

Principles and Procedures for PE / BE-Coded Courses

Undergraduate Students May Take in a Semester

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Please be advised that the PE-coded courses offered in both English and Turkish in the Humanities and Social Sciences Department at the Faculty of Social Sciences have been re-designed as **PE-coded courses for English-medium undergraduate programs** and **BE-coded courses for Turkish-medium undergraduate programs** as of the 2021-2022 Spring Semester. Accordingly, the applicable principles for PE- and BE-coded courses that undergraduate students may take in a semester in their respective undergraduate programs are set forth as follows:

- a) Only one PE-coded or **BE-coded** course can be taken in a semester, excluding course repetitions,
- b) Effective from 2021-2022 Spring semester, a maximum of two PE-coded course can be counted towards the degree credits in English-medium undergraduate programs, while only a maximum of **two BE-coded or PE-coded courses** can be counted towards the degree credits in Turkish-medium undergraduate programs.
- c) All **BE-coded** courses taken and successfully completed before the 2021-2022 Fall semester will be counted towards the degree credits to the extent the curriculum allows in Turkish-medium undergraduate programs, even though the number of BE-coded courses exceeds the maximum threshold defined in clause “b” above.
- d) All PE-coded courses successfully completed before the 2019-2020 academic year will be counted towards the degree credits to the extent the curriculum allows in Turkish and English-medium undergraduate programs, even though the number of PE-coded courses exceeds the maximum threshold defined in clause “b” above .