



## **Proven proficiency in English**

English skills of at least level B2 of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages\* are required. The requirement can be fulfilled by one of the following:

- the TOEFL-test (Test of English as a Foreign Language) minimum 90 points (internet based),
- the Cambridge First Certificate in English (FCE), at least grade C,
- IELTS (International English Language Testing System) minimum B 6,0,
- Completion of five years of continuous English lessons at a German secondary education school with a minimum grade of 7 points or 'satisfactory' (usually certified by the higher education entrance qualification).

Applicants from the following countries do not have to prove their English language skills: USA, Canada, Great Britain, Ireland, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa.

The English language requirement is also fulfilled by providing a study certificate (i.e. a master's degree) for a programme taught in English in Germany or the countries stated above.

We cannot accept language test results from other institutions of higher education.

\*More information on the "Common European Framework of Reference for Languages":  
[http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common\\_European\\_Framework\\_of\\_Reference\\_for\\_Languages](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Common_European_Framework_of_Reference_for_Languages)