Get Ready for the IBP!

Study Advisers, IBP

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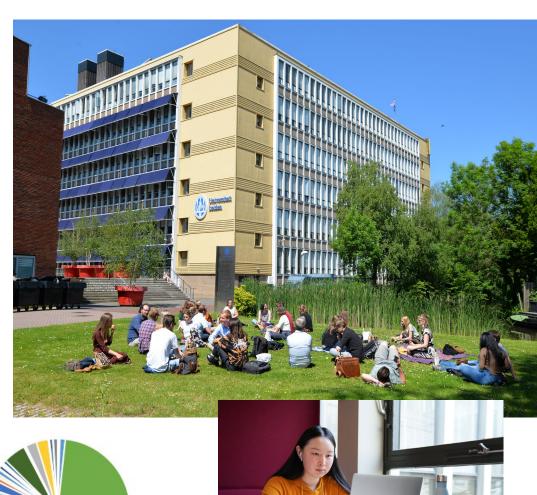
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Who are you?

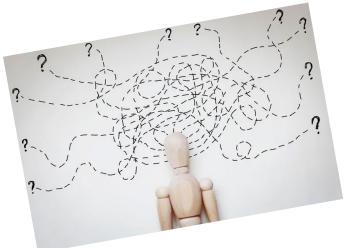
- Around 50 different nationalities!
- Different backgrounds = a lot of fun!
- Different educational system? Check before you start.
- Respect each other's cultures, and help each other





Prepare Your Stay

Is your <u>checklist</u> done?











Prepare your stay - Leiden University (universiteitleiden.nl)

Get off to a great start!

Do you feel ready to start an academic programme?

- Make sure to read through all the information here
- If you have a learning or other disability make an appointment with <u>Fenestra Disability</u>
 Centre before mid September.
- If you are not used to multiple choice test make sure to address this at the **start** of the year before the November exams (<u>PopCorner</u>, or other study skills <u>workshops</u>)
- Some students may want to review statistics and biology if they haven't had them for a while.
- Think about your study schedule and where and when studying works best for you. Check out a few of the libraries to see where you feel most at home.
- Make sure you have all the tools you need (books, internet, laptop, calculator...)

Focus on your <u>well-being</u> from the start of your studies!

Be proactive, if you need support, seek help!

<u>Information for first generation</u> students



A new, exciting and busy phase of your life.

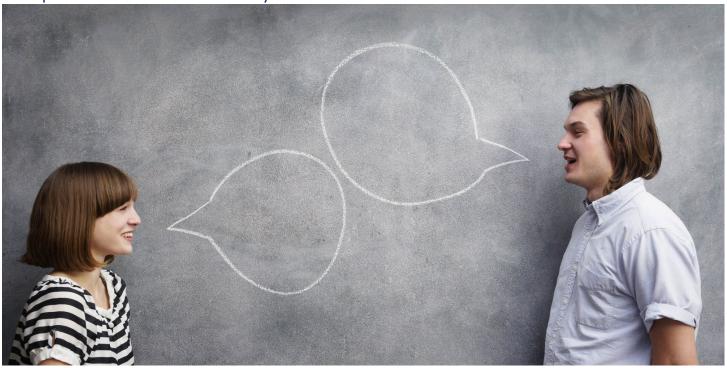
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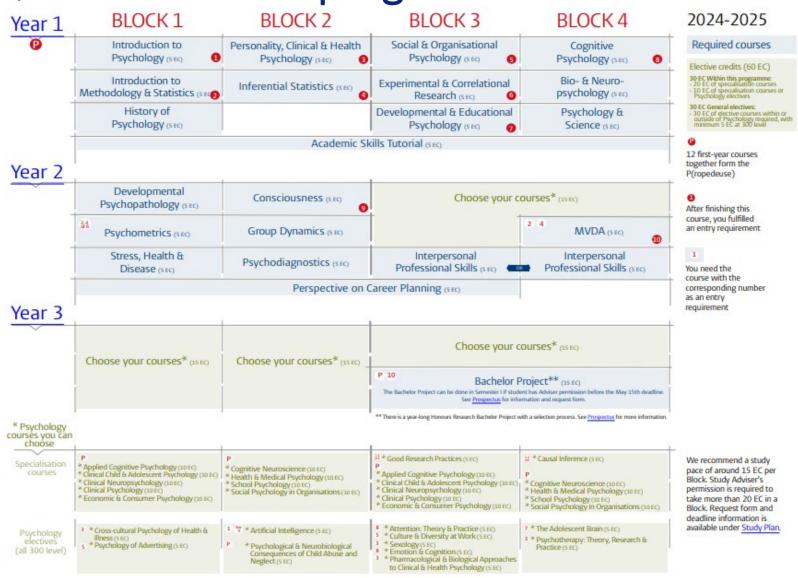


Appropriate Communication and Behaviour

All verbal, written and nonverbal communication must be respectful and inclusive. This includes social media.

Review the <u>Student Charter</u> to see what the university expects of you and what you can expect from the university





Psychology Academic Calendar 24-25

Student website > Your study programme > Study plan

Student well-being

ROADMAP

STUDENT WELL-BEING AT LEIDEN UNIVERSITY

Find out how to boost your well-being and who to contact for support on our student well-being website

FIRST POINT OF CONTACT

If you are experiencing academic challenges or personal circumstances that impact your well-being and/or studies, the first person to contact is your study adviser or coordinator

IMPROVE YOUR MENTAL WELL-BEING

- Want to work on your well-being?
 Try one of our eHealth modules
- You can also make an appointment with a <u>student</u> <u>psychologist</u> for study-related and personal problems. They offer various training courses as well
- Do you want to get started with your mental well-being? Use one of our E-health modules from <u>Caring Universities</u> and <u>Gezonde Boel</u>

MEET OTHER STUDENTS

- Navigating Dutch student life? Join one of the activities at your faculty's POPcorner or get in touch with the Meeting Point: <u>POPcorner FSW</u> -POPcorner Humanities - <u>POPcorner The Hague</u> - <u>Meeting Point</u>
- Download the <u>Uni-Life</u> app to join or build a student community, discover events and other student-to-student activities
- Study association: social and academic activities
- Student association: social activities, sports, games and more
- Diversity and inclusion <u>networks and communities</u>
- Peer support: student buddy programmes & student support groups
- Participate in one of the artistic and creative courses offered by the <u>LAK</u> (Leiden Academic Art Centre)
- Contact <u>RAPENBURG100</u> to work on your personal development
- Exercise together at the <u>University Sports Centre</u>



IMPROVE YOUR STUDY SKILLS

- Learn about study skills, mindmapping or preparing for exams in the one-hour online introduction workshops offered by the ePOPcorner
- Visit the <u>website</u> for an overview of workshops, courses and support groups

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

- Financial and legal matters
 Contact the student counsellors
- Disability facilities
 Contact the <u>Fenestra Disability Centre</u>
- Study choice and careers
 Visit <u>Leiden University Career Zone</u> or the <u>alumni Mentor Network</u>
- Unacceptable behaviour such as sexual harassment or discrimination
 Contact the confidential counsellor. In case of sexual violence, the Sexual Assault Centre can offer professional help. If you experience difficulties with your studies because of harassment or discrimination, inform your study adviser or coordinator, or make an appointment with a student psychologist.



- Medical care Make an appointment with your general practitioner (GP).
 Find one at: kiesuwhuisarts.nl
- Mental health Your GP can refer you to a mental health specialist
- Life-threatening situations Call 112
- Suicidal thoughts
 Call 113. From a non-Dutch phone:
 call your country's hotline. Alternatively, chat with someone at 113.
- Urgent psychological help Contact your GP. Outside of office hours, contact the out-of-hours doctor in Leiden or The Hague



VIDEO STUDENT WELL-BEING

Watch this short video on what to do if you encounter problems during your studies



roadmap-student-well-being-en.pdf (universiteitleiden.nl)

Questions

