrate everything you learn and transform it into a body of knowledge and expertise uniquely your own.

By the end of your education, we expect you to have developed the ability to learn independently, to continually update your knowledge in a rapidly evolving academic and professional environment, and to take your place in society as an honest and trustworthy professional who values art and social progress.

I wish you all every success. Welcome to our Faculty!

Prof. Dr. İhsan ÇALIŞ

Dean

Faculty of Pharmacy

About Us

HISTORY

Prof. Dr. İhsan ÇALIŞ, Dean and Founding Member of the Faculty of Pharmacy

What I describe here is not merely the history of the Faculty of Pharmacy. The Faculty pioneered the development of Near East University's Health Campus, paving the way for the Faculty of Dentistry, Faculty of Health Sciences, Faculty of Medicine, Near East University Hospital, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, and Near East University Animal Hospital.

The decision to establish the Faculty of Pharmacy was made in March 2006, when construction of its foundations also began. By September of the same year, the five-storey Faculty building had been completed, comprising nine modern laboratories—each with a capacity of approximately 40 students—12 classrooms, and a cold-storage facility. In addition to the student laboratories for Analytical Chemistry, Pharmacology and Toxicology, Pharmaceutical Botany and Pharmacognosy, and Pharmaceutical Technology, the Cell and Tissue Culture Laboratory, Central Instrumental Analysis Laboratory, and Pharmaceutical Technology Research and Development Laboratory were ready to support practical education and scientific research.

The interior facilities of the laboratories were planned by academics who were experts in their respective fields and represented some of Türkiye's most distinguished universities, primarily Hacettepe University, as well as Gazi University and Anadolu University. The laboratories were equipped by WALDNER, a world-renowned and prestigious German company. Depending on their specific requirements, the laboratories were fitted with fixed and mobile fume cupboards and extraction hoods, continuous supplies of deionised water, vacuum and compressed-air systems, and nitrogen gas connections where needed. Each laboratory was supported by three ancillary rooms: a preparation room, a weighing room, and a storage room containing essential supplies such as chemicals and solvents.

The Instrumental Analysis Laboratory was equipped with chromatography systems essential for analytical chemistry, including high-performance liquid chromatography (HPLC) and high-performance thin-layer chromatography (HPTLC). A lyophiliser, micropolarimeter, precision balances, microwave reactor, laboratory ovens, refrigerators, deep freezers, vacuum rotary evaporators, vacuum pumps, viscometer, ice machine, ultrapure water purification system, and laboratory glassware washer were distributed among the laboratories for shared use.

The Pharmaceutical Technology Research and Development Laboratory was designed for the preparation of liquid, solid, and semisolid pharmaceutical dosage forms. It was equipped with high-quality instruments from internationally recognised manufacturers, including granulation and dragee-preparation equipment, a mill, tablet press, disintegration and friability testing equipment, a mixer, a coating pan, and a compaction simulator.

A microscopy laboratory was established for the joint teaching and research activities of the Departments of Pharmacognosy and Pharmaceutical Botany and was equipped for the macro- and microscopic analysis of crude drugs. A computer laboratory was also established for students, and wireless internet access was provided in every classroom and laboratory. In short, all the equipment and infrastructure required for pharmacy education were completed comprehensively within a remarkably short period.

Our Founding Rector, Dr. Suat GÜNSEL, had an ambitious vision. His aim was to provide the people living on the island with access to the same standards of healthcare available to those living on the mainland. When I first met him in early March 2006, he stood approximately ten metres behind the present location of the Faculty of Pharmacy and outlined with his hands where the Faculty of Pharmacy, Faculty of Dentistry, and Faculty of Medicine buildings would be constructed. Our hospital building was also envisioned as part of this complex.

Today, in addition to these institutions, this vision has become a reality through the establishment of the Innovation Centre—home to one of the world's fastest computers—the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Near East University Animal Hospital, the Faculty of Health Sciences and Nursing, and the School of Health Sciences.

The Faculty of Pharmacy was established as the first unit of this remarkable healthcare complex. While our Founding Rector, Dr. Suat GÜNSEL, brought his ideal to life, we, as the founding members, established the Faculty we had envisioned and equipped it with infrastructure and facilities available to very few universities and faculties.

With its extensive educational opportunities and strong academic staff, Near East University has a well-established tradition of education and a distinctly international identity. Since 1988, it has served as a centre of education, science, and culture. In addition to offering world-class educational and infrastructure facilities, Near East University operates within an international and multicultural environment supported by a highly qualified academic staff. As one of the Mediterranean region's leading centres of science and culture, the University is committed to educating self-confident, responsible, rational, creative, innovative, research-oriented, and independent-minded individuals.

Guided by this vision, Near East University has achieved significant success internationally. In the 2025 Times Higher Education (THE) World University Rankings, it was placed in the 601–800 band, retaining its title as the “Best University in the TRNC.” It also consolidated its position among the top five universities in Türkiye and the top three foundation universities in the country. In the US-based *U.S. News & World Report Best Global Universities 2024–2025* rankings, Near East University was ranked 689th worldwide, seventh in Türkiye, and first in the TRNC.

According to the results of the THE Impact Rankings 2025, our University was ranked 43rd worldwide for its contributions to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. It was also ranked 35th for “Partnerships for the Goals,” 48th for “Good Health and Well-Being,” 13th for “Quality Education,” 15th for “Sustainable Cities and Communities,” and 57th for “Gender Equality.”

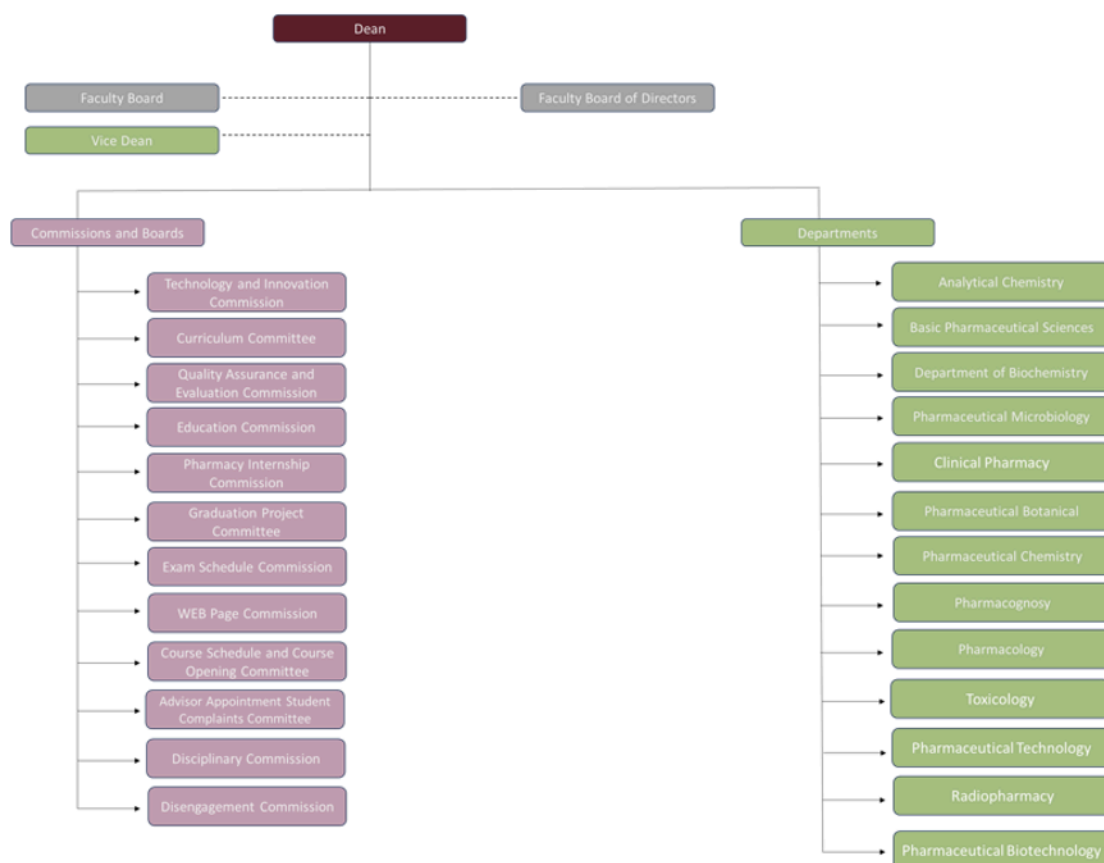
In the THE subject rankings, Near East University was placed in the 201–250 band for Physical Sciences, 251–300 for Computer Science, 301–400 for Engineering and Education, 501–600 for Social Sciences, 601–800 for Life Sciences, and 801–1000 for Medical and Health Sciences. Particularly in Physics and Computer Science, it shared the distinction of being the “Best Turkish University” among universities in Türkiye and the TRNC.

Near East University has also established a strong position among young universities through its performance in teaching, research, and international outlook, as demonstrated by the THE Young University Rankings 2024.

The 2024 ranking results highlighted Near East University’s young, dynamic, and research-oriented structure internationally. In the *Times Higher Education Young University Rankings 2024*, the University was ranked 139th worldwide among institutions under 50 years old, placing it among the leading young universities globally.

Near East University also achieved notable success in the 2024 Global Ranking of Academic Subjects published by ShanghaiRanking. Ranked among the world’s top 400 universities in Physics, Near East University was recognised alongside Boğaziçi University and Bilkent University as one of Türkiye’s leading universities in this field. In Mathematics, it was placed in the 401–500 band, ranking among the top three universities in Türkiye. These achievements reflect Near East University’s strong research infrastructure in the fundamental sciences, highly qualified academic staff, and internationally recognised publication performance.

Faculty Organizational Chart



Why Choose the Faculty of Pharmacy?

Near East University Faculty of Pharmacy is not only the most established and ambitious faculty of its kind in the region but also the first Faculty of Pharmacy founded on the island of Cyprus. Offering programs in both Turkish and English, our Faculty provides students with a reliable, high-quality learning environment and prepares its graduates for successful careers at both national and international levels. Our graduates enjoy excellent employment prospects.

Unlike other universities in the region, our Faculty distinguishes itself through its dedicated building, modern classrooms, and state-of-the-art laboratories. Each department has its own laboratory, while our student laboratories are equipped with modern technology and maintained in accordance with high laboratory safety standards. Our qualified, experienced, young, and dynamic academic staff closely follow

developments in their respective fields and strengthen our student-centred approach to education. Through technologically advanced classrooms and innovative teaching methods, we strive to achieve the highest levels of student satisfaction.

Our Faculty is not merely an educational institution; it is also an active centre of scientific research. It develops collaborative projects with industry and continuously renews itself in line with its objectives. By sharing high-quality knowledge in pharmacy and pharmacotherapy, the Faculty contributes to the well-being of the wider community while fostering a strong sense of social responsibility among its students.

The presence of students from many different countries creates a multicultural educational environment and builds bridges between cultures. Students from diverse backgrounds, cultures, and worldviews study together in an atmosphere of mutual respect, tolerance, and solidarity. In addition to curricular and scientific training, social activities, student clubs, and strong communication between students and academic staff support our students' academic, personal, and social development.

With all these qualities, Near East University Faculty of Pharmacy is a dynamic centre of science, education, and student life. It prepares students for the future, strengthens their professional competencies, and contributes meaningfully to their social and cultural development.

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Program Information

The primary objective of the Pharmacy Program is to educate competent, well-equipped, and competitive pharmacists who can meet the contemporary needs of the healthcare and pharmaceutical sectors. The curriculum is designed not only to provide students with solid theoretical knowledge but also to foster practical skills through laboratory training and clinical experience. The program is further enriched with courses in English, enabling students to develop strong international communication skills and preparing them to actively contribute within a global healthcare context.

The courses offered cover drug development, pharmaceutical technology, clinical pharmacy, and pharmaceutical sciences, with a strong emphasis on keeping pace with current advancements in the field. The program also aims to train professionals proficient in information and communication technologies. In addition, one of the foremost priorities of the program is to cultivate individuals who can express themselves freely, demonstrate critical and creative thinking, and embody a research-oriented and entrepreneurial vision.

Degree Awarded

Students who successfully complete the program are awarded an integrated Masters's Degree in Pharmacy (MPharm).

Admission Requirements

Within the framework of the regulations set by the Turkish Council of Higher Education (YÖK), admission to this undergraduate program is carried out through the university entrance examination called YKS. Following the declaration of their academic program preferences, the Student Selection and Placement Center (ÖSYM) places students into the relevant program according to the scores they obtain in ÖSYS.

International students are admitted to this undergraduate program based on their scores from one of the international examinations such as SAT, ACT, etc., or their high school diploma grades.

The admission of exchange students is carried out according to the conditions specified in bilateral agreements signed between Near East University (NEU) and its partner universities.

Guest students may register for the courses offered in this program with the approval of the relevant academic unit. In addition, since the medium of instruction at NEU is English, they are required to provide proof of their English language proficiency.

Graduation Requirements and Regulations

In order to graduate from this undergraduate program, students must have a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of not less than 2.00 out of 4.00 and must successfully complete all courses in the program with a minimum letter grade of DD/S. The minimum number of ECTS credits required for graduation is 300.

Recognition of Prior Learning

At Near East University, full-time students may be exempted from certain courses within the framework of the relevant regulations. If the content of a course previously taken at another higher education institution is equivalent to a course offered at NEU, the student may be granted exemption from that course upon evaluation of the course content and approval by the relevant faculty/institute.

Program Details

The primary objective of the Pharmacy Program is to educate competent, well-equipped, and competitive pharmacists who meet the needs of contemporary healthcare and the pharmaceutical sector. The program aims to provide students not only with theoretical knowledge but also with practical skills supported by laboratory applications and clinical experience. The educational process is further enriched with courses offered in English, enabling students to develop their international communication skills and thus graduate as individuals capable of playing an effective role in the global healthcare environment.

The courses offered within the program are designed to train professionals who are proficient in information and communication technologies, closely follow current developments in drug development, pharmaceutical technology, clinical pharmacy, and pharmaceutical sciences. In addition, one of the program's main priorities is to cultivate individuals who can express themselves freely, possess critical and creative thinking skills, and demonstrate a research-oriented and entrepreneurial vision.

Program Learning Outcomes

- Acquires up-to-date knowledge of fundamental concepts, theories, and practices in the field of pharmacy.

- Gains the ability to develop solutions to problems encountered in the processes of drug development, production, storage, distribution, and patient use.
- Applies knowledge and skills at national and international levels in core areas such as pharmaceutical technology, pharmacology, toxicology, clinical pharmacy, and biopharmaceutics.
- Effectively employs quantitative and qualitative analytical methods in clinical decision-making processes and drug therapy management.
- Develops proficiency in using digital tools, software, and laboratory technologies commonly applied in pharmacy practice.
- Communicates accurately with patients, colleagues, and healthcare professionals by using clear, effective, and professional oral and written language.
- Enhances skills in accessing, analyzing, interpreting, and solving problems within the context of healthcare services and pharmacotherapy.
- Observes and evaluates drug and therapy opportunities within national and international healthcare systems, acting in accordance with ethical principles, environmental sensitivity, and social responsibility.
- Synthesizes information through analytical and critical thinking, expressing solutions in line with scientific data, cultural awareness, and ethical values.
- Communicates and collaborates effectively in at least one foreign language within international healthcare institutions.
- Actively participates in international and multicultural healthcare teams, while developing leadership, teamwork, and coordination skills.
- Adopts a lifelong learning approach, sustaining personal and professional development and encouraging others to do the same.
- Designs and implements social responsibility projects that prioritize societal benefit at both national and international levels.

Program Structure

The undergraduate Pharmacy program consists of a total of 96 courses amounting to 300 ECTS credits. In the first year, the fall and spring semesters mainly focus on common compulsory courses, while also introducing students to the fundamental courses of pharmacy. Beginning from the second year, students undertake core pharmacy courses, experimental laboratory training, and pharmacy internships.

The student course load has been structured in line with the principles of the Bologna Process, corresponding to a semester workload of 30 ECTS credits. Each program includes the common compulsory courses determined by the Turkish Council of Higher Education (YÖK) as well as other common courses designated by the University Senate. Starting from the second year, elective courses are offered each semester. Every undergraduate program includes a minimum of 10 elective courses.

The five-year program structure and the list of elective courses are presented below:

Faculty of Pharmacy 5-year Course Program

	1 st Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
ENG101	English Language I	C	3	0	3	3
PHA101	Anatomy	C	3	0	2	3
CHM111	General Chemistry	C	3	0	3	4
PHY105	Physics	C	3	0	3	4
PHA105	Physiology	C	3	0	2	3
MTH133	Mathematics	C	3	0	3	4

CHC100	Culture and History of Cyprus	C/E	1	0	2	2
TUR101/YIT 101	Turkish Language I	C	2	0	2	2
PHA118	Introduction to Pharmacy	C	1	0	0	1
CAM100	Campus Orientation	C	0	2	0	2
CAR100	Career Planning	C	0	2	0	2
Total			22	4	20	30
	2nd Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA107	Biostatistics	C	2	0	2	4
PHA108	Medical and Molecular Biology	C	2	0	2	3
CHM122	Organic Chemistry I	C	3	0	3	4
PHA110	Analytical Chemistry I	C	3	0	2	4

PHA111	Analytical Chemistry I Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
TUR102/ YIT 102	Turkish Language II	C	2	0	2	2
PHA113	Pathology	C	3	0	2	4
ENG102	English Language II	C	3	0	3	3
PHA117	Social Pharmacy	C	2	0	1	2
GEC351	21st Century Skills	E	2	0	0	2
Total			22	3	18	30
	3rd Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
ENG201	English III- Oral Communication Skills	C	3	0	3	3
PHA201	Analytical Chemistry II	C	3	0	3	4

PHA202	Analytical Chemistry II Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA203	Biochemistry	C	3	0	2	3
AIT101/AIT103	History I	C	2	0	2	2
CHM123	Organic Chemistry II	C	2	0	2	3
PHA216	Pharmaceutical Information Management	C	2	0	2	2
PHA210	Pharmacy Regulations and Deontology	C	2	0	2	3
PHA290	Pharmacy Practice I (annual)	C	0	2	2	4
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP I	E	2	0	2	4
Total			19	5	21	30
	4th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E

PHA207	Pharmaceutical Botany	C	2	0	2	4
PHA208	Pharmaceutical Botany Laboratory	C	0	2	1	2
PHA223	Pharmacology I	C	3	0	2	4
PHA212	Clinical Biochemistry	C	2	0	2	4
AIT102/AIT104	History II	C	2	0	2	2
PHA215	Microbiology	C	3	0	2	3
ENG202	English IV - Academic Writing Skills	C	3	0	3	3
PHA219	Communication Skills in Pharmacy	C	1	0	1	2
PHA222	First Aid in the Pharmacy	C	1	0	1	2
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP I	E	2	0	2	4
Total			19	2	18	30

	5th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA301	Pharmacognosy I	C	2	0	2	3
PHA302	Pharmacognosy I Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA303	Pharmaceutical Technology I	C	3	0	2	3
PHA304	Pharmaceutical Technology I Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA305	Pharmaceutical Chemistry I	C	2	0	2	4
PHA306	Pharmaceutical Chemistry I Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA307	Public Health	C	2	0	2	3
PHA323	Pharmacology II	C	3	0	2	3
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP I	E	2	0	2	4
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP I	E	2	0	2	4

			16	9	17	30
	6th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA310	Pharmacognosy II	C	2	0	2	2
PHA311	Pharmacognosy Laboratory II	C	0	3	1	2
PHA312	Pharmaceutical Technology II	C	2	0	2	3
PHA313	Pharmaceutical Technology II Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA314	Pharmaceutical Chemistry II	C	2	0	2	2
PHA315	Pharmaceutical Chemistry II Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA316	Toxicology	C	3	0	3	3
PHA318	Cosmetic	C	2	0	1	2
PHA320	Toxicology Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2

PHA390	Pharmacy Practice II	C	0	2	2	4
PHA333	Pharmacology III	C	3	0	2	2
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP I	E	2	0	2	4
Total			16	14	20	30
	7th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA400	Pharmaceutical Technology III	C	3	0	2	3
PHA401	Colloquium	C	0	1	0	1
PHA402	Pharmacognosy III	C	2	0	2	3
PHA403	Pharmacognosy III Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA406	Pharmaceutical Chemistry III	C	2	0	2	3
PHA407	Pharmaceutical Chemistry III Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2

PHA409	Clinical Pharmacy I	C	2	0	2	2
PHA411	Pharmaceutical Technology III Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA412	Pharmacokinetics and Biopharmaceutics	C	1	0	1	2
PHA490	Pharmacy Practice III (annual)	C	0	4	2	4
PHA423	Pharmacology IV	C	2	0	2	2
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP II	E	2	0	2	4
Total			14	14	18	30
	8th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA404	Phytotherapy	C	2	0	2	2
PHA413	Pharmaceutical Technology IV	C	3	0	2	3

PHA414	Pharmaceutical Technology IV Laboratory	C	0	3	1	2
PHA416	Clinical Pharmacy II	C	2	0	2	2
PHA417	Radiopharmacy	C	1	0	1	2
PHA418	Pharmaceutical Biotechnology	C	1	0	1	2
PHA419	Pharmaceutical Care I	C	1	0	1	2
PHA491	Pharmacy Practice IV	C	0	4	2	4
PHA433	Pharmacology V	C	2	0	2	3
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP II	E	2	0	2	4
	SPECIALIZED ELECTIVE COURSE GROUP II	E	2	0	2	4
Total			16	7	18	30
	9th Semester					

CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E
PHA501	Graduation Project (annual)	C	3	0	2	5
PHA589	Pharmacy Practice Theoretical	C	1	0	0	1
PHA502	Rational Drug Use	E	8	0	2	4
PHA503	Digital Pharmacy	E	2	0	2	4
PHA504	Clinical Pharmacy Applications	E	2	0	2	4
	5th Year Electives	E	2	0	2	4
	5th Year Electives	E	2	0	2	4
	5th Year Electives	E	2	0	2	4
Total			22	0	14	30
	10th Semester					
CODE	COURSE NAME	C/E	T	P	C	E

PHA590	Pharmacy Practice V	C	0	35	15	30
Total			0	35	15	30

Faculty of Pharmacy Elective Courses

CODE	COURSE NAME	COURSE TURKISH NAME
PHA150	Artificial Intelligence	Yapay Zeka
PHA250	History of Pharmacy	Eczacılık Tarihi
PHA251	Laboratory Safety	Laboratuvar Güvenliği
PHA252	Art of Living	Yaşam Sanatı
PHA253	Advanced Communication with Health Promotion	Sağlığın Geliştirilmesine Yönelik İleri İletişim
PHA254	Immunology	Immunoloji
PHA255	Reading Scientific Literature	Bilimsel Literatür Okuma
PHA257	Nutritional Support Pharmacy	Beslenme Destek Eczacılığı

PHA259	Introduction to Computer Science	Bilgisayar Bilimlerine Giriş
PHA260	Arts and Pharmacy	Eczacılık ve Sanat
PHA261	Social Leadership	Sosyal Liderlik
PHA263	Instrumental Methods for Phytopharmaceuticals	Fitofarmasötiklerde Enstrümental Metodlar
PHA264	Life Long Learning	Yaşam Boyu Öğrenme
PHA266	Health Promotion	Sağlığı Geliştirme
PHA268	Genetically Modified Organisms	Genetiği Değiştirilmiş Organizmalar
PHA280	Continuous Professional Development	Sürekli Mesleki Gelişim
PHA269	Drug Nomenclature	İlaç İsimlendirme
PHA350	Scientific Presentation	Bilimsel Sunum
PHA351	Advanced Pharmacology	İleri Farmakoloji
PHA352	Antimicrobial agents, Disinfectants, Preservatives	Antimikrobiyal maddeler, Dezenfektanlar, Koruyucular

PHA355	Clinical Microbiology	Klinik Mikrobiyoloji
PHA356	Polymers: Synthesis, Properties and Applications	Polimerler: Sentez, Özellikler ve Uygulamalar
PHA360	Artificial Intelligence in Pharmacy	Eczacılıkta Yapay Zeka
PHA379	Molecular Evolution	Moleküler Evrim
PHA386	Scientific Method and Philosophy	Bilimsel Yöntem ve Bilim Felsefe
PHA387	History of Life and Human Evolution	Hayat Tarihi ve İnsan Evrimi
PHA388	Phytobiochemistry	Fitobiyokimya
PHA389	Drug Toxicity in special populations	Özel Popülasyonlarda İlaç Toksisitesi
PHA371	Enviromental Toxicology	Çevre Toksikolojisi
PHA372	Hot Topics in Pharmaceutical Sciences	Farmasötik Bilimlerde Güncel Konular
PHA450	Nutraceuticals and Dietary Supplements	Nutrasötikler ve Gıda Takviyeleri

PHA451	Aromatic Plants and Their Uses	Aromatik Bitkiler ve Kullanımları
PHA452	Chronobiology, Chronopharmacology and Chronotherapy	Kronobiyoloji, Kronofarmakoloji ve Kronoterapi
PHA454	Essential Oils	Uçucu Yağlar
PHA458	Nanopharmaceuticals	Nanofarmasötikler
PHA459	Nanoscience Applications and	Nanobilim ve Uygulamaları
PHA462	Aromatherapy	Aromaterapi
PHA464	License and Patent	Ruhsat ve Patent
PHA466	Physicochemical Concepts in Drug Design and Development	İlaç Tasarımı ve Geliştirmede Fiziko-Kimyasal Kavramlar
PHA472	Pharmacogenomics	Farmakogenomik
PHA473	Cancer Biology	Kanser Biyolojisi
PHA502	Rational Drug Use	Akılcı İlaç Kullanımı
PHA550	Pharmacy Management	Eczane Yönetimi

PHA551	Herbal Pharmaceutical Products	Bitkisel İlaç Ürünleri
PHA552	Cosmetic Toxicology	Kozmetik Toksikoloji
PHA554	Sports Pharmacy	Spor Eczacılığı
PHA555	Toxic Reactions and Risk Assessment	Toksik Reaksiyonlar ve Risk Değerlendirmesi
PHA503	Digital Pharmacy	Dijital Eczacılık
PHA560	Industrial Pharmacy	Endüstriyel Eczacılık
PHA562	Global Regulatory Strategies	Küresel Regülasyon Stratejileri
PHA563	Quality Assurance and Applications and Validations	Kalite Güvencesi ve Uygulamaları ve Doğrulamaları
PHA504	Clinical Pharmacy Applications	Klinik Eczacılık Uygulamaları
PHA570	Hospital Pharmacy Services	Hastane Eczacılığı Hizmetleri
PHA573	Patient Counselling	Hasta Danışmanlığı
PHA576	Dermatology and Skincare	Dermatoloji ve Cilt Bakımı

Additional Information

To be eligible for graduation, students are required to complete a total of 300 ECTS credits. Pharmacy students must successfully complete both compulsory courses and technical elective courses in order to reach the total of 300 ECTS credits. Otherwise, they will not be considered to have fulfilled the graduation requirements of the program. In our programs, a 70% attendance requirement is applied for all courses. Students who fail to meet the required attendance are assigned the letter grade NA (Never Attended) for the respective course. The NA grade is given to students who do not fulfill the specified attendance requirement and consequently lose the right to participate in the end-of-term evaluations. The NA grade is not included in the grade point average calculation. In the following semester, students are again required to meet the 70% attendance condition for the same course. However, for courses in which the student has received a failing grade (FF), the 70% attendance requirement does not apply upon course repetition.

Important Notes on Elective Courses

Pharmacy program students are required to complete 10 elective courses in order to graduate. These courses must be selected from the elective course list of the program. Courses not included in this list cannot be accepted as electives. The ECTS credits of the elective courses must be equal to or greater than the credits specified in the curriculum.

Exam Regulations, Evaluation and Grading

At our university, student performance is generally assessed through in-person examinations, including a midterm exam and a final exam. However, in some courses, alternative assessment methods—such as project assignments, presentations, homework, quizzes, and group work—are also employed to encourage active participation and evaluate a range of skills.

The method of assessment for each course may vary depending on the nature of the course and the instructor's approach. Assessment criteria are communicated to students at the beginning of the semester and are clearly outlined in the course syllabus.

The final course grade is calculated based on the weighted average of all evaluations conducted throughout the term, including exams, assignments, and any additional components. Therefore, students are expected to actively engage not only in exams but in all forms of assessment during the semester. At Near East University, students

receive one of the letter grades described below for each course, based on the assessment conducted by the course instructor. Each letter grade corresponds to a specific ECTS credit weight.

Grade	Letter Grade	Coefficient	ECTS Grade
90-100	AA	4.0	A
85-89	BA	3.5	B*
80-84	BB	3.0	B*
75-79	CB	2.5	C*
70-74	CC	2.0	C*
60-69	DC	1.5	D
50-59	DD	1.0	E
49-00	FF	0.0	F

To be considered successful in a course: Students in Level 5 (Associate) and Level 6 (Bachelor's) programs must receive at least a DD., Students in Level 7 (Master's) programs must obtain at least a CC., Students in Level 8 (Doctoral) programs must earn at least a BB. For non-credit courses not included in GPA calculations, students must receive an S (Satisfactory) grade.

In addition to local letter grades, each grade has an ECTS equivalent, which facilitates student mobility between institutions. The grading table above is used for all courses offered by Near East University.

Besides standard letter grades, the following special grades may also appear on student transcripts:

Letter Grade	Explanation
I	Incomplete
S	Satisfactory
U	Unsatisfactory
P	Successful Progress
NP	Not Successful Progress

EX	Exempt
NI	Not included
W	Withdrawal
NA	Never Attended

I (Incomplete): Assigned to students who fail to complete course requirements due to a valid reason approved by the instructor. Students must fulfil all outstanding obligations within one week after the official grade submission deadline. In exceptional cases, the deadline may be extended up to two weeks before the start of the next semester by the relevant academic board. Failure to meet the requirements within the given timeframe results in an automatic **FF** or **U** grade.

S (Satisfactory): Given to students who successfully complete non-credit courses.

U (Unsatisfactory): Given to students who fail non-credit courses.

P (Successful Progress): Assigned to students in courses with multi-semester requirements, where GPA is not calculated, and progress during the term is deemed satisfactory.

NP (Not Successful Progress): Assigned when expected progress is not achieved in multi-term courses that do not count toward GPA.

EX (Exempt): Given to students exempt from a specific course in the curriculum.

NI (Not Included): Indicates a course that is listed on the transcript but not included in the GPA calculation or official program requirements.

W (Withdrawal): Assigned when a student withdraws from a course between the 3rd and 10th week of the semester with approval from both their academic advisor and course instructor. Withdrawals are not allowed during the first two semesters. A student may withdraw from a maximum of **two courses** in associate programs and **four courses** in bachelor's programs. Courses with a prior **W** grade that did not affect the GPA cannot be withdrawn from again. The student must retake the course in the first term it is offered again.

NA (Never Attended): Given to students who fail to meet the minimum attendance requirement and lose the right to participate in final assessments. This grade is not included in the GPA.

On all student transcripts, both national letter grades and their corresponding ECTS equivalents are shown.

Graduation Requirements

Successfully complete all courses in the program curriculum with a minimum grade of DD/S, earning at least 300 ECTS credits.

Attain a Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA) of at least 2.00 out of 4.00.

Academic Calendar

This section provides the important dates applicable to the relevant academic year. The academic calendar includes essential information regarding course registration, the beginning and end dates of academic terms, examination periods, public holidays, and other academic processes.

Students are strongly advised to review the calendar carefully and keep track of all relevant dates to plan their academic activities effectively. The calendar is updated at the beginning of each semester and can also be accessed through the Faculty website or obtained from the Student Affairs Office.

<https://neu.edu.tr/academic/academic-calendar/?lang=en>

Fall 2026-2027

July 1, 2026; Wednesday	Start of Internship Rotations for Faculty of Medicine Year 6
September 7, 2026; Monday	Start of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Years 4 and 5
September 7–11, 2026; Monday–Friday	Assignment of Courses to Academic Staff
September 8, 2026; Tuesday	Deadline for Initial Tuition Fee Payments (Full payment and first installment)

September 10–14, 2026; Thursday–Monday	Course Activation
September 14, 2026; Monday	Start of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Years 2 and 3
September 14, 2026; Monday	English Preparatory School, Turkish and Arabic Proficiency Exams (Undergraduate Students)
September 14–18, 2026; Monday–Friday	Course Registration
September 17, 2026; Thursday	First English Proficiency Exam of the Semester (Graduate Students)
September 18, 2026; Friday	Deadline for Graduate Thesis Jury Submission
September 21, 2026; Monday	Start of Classes (Including all Preparatory Schools)
September 28, 2026; Monday	Start of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Year 1
September 29, 2026; Tuesday	Common Courses Exemption Exams (English Programs)
October 1, 2026; Thursday	Common Courses Exemption Exams (Turkish Programs)

October 7, 2026; Wednesday	Deadline for Changing “I” (Incomplete) Grades
October 8, 2026; Thursday	Deadline for 2nd Installment (8-installment plan)
October 9, 2026; Friday	Deadline for International Student Withdrawal
October 9, 2026; Friday	Add/Drop Deadline
October 23, 2026; Friday	Late Registration Deadline
October 29, 2026; Thursday	Public Holiday
November 6, 2026; Friday	Add/Drop Deadline for Newly Registered International Students
November 7–13, 2026; Saturday– Saturday	Midterm Examinations
November 8, 2026; Sunday	Deadline for 3rd Installment
November 15, 2026; Sunday	Public Holiday
November 16–20, 2026; Monday–Friday	English Preparatory School Module 1 Final Exams

December 7, 2026; Monday	Start of Course Planning and Curriculum Development for Next Academic Term
December 8, 2026; Tuesday	Deadline for 4th Installment
December 18, 2026; Friday	Withdrawal Deadline
December 22, 2026; Tuesday	Deadline for NA Grade Entry
December 25, 2026; Friday	Administrative Holiday (Students)
December 30, 2026; Wednesday	Last Day of Classes
January 1, 2027; Friday	Public Holiday
January 4–13, 2027; Monday–Wednesday	Final Examinations
January 8, 2027; Friday	Deadline for 2nd Installment (2-installment plan)
January 8, 2027; Friday	Deadline for 5th Installment (8-installment plan)
January 11–17, 2027; Monday–Sunday	Mid-Semester Break for Faculty of Medicine Year 4

January 16, 2027; Saturday	Deadline for Grade Submission
January 18–22, 2027; Monday–Friday	English Preparatory School Module 2 Final Exams
January 19–20, 2027; Tuesday–Wednesday	Graduation Ceremonies
January 25 – February 7, 2027; Monday–Sunday	Mid-Semester Break for Faculty of Medicine Years 1, 2 and 3
February 1–7, 2027; Monday–Sunday	Mid-Semester Break for Faculty of Medicine Year 5
February 1–5, 2027; Monday–Friday	Diploma Distribution

Spring 2026-2027

January 28–29, 2027; Thursday–Friday	Assignment of Courses to Academic Staff
February 1–2, 2027; Monday–Tuesday	Course Activation
February 3–5, 2027; Wednesday–Friday	Course Registration

February 4, 2027; Thursday	First English Proficiency Exam of the Semester (Graduate Students)
February 5, 2027; Friday	Deadline for Graduate Thesis Jury Submission
February 5, 2027; Friday	English Preparatory School, Turkish and Arabic Proficiency Exams (Undergraduate Students)
February 8, 2027; Monday	Deadline for 6th Installment
February 8, 2027; Monday	Start of Classes (Including all Preparatory Schools)
February 15, 2027; Monday	Common Courses Exemption Exams (English Programs)
February 16, 2027; Tuesday	Common Courses Exemption Exams (Turkish Programs)
February 25, 2027; Thursday	Deadline for Changing "I" Grades
February 26, 2027; Friday	Deadline for International Student Withdrawal
February 26, 2027; Friday	Add/Drop Deadline
March 5, 2027; Friday	Late Registration Deadline

March 8, 2027; Monday	Deadline for 7th Installment
March 9–11, 2027; Tuesday–Thursday	Public Holiday
March 29, 2027; Monday	Add/Drop Deadline for Newly Registered International Students
April 5–10, 2027; Monday–Saturday	Midterm Examinations
April 5–9, 2027; Monday–Friday	English Preparatory School Module 3 Final Exams
April 8, 2027; Thursday	Deadline for 8th Installment
April 23, 2027; Friday	Public Holiday
May 1, 2027; Saturday	Public Holiday
May 7, 2027; Friday	Withdrawal Deadline
May 7, 2027; Friday	Start of Course Planning for Next Academic Term
May 16–19, 2027; Sunday–Wednesday	Public Holiday

May 24, 2027; Monday	Deadline for NA Grade Entry
May 28, 2027; Friday	Last Day of Classes
May 28, 2027; Friday	Last Day of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Years 1, 2 and 3
May 31 – June 9, 2027; Monday–Wednesday	Final Examinations
June 4, 2027; Friday	Last Day of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Years 4 and 5
June 11, 2027; Friday	Final Exam for Faculty of Medicine Year 3
June 11, 2027; Friday	Deadline for Grade Submission
June 11, 2027; Friday	Deadline for Summer School Applications
June 14, 2027; Monday	Application for Make-up Exams (Annual Programs)
June 14–18, 2027; Monday–Friday	English Preparatory School Module 4 Final Exams
June 15–18, 2027; Tuesday–Friday	Make-up Examinations (Annual Programs)

June 17, 2027; Thursday	Final Exam for Faculty of Medicine Year 2
June 18, 2027; Friday	June 18, 2027; Friday
June 21, 2027; Monday	End of Semester (Deadline for Make-up Exam Results)
June 21–25, 2027; Monday–Friday	Graduation Ceremonies

Summer 2026-2027

June 21–23, 2027; Monday–Wednesday	Assignment of Courses to Academic Staff
June 21–23, 2027; Monday–Wednesday	Course Activation
June 23, 2027; Wednesday	Graduate English Proficiency Exam
June 23–25, 2027; Wednesday–Friday	Course Registration
June 25, 2027; Friday	Deadline for Graduate Thesis Jury Submission
June 25, 2027; Friday	Undergraduate English Proficiency Exam

June 28, 2027; Monday	End of Classes for Faculty of Medicine Year 6
June 28, 2027; Monday	Start of Classes (Including all Preparatory Schools)
July 20, 2027; Tuesday	Public Holiday
August 1, 2027; Sunday	Public Holiday
August 6, 2027; Friday	Last Day of Classes (Including all Preparatory Schools)
August 9–14, 2027; Monday–Saturday	Final Examinations (Including all Preparatory Schools)
August 16, 2027; Monday	Deadline for Grade Submission
August 17, 2027; Tuesday	End of Summer Term
August 23–27, 2027; Monday–Friday	Diploma Distribution

Registration and Admission Procedures

The Student Affairs Office is located in the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences building and is open from 08:00 to 17:00, Monday to Friday. Students may obtain information about the faculties, complete their registration, and request official documents such as examination admission documents, student certificates, and academic transcripts from the Student Affairs Office.

Course Registration

Course registration is completed online each semester. After paying their tuition fees for the relevant semester, students may register for their courses through the online registration system at <http://ogrsis.neu.edu.tr>. Each student is provided with a student identification number and a personal password by the Faculty Secretariat to access the system.

After selecting their courses online, students must obtain their academic adviser's approval through the system. Information about the relevant registration process is also available on the University website. However, students who have not paid their tuition fees and submitted their payment receipts to the Student Affairs Office cannot carry out transactions through the online system. The registration process is finalised by the academic advisers of the relevant department.

Course registration may also be completed in the relevant departments with the assistance of academic advisers. During the periods specified in the academic calendar, students may meet with their advisers to obtain information about their courses and make their course selections. Students must complete the Course Registration Form for their registration to be finalised.

[Course Registration Form](#)

Adding, Dropping, and Withdrawing from Courses

Specific dates for adding, dropping, and withdrawing from courses are determined for each semester and announced in the academic calendar. During this period, students may attend the courses for which they are registered and, if necessary, modify their course selection by adding or dropping courses.

Course withdrawal, course changes, and course additions may only be completed within the periods specified in the academic calendar. Students may consult their academic advisers to complete the requested procedure.

Horizontal and Vertical Transfers

Students wishing to transfer through horizontal or vertical transfer procedures must apply to the Student Affairs Office. Once the application has been approved, the student must submit an official transcript from their previous university to the department to which they have been admitted.

Before the student begins their studies, the Head of Department or Dean, together with the appointed academic adviser, evaluates whether the courses previously completed at another university are equivalent to those offered within the relevant program.

For citizens of the Republic of Türkiye, the regulations of the Council of Higher Education and the relevant University regulations concerning transfers to Near East University may be reviewed using the links provided below:

<http://www.yok.gov.tr/4767>

<https://neu.edu.tr/wp-content/uploads/2023/05/29/YDU-Yatay-Gecis-Yonetmeligi-29.05.2023.pdf>

Communication with Academic Staff

Topic	Description
Course Materials and Content	All course materials, weekly content, and announcements are shared via the DEBİM platform: https://debim.neu.edu.tr/
Email Communication	Academic staff can be contacted via their institutional email addresses.
In-Person Meetings	Academic staff can be visited in person during their office hours, which are posted on their office doors in the faculty building.

Academic Staff Information	CVs and contact information for the academic staff can be accessed at: https://eczacilik.neu.edu.tr/kisiler/akademik-personel/
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Class Attendance and Excused Absences

Students are required to attend at least 70% of the total course hours for each course. If a student is unable to attend an exam, they must submit their medical report (issued by Near East University Hospital or a state hospital) within 3 working days following the exam date. Otherwise, the student will lose the right to take the make-up exam.

Students are responsible for following the make-up exam schedule through the university's announcements page or the instructor's personal page. If a student misses a previously announced make-up exam without valid excuse, they will lose the right to take that exam.

International Student Office

Near East University International Student Office provides support and counselling in the educational and social lives of foreign students studying at our university, from registration to graduation. The International Student office ensures that international students who study at our university return to their countries fully equipped with good memories and that more students from these countries apply to our university.

International Student Office Working Hours:

Monday to Friday 08:00 – 17:00.

Closed on official holidays.

International Student Office Contact Information:

Phone: 0392 223 6464

E-Mail: iso.registration@neu.edu.tr

Campus Life

Library

Located directly across from the Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences building, the Grand Library features over 1,000,000 open-shelf books, 150 million electronic journals, 7,000 DVDs, 17 film viewing booths, 12 individual and group study rooms, 4 lecture halls with 1,000 seats, a theatre hall with a capacity of 350, a cafeteria for 600, and 600 study desks. This makes it a world-class cultural and information-access centre. The library is open 24/7 and is free of charge. The information centre, equipped with the latest digital technologies, is accessible from anywhere via the internet. Students can also access information throughout the campus via wireless internet.

Social Activities and Student Clubs

Students can participate in various activities throughout their studies, including university-sponsored conferences and club activities that encourage social engagement. Some active clubs include the Nature and Sports Club, Scientific Research and Health Club, Theatre Club, Photography Club, and Tango Club.

For more information, visit:

<https://neu.edu.tr/kampusteyasam/sosyal-ve-kulturel-kulupler/>

The campus also features the country's first and only Olympic Indoor Swimming Pool, covering 2,700 m², with a height of 16 meters, dimensions of 50 x 21 meters, 3,100 tons of water capacity, central heating, 1,000 spectator seats, and diving towers at 3, 5, 7, and 10 meters. Swimming courses are offered in both summer and winter.

<https://neu.edu.tr/kampusteyasam/olimpik-kapali-yuzme-havuzu/>

Psychological Counselling Services

Since 1995, the university has offered free psychological counselling. The Counselling Centre is located on the first floor of the Faculty of Law building. It operates by appointment and is open weekdays from 09:00–13:00 / 14:00–16:00. For more information: <https://pdram.neu.edu.tr/>

Office of the Dean of Students

This office aims to provide an integrated university life where students and alumni feel supported in all aspects of their personal, cultural, social, and professional development. The Dean of Students offers various services and programs to support academic and personal growth, instilling a sense of confidence in students as they prepare for life beyond graduation.

Units under the Dean of Students include Student Counselling and Communication Unit, Psychological Counselling Unit, Student Activities Unit, NEU ideas Unit, Career Planning Unit, Social Responsibility Projects Unit, Students with Disabilities Unit, Alumni Affairs Unit. If you require support in accessing courses due to a disability, please contact the Accessible Support Unit: engelsiz@neu.edu.tr

Student Counselling and Communication Unit

In cases where students face unexpected or uncontrollable circumstances that affect their academic responsibilities, they can submit petitions through the online system or via email for issues such as refunds, academic matters, job applications, accommodation, or financial concerns: petitions@neu.edu.tr

Sports Facilities

The university offers a wide range of modern sports facilities to promote a healthy lifestyle among students, staff, and faculty. Facilities include an Olympic swimming pool, tennis courts, football fields, gymnastics halls, and both indoor and outdoor sports complexes.

Our Olympic Indoor Swimming Pool has a 1,000-seat capacity, modern amenities, and a café. Activities such as water polo, diving, and synchronized swimming, as well as swimming lessons, are regularly held. The Sports Tower is a high-tech fitness centre for all age groups, offering classes and sessions in: Fitness, Step, Aerobics, Spinning, TRX, Kangoo Jumps, Pilates, Yoga, Boxing, Karate, Dance education, Nutrition & diet services, with special sections for children and women. RA25 Sports Hall hosts competitions in basketball, handball, volleyball, and badminton, and functions as a venue for ceremonies and concerts with its advanced sound system.

For more details:

<https://neu.edu.tr/kampuste-yasam/spor/>

<https://neu.edu.tr/wp-content/uploads/2018/12/21/spor-kule-brosur-21.12.18.pdf>

Atatürk Culture and Congress Centre (AKKM)

This state-of-the-art venue hosts national and international congresses, seminars, conferences, and cultural events. It features various-sized meeting halls, modern audiovisual equipment, and spaces for art exhibitions, concerts, theatre performances, and more — enhancing campus life through arts and culture.

<https://neu.edu.tr/kampuste-yasam/ataturk-kultur-ve-kongre-merkezi/>

Restaurants and Cafeterias

The campus features a wide range of food and beverage outlets, including the Main Cafeteria, Faculty Cafeteria, Hospital Cafeteria, and others with a total service capacity of 4,500 people. Across campus, there are 22 cafes and restaurants offering healthy, affordable meals, with options for vegetarians and vegans.

Some of the dining facilities include:

Cafe Hastane 1 & 2, Cafe Bigla, Cafe Dental, Cafe Ecza, Cafe Saray, Chicken House, Cafe Library, Cafe Bridge, Cafe Veterinerlik, Gusto Cafe, Cafe Sağlık, Vitamin Cafe, Cafe 535, Cafe AKKM, Book Cafe, Cafe Laundry, Hospital Restaurant, Kebap House, Pizza Pizza, The Kaffo, Bakery & Patisserie, and the 9th Floor Restaurant.

For more information:

<https://neu.edu.tr/kampuste-yasam/kantin-ve-kafeteryalar/>

Market & Supermarket

IKAS Supermarket

Located on our campus, IKAS Supermarket serves campus residents with a wide range of products and extended working hours to meet all their daily needs. Additionally, there is a branch of IKAS Supermarket located under Dormitory Building 1, designed to serve students' essential needs.

Working Hours:

Weekdays/Weekends: 07:30 – 22:00

IKAS Supermarket Express

IKAS Supermarket Express, located within the Near East Campus at Near East Fuel Station, is open 24/7. Discounts available to Near East Group employees are also valid at this location.

NEU Event Park Drift Area

For those seeking speed, control, and excitement, NEU Event Park Drift Area offers an unforgettable driving experience. Under the supervision of two expert instructors, you will not only learn how to drift, but also improve your safe and effective driving techniques. Tire and fuel costs are included in the training packages. Each session lasts 30 minutes.

NEU Event Park offers 4 different training packages, tailored to various expectations.

There is even a special course for young car enthusiasts: children aged 6–12 can participate in a manual driving course designed especially for them. For international visitors, accelerated 3-lesson programs are available to help them quickly learn the basics of drifting. Upon successful completion of the training program, a certificate of participation is awarded to all participants (excluding tourist guests and children's courses). The drift area can also host special events such as birthday parties and concerts.

Working Hours:

- Weekdays: 16:00 – 21:00
- Weekends: 09:00 – 21:00 Flexible closing hours are available for special events or upon request.

For detailed information about packages and pricing: Phone: +90 548 821 21 24

Accessible Cinema Hall

The newly renovated “Accessible Cinema” Hall at the Faculty of Communication, Near East University, offers a modern and inclusive experience for cinema enthusiasts and event participants. Originally launched in 1997 with the support of Telsim, the hall has recently undergone a comprehensive renovation and is now more equipped and comfortable than ever.

The Accessible Cinema features 40 fixed seats, with a flexible setup that can accommodate up to 60 people when needed. It is equipped with a state-of-the-art

projection system compatible with all types of computers and has a powerful sound system to ensure an enhanced audio experience.

One of the hall's most significant features is its fully accessible ramp, which provides seamless access from the outside entrance to the seating area, allowing individuals with disabilities to enjoy events without barriers. In addition to film screenings, the Accessible Cinema is also physically suited for mini workshops and various events.

IKAS Patisserie & Bakery

One of the most popular spots on the Near East University campus, IKAS Patisserie & Bakery welcomes guests with a delightful atmosphere and a wide variety of delicious offerings. The venue has a total seating capacity of 40 people, including 20 indoor and 20 outdoor seats, allowing visitors to enjoy their time both inside and in the open air. In addition to meeting the university's in-house needs for cakes, pastries, savoury snacks, desserts, and ice cream, IKAS Patisserie & Bakery also serves fresh and tasty products to external guests. Soon, it plans to expand its kitchen and begin producing its own bread. For those focused on healthy living, specially made diet desserts and drinks designed for pre- and post-workout consumption will also be available.

With an extensive menu of hot and cold beverages, the patisserie caters to all tastes and also takes custom orders for birthday cakes and special celebrations. The outdoor garden area has been designed to offer enjoyment all year round — cool shaded areas in summer, and warm cozy spots with stoves in winter. Parking is available for guests, and the venue especially welcomes those seeking a peaceful breakfast experience on weekends. On Saturdays and Sundays, rich classic and English breakfast options are served until noon — a perfect way to start your day!

Opening Hours: Weekdays / Weekends: 07:00 – 01:00

Photocopy Services

Near East University offers photocopying and printing services at various locations across campus for students and staff. These service centres aim to provide fast and reliable solutions for educational and academic needs. Photocopy centres are available in faculties with high printing demands, such as the Faculty of Architecture, Faculty of Medicine, and Faculty of Education. These centres offer specialized printing services, including large-format AutoCAD printouts for architecture students. Additionally, thesis binding services are available for students preparing their theses. Along with basic services like photocopying and printing, document scanning and various binding options

are also provided. A stationery shop within the Near East University Library offers services such as photocopying and thesis binding.

Cyprus Printing Global

Hospital Branch: +90 546 990 01 03

Education Palace Branch: +90 546 990 01 04

Architecture Faculty Branch: +90 546 990 01 05

Nuroğlu Stationery (Library): +90 533 866 89 36

Bank & ATM

On campus, you will find branches of Near East Bank and Türkiye İş Bankası, as well as an ATM for Ziraat Bankası. These banking services are conveniently located to ensure that both students and staff can easily carry out their financial transactions.

Post Office

The Post Office at Near East University provides postal services to all students and staff. It is located on campus for easy access to both send and receive mail.

Location: Ground Floor, Faculty of Economics and Administrative Sciences

Near East Fuel Station

The on-campus fuel station provides university staff with a fast and convenient way to meet their fuel needs. In addition, all Near East University employees can benefit from discounted fuel services by using the Near East Fuel Discount Card.

For more information about Near East Fuel Station, please visit the official website:

<https://yakindoguakaryakit.com/>

Useful Phone Numbers

For more details about telephone contacts at Near East University and to find the phone numbers for specific departments or services, please visit the university's official website:

<https://neu.edu.tr/telefon-rehberi/>

Campus Traffic Rules and Safety

Near East University's campus is subject to specific traffic rules to ensure the **safety and comfort** of students, staff, and visitors. These rules are **monitored 24/7** by NEU personnel, and **penalties may be applied** in case of violations. A full understanding and application of these rules contribute to creating a safer and more orderly campus environment.

Traffic Flow and Right of Way: Traffic on the NEU campus flows in the left lane. Therefore, drivers must keep left and follow the right-of-way rules to ensure smooth traffic movement.

Pedestrian and Bicycle Priority Campus: Please give priority to pedestrians and cyclists in crosswalks and designated bike lanes. Slow down and proceed with caution in these areas to ensure safety.

Speed Limit: The maximum speed limit on campus is 40 km/h. Adhering to this limit significantly reduces the risk of accidents and enhances overall safety.

Horn and Loud Music: Using car horns and playing loud music is prohibited on campus. Following this rule helps maintain a peaceful environment for everyone.

Traffic Signs and Directions: Traffic signs and directional markers are placed throughout the campus to support safe and orderly traffic flow. Please always follow these signs.

Routes and Parking Areas: Use designated driving routes and park only in designated areas in accordance with the campus parking regulations. This ensures safety and avoids traffic disruption.

Monitoring and Security: Traffic rules are regularly monitored by security personnel. Please follow their instructions and do not hesitate to ask for help if needed. Adhering to safety measures ensures a smooth and respectful traffic environment for all. By respecting these rules, we can collectively contribute to a safer and more peaceful campus.

Transportation Services

Near East University provides its staff with comfortable and free transportation options, ensuring easy access to both the campus and surrounding areas. The university's

transportation services cover routes that are scheduled according to class and work hours. Free university buses departing from the campus and heading to various regions and the city centre offer a wide transportation network. This service aims to reduce vehicle usage and promote environmentally friendly shared transport. Free transportation services are a significant support in facilitating the daily lives of staff.

Campus–Nicosia and Nicosia–Campus Routes: Shuttle services between the campus and Nicosia operate from 06:45 AM to 10:15 PM. These reciprocal services allow our staff to travel comfortably and safely between the campus and Nicosia. The routes cover a wide area. Detailed information about transportation services and routes is available on the university's website: <https://bus.neu.edu.tr/>

Intercity Free Shuttle Services: Near East University offers free shuttle services for staff commuting from regions such as Kyrenia (Girne), Famagusta (Mağusa), and Güzelyurt. These services are organized to ensure staff can reach the campus comfortably.

In-Campus Shuttles: Within the campus, there is a free shuttle service between the residential area and faculties or other administrative units. These shuttles facilitate quick and easy access across campus.

Walking Distance Accessibility: The Near East University campus is designed to allow safe walking access to most places. Classrooms, the library, the dining hall, and other key facilities are located within short walking distances. The campus design promotes physical activity and minimizes the need for motor vehicles. Additionally, the university provides alternative eco-friendly transport options such as bicycles and electric scooters for staff use.

By offering these transportation options, Near East University enables its staff to easily access campus events and resources. It supports its personnel in maintaining a productive work-life balance through a safe and extensive transportation network across its large campus area.

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Student Information Handbook 2025–2026

Academic Year



WHO ARE YOU, AND WHERE ARE YOU?

- Year of Establishment: 2006
- Vision: To become an internationally recognised faculty in education and research
- Languages of Instruction: Turkish and English



FACULTY OF PHARMACY

- Dean: Prof. Dr. İhsan Çalış
- Email: ihsan.calis@neu.edu.tr
- Degree Awarded: Master of Pharmacy (MPharm)
- Total Credits: 300 ECTS



GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- Successfully complete all courses
- Minimum Cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA): 2.00/4.00
- Maintain at least 70% course attendance



REGISTRATION AND ACADEMIC ADVISING

1. Pay your tuition fees
2. Register for your courses via ogrsis.neu.edu.tr
3. Obtain your academic advisor's approval
4. Make any necessary changes during the course add/drop period



CONTACT INFORMATION

- Dean's Office: +90 392 223 64 64 / 5121 (Extension: 5122), gul.gokensel@neu.edu.tr
- International Student Office: 0392 223 6464, iso.registration@neu.edu.tr

FURTHER INFORMATION

- Faculty Website: <https://eczacilik.neu.edu.tr>
- DEBİM Platform: <https://debim.neu.edu.tr/>

CAMPUS LIFE

-  Library: Open 24/7, with one million books and 150 million digital resources
-  Food and Drink: 22 restaurants and cafés, including vegan and vegetarian options
-  Sports and Wellness: Olympic-sized swimming pool, yoga, fitness facilities, and dietitian support
-  Psychological Counselling: Free of charge and available by appointment

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