

Did you know...

... that it has been decided to decrease the BSA norm from 42 to 36 credits this academic year.

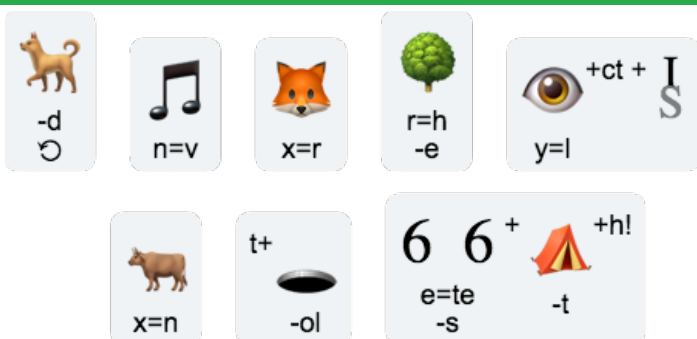
... that this year the study associations are joining forces with Student Career Services to help you prepare even better for the job market? The Company Days of the EBT, JBT, SCT and TSHD Career Day will take place during the Tilburg University Career Week from April 19-22, 2022.

... that you can now vote via the Tilburg University website for our athletes with special achievements who you would like to give a place on the Wall of Fame in Olympia

Update University Council

On the 10th of February another University Council took place. A couple of things have been discussed, such as the appointment of a student assessor within the Executive Board. In the light of the new strategy of Tilburg University, the Executive Board expressed the wish to add a student-assessor as an advisor to the Executive Board. The student perspective would then be more directly involved in the decision-making process. Another subject the Council spoke about is the Internal Allocation Model. The Executive Board drafted a Memo as a response on the report about the evaluation of the internal allocation model. The Council for example spoke about a pilot for EC-funding, interdisciplinarity, flexibility and the consequences of this proposal. The University Council also spoke about the yearly adjustment of the Registration and Tuition Fee Regulation and discussed a PhD survey. The lowering of the BSA (Binding Study Advice) to 36 ECTS was also pointed out. Next to that, Student Party Front asked the Executive Board about their standpoints regarding de 'zachte knip' (soft cut), since Front believes it would be the right thing to implement for the upcoming year. Student Party Front also handed in an initiative regarding trainings for student confidential advisors at associations. This way, these confidential advisors will be trained to be an accessible point of contact for students within their association who have to deal with abuse. Student Party SAM has sent a letter about sexual harassment amongst students, in which SAM presents ideas how to tackle this issue better. Next to that, Student Party SAM handed in an initiative regarding a Mental Health Check. The main purpose of this mental health check is the early identification and awareness of mental problems among students.

Let's Play with Tuna



Roadmap Well Being

Student life is not always easy: Where to go?

Student Pastor

Personal life questions, existential questions, issues of meaning, questions that demonstrate a desire to discover what good living is and how to shape it.



Social worker

For additional help and support with problems you may encounter in daily life that interfere with your studies.



Student Dean

Advises, mediates and refers about all problems you may encounter during your studies. Also advises the Executive Board and Examination boards on special circumstances.



Education Coordinator

Know everything about the educational programs and transition regulations, specializations and electives, the Binding Study Advice, the schedule, the faculty et cetera. For questions about this or about your study progress and/or study planning, please contact the education coordinator.



Career Coaches

Provide training and workshops on study choice and preparation for the job market and provide individualized pathways for students (up to one year after graduation)



Confidants

They are here for everyone at Tilburg University and are the contact point for employees, students and guests who have to deal with undesirable behavior, (sexual) harassment, bullying or discrimination.



Student Psychologists

Offer short-term, targeted help with study and study problems, short-term personal problems, and guidance on problems directly affecting studies.



Municipal Council Elections

On the **16th of March** the municipality elections will take place. Every inhabitant from the municipality of Tilburg will be able to cast their vote. You will have a choice between 14 different parties; 4 local parties and 10 national parties. There are 45 seats in the municipality council, right now Lijst Smolders is the biggest with 11 seats, followed by D66 with 9 and both Groenlinks and VVD hold 6 seats. In 2018, 77823 people voted which was 45% of the eligible voters. The municipality would like to see more students at the 'stemlokalen'. So they launched a campaign 'De verkiezingen en ik' where a lot of organisations organise events to try and excite the younger generation about voting. One of these events will be held on the university. On the 23rd of February a debate will be hosted for the upcoming municipality elections. It will take place in the Auditorium and will start at 19:30. Nine different parties will discuss topics relevant to students, such as housing, the growth of Tilburg, internationalization and safety. If you want to find more information about the event, speakers or anything else. You can check out on instagram: @het_tilburgs_studentendebat.

