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# Admission to Aalto Bachelor's Programme in Science and Technology

Aalto University Admission Services  
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# Important about the application process

## Aalto University's application to English-taught bachelor's programmes is its own application

- Separate from the first and second joint applications!
- You can apply to max. 3 study options

## Study options must be ranked in the order of preference

- Place first the study option you most wish to be admitted to
- You can only be admitted to the highest-ranked option for which your admission results are sufficient
- You must finalise the preference order during the application period!

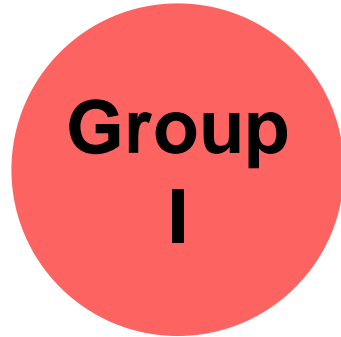


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# Eligibility to apply

- All applicants must fulfill the **general eligibility requirements for higher education**
- You need to have completed, or to complete in the spring of 2026, an upper secondary education that gives access to university-level studies in the country in which the degree was awarded  
→ Usually a **high school diploma**
- The SAT/ACT test is **optional**, if your qualification is:
  - Finnish matriculation examination
  - International Baccalaureate (IB) Diploma
  - European Baccalaureate (EB) Diploma
  - Deutsches Internationales Abitur (DIA) or Reifeprüfung (RP) diploma completed in Finland
- For other qualifications SAT/ACT is **compulsory**

# Admission groups



- Admission based on SAT/ACT
- For applicants **without** Finnish matriculation examination / IB / EB / RP / DIA
- Applicants ranked according to their SAT/ACT score



- Admission based on SAT/ACT
- For applicants **with** Finnish matriculation examination / IB / EB / RP / DIA
- Applicants ranked according to their SAT/ACT score



- Admission based on grades
- For applicants **with** Finnish matriculation examination / IB / EB / RP / DIA
- Applicants ranked according to points they receive from their grades

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# Minimum requirements in admission groups I & II

	SAT	ACT
Total	1350	29
Maths	700	30

- **Test completed on or after 1 January 2024**
  - **Deadline** for the test results: **29 January 2026** at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+2).
  - Test results must be delivered directly by the test organiser to Aalto University. You must also attach a copy of the SAT or ACT test result report to your application form.
- **Required test sections**
  - **SAT:** Evidence-Based Reading and Writing, Mathematics
  - **ACT:** Reading, English, Mathematics, Science

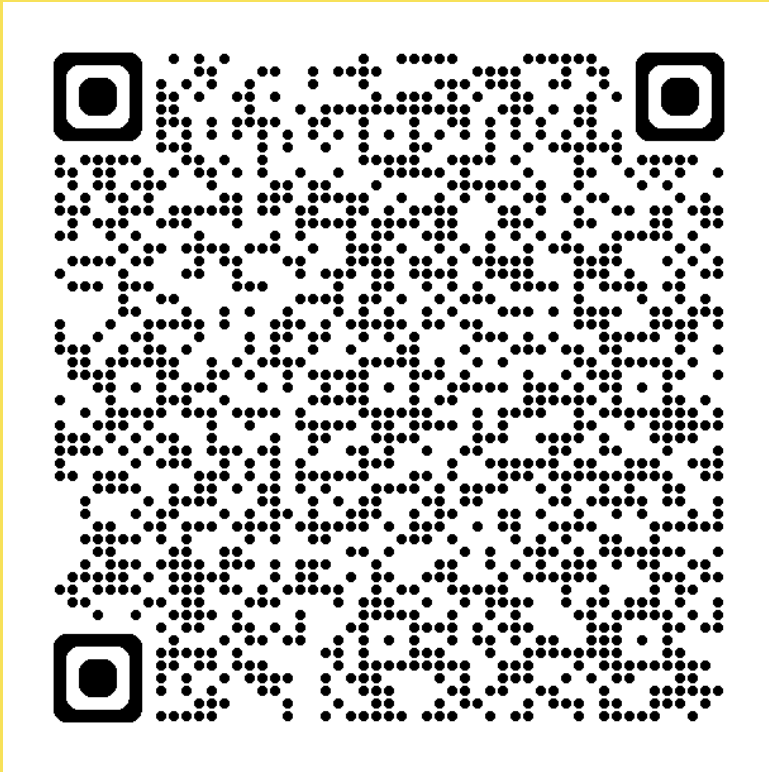
# Minimum requirements in admission group III

- Threshold criteria (Finnish matriculation examination):
  - Advanced mathematics AND physics OR chemistry with passing grade
  - At least one of the required subjects with min. **C** grade
- Your **total points** are calculated from the following subjects:
  - Mathematics
  - Mother tongue / equivalent advanced language
  - Physics OR chemistry
  - 2 other subjects that give you the highest points

Check the threshold criteria for IB, EB and DIA/RP diplomas on the application instructions webpage

Points awarded for each grade and subject are available on the application instructions webpage!

# Before applying



- **Read the application instructions and admission criteria on our website carefully!**
- **Prepare attachments**
- **If needed: book an SAT or ACT test**
  - The deadline for test results is 29 January 2026 at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+2)

# Submitting the application

- **Submit your application between 7 January at 8:00AM (UTC+2) and 22 January 2026 at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+2)**  
→ **Do not leave applying to the last minute!**
- **Submit your application documents between 7 January at 8:00AM and 29 January 2026 at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+2)**

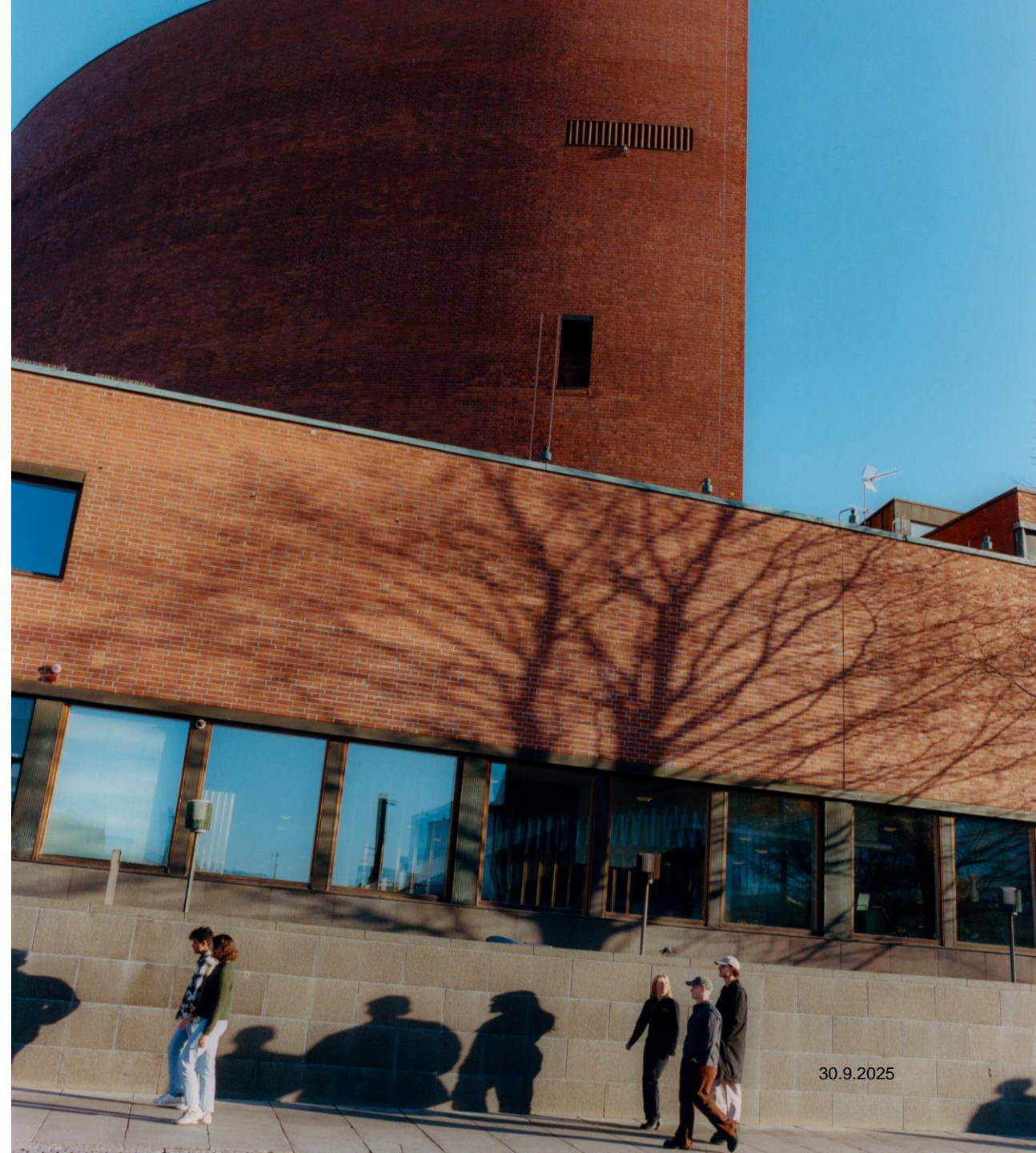


# After applying

- **Check your email regularly in case we need to contact you about your application!**
- **Wait for the publication of results**
  - Admission groups I and II (SAT/ACT-based admission): by 26 March 2026
  - Admission group III (certificate-based admission): by 27 May 2026
- **Applicants with certain incomplete degrees: submit the required documents by the given deadlines**

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# Accepted?

- **Accept your study place offer by 9 July 2026 at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+3)!**



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# Waitlisted?

- **Admission from the waiting list ends on 4 August at 15:00/3:00PM (UTC+3), or earlier if all study places are filled**

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