

Semester Program minor Humanities

Subject	description	ECTS
Humanities Research / educational design	<p>This program focusses on citizenship. The students learn about all aspects of citizenship in society and perform a research and educational design of the topic 'citizenship' in the Dutch primary education system. Language education classes are integrated in this program.</p> <p>The minor takes 14 education weeks, alternated by internship weeks and holidays. Classes are two or three times a week, with a total of 5 to 6 hours a week. Besides classes students have time to work on their research and educational design.</p> <p>Students make a digital assessment-file of several parts of the Humanities minor assignment.</p>	15
Internship	<p>The students will go to a Dutch primary school for their internship. They will go there at least one day a week. This depends on the possibilities in the school. The students are able to see the Dutch education system in practice and teach children about citizenship, but also f.e. English language, arts and crafts, geography or other subjects. The educational design is closely related to the internship and the students perform their educational design at the internship school.</p> <p>The execution of the educational design takes up to 6 hours.</p> <p>Students make a report on their internship and have an assessment conversation with the teacher and the coordinator of teacher training in the school of internship.</p>	6
Dutch Language and culture	<p>The students are encouraged to investigate aspects of Dutch culture and share information with fellow students. Discussion about these aspects is an important part of the Dutch Culture classes.</p> <p>Students are stimulated to visit places of interest in the Netherlands. During the course, we visit for instance the Rietveld-Schröder House and the governmental city of The Hague. Also, students are challenged to discover Utrecht and its surroundings in their free time.</p> <p>The students will take Dutch lessons. In this small course (14 education weeks, one hour a week) students will learn to introduce themselves in Dutch and understand and participate in a small conversation in internship. Reading aloud a children's book is trained in class and performed in the school of internship.</p> <p>Part of the language course is self-study with DuoLingo. (Students may propose alternative apps, please contact the teacher about this.)</p>	6

	Students make a digital assessment-file of several parts of the Dutch Language and Culture assignment.	
Study Coaching	In the coaching sessions we will discuss the progress of minor activities and internship. The expectations of studying in the Netherlands and the well-being of the students is often a conversation topic. Together we reflect on experiences in internship. Students make a digital assessment-file of several parts of the Study coaching assignment.	3
Total		30



When?

Autumn or Spring semester

Deadline application 1 May or 1 November.

ECTS?

30 ECTS.

Where?

The Marnix Academie is situated close to the city centre of Utrecht in a pleasant area of the city.

The Marnix Academie is a university specialized in primary education, where everyone is welcome. As a university we are small but just large as faculty of teacher training. In our building is everything about education and most lectures have their roots in primary education. So they know what it is to teach in primary schools. You will get in touch with the informal atmosphere with fellow students, faculty and staff.

Bike and public transport

In order to make their stay as convenient as possible, it is highly recommended that Erasmus students have a bike and a 'OV-kaart'. Both can be bought or hired after arrival in The Netherlands