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Recognition of Certificates and Diplomas

Candidate group / country of document issue	First-cycle studies — requirements	Second-cycle studies — requirements	Language proficiency	Information from the Director of NAWA
EU / EFTA / EEA and OECD countries — documents issued in these countries	A secondary school-leaving certificate giving access to higher education in the country of issue; usually recognised by operation of law.	A diploma confirming completion of the relevant level of education; in the case of a foreign diploma, a translation is required if the document is not in Polish or English.	Confirmation of proficiency in the language of instruction; B2 level or a language test.	Usually not required for certificates recognised by operation of law.
United Kingdom	A document giving access to higher education; in many lists it is treated as a separate category.	Verification of the diploma, level of education and fulfilment of the university's requirements.	A language certificate or another form of confirmation, if this is not evident from the candidate's documents.	No
Ukraine	A document confirming completion of secondary education / a certificate giving access to higher education, taking into account current recognition rules.	A Ukrainian diploma requires verification of authenticity, level of education and any applicable recognition requirements.	Confirmation of proficiency in the language of instruction at B2 level, unless an exemption is provided for by the regulations.	Depending on the document and the basis for recognition.
Other countries — documents from outside the EU/EFTA/OECD and not covered by an agreement	A foreign education document together with written information from the Director of NAWA confirming eligibility to apply for admission to studies, if required.	A diploma together with written information from the Director of NAWA, if the diploma has not been recognised on the basis of an international agreement or nostrification.	A document certifying proficiency in the language of instruction at least at B2 level.	Basis for recognition of the document.

List of EFTA Countries: Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Switzerland.

List of OECD Countries: Australia, Mexico, Austria, the Netherlands, Belgium, Germany, Chile, Norway, Colombia, New Zealand, Costa Rica, Poland, Czech Republic, Portugal, Denmark, Slovakia, Estonia, Slovenia, Finland, the United States, France, Switzerland, Greece, Sweden, Spain, Türkiye, Ireland, Hungary, Iceland, the United Kingdom, Israel, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Canada, Lithuania, South Korea, Luxembourg.