

Did you know...

... the CUBE is open in the weekends as an extra study facility during exam weeks. You can book your seat in the LibCal app.

... in the second block, all lectures will take place on the campus again.

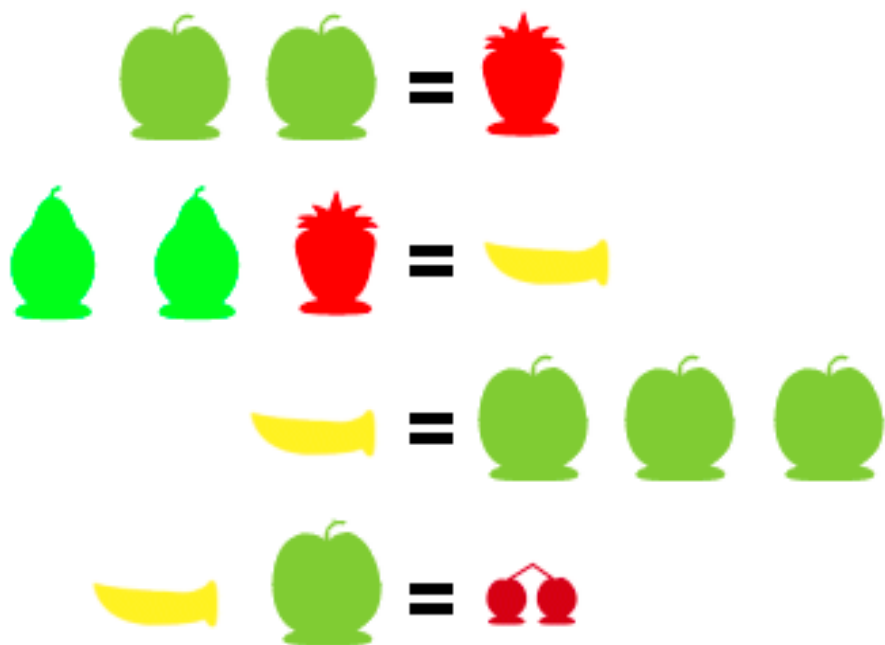
... the Restaurant building will be expanded. At this moment the construction is taking place and it is expected to be finished next December.

... that at the Tilburg University Cantus 8500 liters of beer were consumed.

Update University Council

Last Thursday, the first University Council of this academic year took place. All parties gave their opening speech. During the University Council the response to the initiative proposal from the Independents on transparency and accountability in PhD-matters and the Year Annual on CvP was discussed. Besides, the Executive Board announced that the Cube will be open from 10:00 until 18:00 in the weekends during exam periods. Next to this, Student Party Front asked why many lectures are still not recorded, while the equipment is available in the lecture rooms. The Executive Board responded that the Schools have authority over the recorded lectures. Student Parties Front and SAM raised questions regarding physical examination. They asked the Executive Board if they have thought about a solution for students who cannot take their exams on campus, due to lack of housing or due to (fear of) Covid-19. The Executive Board believes that students will be sufficiently accommodated if they can still take the exams in the second period. SAM also addressed the Amnesty manifesto about the unwanted sexual behavior amongst students. The board responded that they are willing to discuss this and invited SAM to join the conversation.

Let's 'plee' with Tuna



Upcoming Events

- 24-29 OKTOBER**
JADS Dataweek
- 6 NOVEMBER**
Bachelor's Open Day
- 18 NOVEMBER**
Dies Natalis TiU
- 20 NOVEMBER**
Master's Open Day
- 27 NOVEMBER**
Warandeloop
- 16 DECEMBER**
University Council

Quality Agreements Explained

Quality agreements are agreements made to improve the quality of higher education. In 2015, the basic grant (basis beurs) was abolished and the loan system came as its replacement. This change in student compensation created a budget that has been reinvested. The government, educational institutions and student organizations made agreements on what the money should be invested in. The following six themes came out of this:



Educational institutions were given the opportunity to draw up a plan on how they would spend the money on their institution. These proposals were then assessed by the Netherlands-Flemish Accreditation Organization (NVAO). The NVAO gives advice to the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science. The Ministry then approves the plans. If these are not approved, the institution is given one year to make an improvement. Within each educational institution, the plans are put together by a collaboration of teachers, students and employees. The Council of each institution is involved in making and implementing the plans. In addition, the council needs to give consent on this. In the annual report of the universities and HBO you can read what has been done with the money from the quality agreements.

Do you have questions, input or something you like to see changed at our university?

Share it with us by scanning the qr-code!

