# Turkey - Izmir Yasar University

Yasar University, an English medium, foundation university, is located in the centre of the city of Izmir on the scenic west coast of Turkey. The university offers over 60 degree programmes at undergraduate and postgraduate level. Students are given every opportunity to make the most of their university years; a professional education in a supportive learning environment. The University’s links with the business sector and global universities make the campus an ideal environment for personal development and learning with an international dimension.

# Useful links:

Official website: <http://international.yasar.edu.tr/>

Fact sheet: <http://international.yasar.edu.tr/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/Fact-sheet-English-26-11-15-son.pdf>

Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/YasarUniv/?fref=ts>

# Programmes of Tourism:

More information about the study programme: <http://international.yasar.edu.tr/programs/>

# Academic calendar:

Detailed academic calendar: <http://international.yasar.edu.tr/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/Academic_Calendar_2015-20161.pdf>

# Transport

**By airplane** – the best way how to travel to Turkey is probably by airplane. It is possible to fly to Izmir from Vienna or Prague with one transfer

**By bus – travelling by bus** is the **easiest, cheapest and most popular way how to travel in Turkey; dozens of bus companies; o**ften, buses are so **frequent** that you needn't reserve them in advance, except around holidays

link to top bus companies in Turkey<http://www.turkeytravelplanner.com/trans/Bus/top_firms.html>

**By train:**

**Turkish State Railways** (TCDD, DDY) – the high speed trains

**Link to the most important train routes in Turkey** <http://www.turkeytravelplanner.com/trans/Train/best_trains.html>

**Metro:**

Izmir has a subway network that is constantly being extended with new stations; it consist of one line (the second one is planning) with 14 stations; the length is about 16 kilometres.

# Facilities:

Yasar University has an extensive array of services to support students´ health, education and social development, ensuring a rich and successful educational experience. The facilities and activites represent a focal point for students and staff to interact in a creative and social athmosphere, which strengthens the relationships and the interactions within the university community.

Facilities: Sports Centre, Electronic Information and Document Centre, Media Centre, Medical Services

# Cost of living:

Student life in the Aegean is known to be one of the most affordable in Turkey, thanks to the mild climate and the abundance of local food. An average monthly student budget is outlined below for guidance purposes. Costs will vary according to each individual’s needs.

Rented flat 250 USD

Clothes, books, other expenses 60 USD

Entertainment 50 USD

Transportation 40 USD

Food 100 USD

Monthly total 500 USD

# Izmir life

Detailed information about life in Izmir: <http://international.yasar.edu.tr/izmir-make-it-your-life/welcome-to-izmi/>

# Accommodation:

Izmir offers many great housing choices including Yasar University´s new Halls of Residence. The University campus is centrally located which means there are many flats, houses and other accommodation options available. International Office is always available to provide assistance in finding an accommodation that best suits student´s needs.

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