

INFORMATION SHEET 2025-2026

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Website	https://www.insa-rennes.fr/index.html
	https://www.insa-rennes.fr/en.html
Virtual tour of INSA campus	https://360degres.info/insa-rennes/





7 engineering programs	EII - Electronic and Computer Engineering
	MA – Applied Mathematics
	INFO - Computer Science
	ET – Electronics and Telecommunications
	GCU - Civil Engineering
	GMA - Mechanical and Control Systems Engineering
	GPM – Physics and Material Engineering
	https://www.insa-rennes.fr/syllabus-descriptions.html
	https://www.insa-rennes.fr/en/master-by-research.html
Masters of Science	Some master programs may not be open to exchange students (contact us for further information: incoming@insa-rennes.fr)
	https://www.insa-rennes.fr/syllabus-descriptions.html
	Each brochure contains for a given speciality:
	the list of courses with handout in English or that can
Course Description	be given in Englishthe list of <u>all courses</u> for semester 7 (Autumn)
(Syllabus)	 the list of <u>air courses</u> for semester 7 (Addmin) the set of detailed description of courses for semester 7
	similarly for semester 8 (Spring)
	for semester 9 (Autumn)
	and for semester 10 (Spring)
Academic Calendar	Autumn/Fall semester : September – January Spring semester : January – June
	Academic calendar 2025-2026 available soon
	Academic calendar 2024-2025 available online
Nomination of selected students	Partners institutions should fill in the document "nomination form 2025_2026.xls" and forward it by e-mail to incoming@insa-rennes.fr
Online application form (in English or French)	Application process available here: https://www.insa-rennes.fr/application-exchange-program.html
	Partner institutions will receive information about nomination and application process with a link for online application in February (Fall 2025) and in September (Spring 2026)
	All items must be uploaded online. No hardcopy is required.
Deadline for application	15 th April for Autumn/Fall semester or academic year
	31 st October for Spring semester



Contacts for the Online Learning Agreement - OLA (Erasmus+ only)	Acceptation of students in a curriculum is subject to approval of the academic supervisor of this curriculum. We advise students to choose courses in the same year of studies to avoid time-table conflicts: - semester 5: 1st semester of the 3rd year (Fall/Autumn) - semester 6: 2nd semester of the 3rd year (Spring) - semester 7: 1st semester of the 4th year (Fall/Autumn) - semester 8: 2nd semester of the 4th year (Spring) - semester 9: 1st semester of the 5th year (Fall/Autumn) For the same reason, students cannot choose courses in various fields of study. Students can contact the department coordinator or send a
	message to incoming@insa-rennes.fr for any assistance. Students should fill in and sign the learning agreement form (can be downloaded in online application), make it signed by their home institution and finally upload it in their online application. EII – Laurent BEDAT MA – MA – Mohamed CAMAR-EDDINE
	INFO – Barbara FILA ET – Joumana FARAH GCU – Kinda HANNAWI GMA – Sylvain GUEGAN GPM – Laurent PEDESSEAU
Language of instruction	IMPORTANT: Please note that most of the courses are taught in French. Some courses have handout in English or can be taught in English. Please check the list of these courses (select the chosen field of studies): https://www.insa-rennes.fr/courses-taught-in-english.html Non-French-speaking students can combine courses taught in English or with handout in English, French Language Course and a research project to earn their 30 ECTS/semester (please refer to the « Projects » section of this factsheet) Contact us for any assistance: incoming@insa-rennes.fr





Language requirements	Student mobility for Studies: A1 in French and B1 in English if curriculum in English B1 in French if curriculum in French (according to the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR) Staff mobility for Teaching: B2 in teaching language
Grading system in our Institution (non-contractual)	A excellent: 16-20 B very good: 15 C good: 14 D satisfactory: 12 E sufficient: 10 F insufficient/failure: 9 and below
ECTS Credits	Studies at INSA Rennes are flexible as the school uses the ECTS (European Credit Transfer System). When courses are successfully completed, the students earn credits; the normal total for an INSA student being 30 credits per semester. The student's choice and number of credits must be approved by both the home university and INSA.
	Exchange students are required to attend a French Language course (4 hrs/week) for 4 ECTS credits per semester.
	Courses codes for the learning agreement:
French as a Foreign Language (FLE)	Fall semester
	EC-HUMF07-FLE = 3 ECTS for courses EC-HUMF07-LV3P = 1 ECTS for a project
	Spring semester
	EC-HUMF08-FLE = 3 ECTS for courses EC-HUMF08-LV3P = 1 ECTS for a project
	For more information: https://fle.insa-rennes.fr/programmes-dechanges
	Double-degree students must obtain a B2 certificate in French (DELF-DALF) for INSA Engineering diploma. If the student cannot provide this certificate in the application process, he/she will have to attend a French course during the stay to prepare for the test.

	All departments can supervise projects in their research labs. INSA Rennes offers three possibilities for a full semester. Two students can work on the same project, report and defense.
	Course codes (for the learning agreement):
	Fall semester
	DEI-F1-MOB-10: project for 10 ECTS (1,5 day per week) DEI-F1-MOB-15: project for 15 ECTS (2,5 days per week) DEI-F1-MOB-24: project for 24 ECTS (4 days per week)
Projects	Spring semester
	DEI-F2-MOB-10: project for 10 ECTS (1,5 day per week) DEI-F2-MOB-15: project for 15 ECTS (2,5 days per week) DEI-F2-MOB-24: project for 24 ECTS (4 days per week)
	Students choosing the 24 ECTS project must add a minimum of 4 ECTS additional courses (for example French course).
	In addition to the exchange application process, students should contact the department coordinator to apply for a project. Contact incoming@insa-rennes.fr for any questions.
Inclusion and disability support	INSA Rennes supports disabled students: https://www.insa-rennes.fr/inclusion-and-disability-support.html https://www.insa-rennes.fr/handicap.html For any assistance, please contact incoming@insa-rennes.fr
	Service VIE AU CAMPUS
	serv-vac@insa-rennes.fr http://www.insa-rennes.fr/en/accommodation.html
Accommodation	To apply for accommodation, students should tick the relevant box in their online application. An online accommodation application link will be forwarded after admission. Exchange and DD students have no priority for a studette or a studio.
	Autumn/Fall semester: last week of August 2025 Spring semester: beginning-mid January 2026
Arrival date	The exact arrival date will be provided in your admission letter.
	Academic calendar 2025-2026 available soon
	Academic calendar 2024-2025 available online
Visa	Students from outside Europe should ask for a student visa. We advise them to ask for a long stay visa VLS-TS instead of a temporary long stay visa (VLS-T) otherwise they will not be able to extend their visa if they wish to prolong their exchange study period. More information:



	https://france-visas.gouv.fr/en_US/web/france-visas/ https://cmi.univ-rennes.fr/
Cost estimates per month (in Euro) For exchange and DD students Welcome service	(Applicable rates in 2024/2025. Rates are revised each year) - Housing: 309 euros - Deposit: 450 euros once upon arrival (refundable at the end of the stay if there is no damage in the room) - Meals: 1 meal at INSA restaurant costs 3,30 euros, 1 fast-food meal costs 5/6 euros - Local transportation: from 19 to 23 euros - Student Life National tax-CVEC (for DD students only – payable once for INSA registration: 103 euros) - Additional health, liability insurances: from 20 to 70 euros - Insurance for Accommodation: from 20 to 60 euros per year - Visa validation tax stamp once upon arrival (for non-European students arriving with a long stay visa (VLS-TS): 75 euros Students can benefit from a welcome service at Rennes train station or airport. INSA students will take them to the INSA residences and the International Relations Office. Students should fill in an arrival form to register for the welcome service. Contact: welcomestudents@insarennes.fr
Buddy program	To facilitate the integration of international students, INSA Rennes supports the BEAR Club: Instagram @bear_insa
Summer programs	Learn French in Brittany's top Engineering Schools <u>summer.school@insa-rennes.fr</u> https://www.insa-rennes.fr/french-summer-school.html The best start for your studies in France 4-week or 2-week program https://sites-formations.univ-rennes2.fr/cirefe/en/summer-university/

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