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CALL FOR ADMISSION

selection reserved for EU and EU-Equated citizens

English taught Master's degree programmes with a limited number of places

FOOD, NUTRITION AND HEALTH

Instructions for candidates with an Italian entry title

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SUMMARY OF DEADLINES FOR THE YEAR 2026

PRE-ENROLMENT	From 10 March to 10 April
APPLICATION FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF THE MINIMUM CURRICULAR REQUIREMENTS	From 10 March to 10 April
LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT DOCUMENTATION	Submit it by 31 July
OBTAINMENT OF ENTRY TITLE	Obtain your entry title and update it on Uniweb by 31 July.
RANKING LIST	Publication date: 7 May. Enrol from 8 to 15 May
BEFORE REASSIGNMENT	Check Uniweb on 3 June. Enrol from 3 to 10 June
SECOND REASSIGNMENT	Check Uniweb on 17 June. Enrol from 17 to 24 June
THIRD REASSIGNMENT	Check Uniweb on 2 July. Enrol from 2 to 9 July
FOURTH REASSIGNMENT	Check Uniweb on 5 August. Enrol from 5 to 24 August
MORE REASSIGNMENTS	They are activated whether there are any remaining places available to access the degree programme and candidates in the ranking list. On 25 August, the page https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition will be updated with further information..

Are you not among the people admitted or did you not participate in the selection?

FURTHER SELECTION (IF APPLICABLE)	<p>In case of withdrawal of winning candidates and in order to fill the available places, if not reached during the selection referred to in this call, a further selection is activated.</p> <p>The application must be submitted from 15 July to 28 August (12.00).</p> <p>Full information on how to participate in the selection and the allocation of vacant places are published in a dedicated call for admission: https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition</p>
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However, it is recommended to pay attention to the information contained in the entire call for admission.

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1. GENERAL INFORMATION

Selections are open for admission to the first year of the Master's Degree Programmes with limited access of the Scuola di Agraria e Medicina Veterinaria¹ indicated in the table below, for the academic year 2026/27. The degree programmes are delivered in English.

Information on the courses and the teaching regulations of each degree programme are available on page https://www.unipd.it/corsi?ss360Query=*, selecting the degree programme of interest.

This document is an integral part of the call for the selection of Italian, EU or equivalent candidates, **with an Italian entry title**.

Information for candidates with a foreign entry title is available in a dedicated document, also an integral part of the call, published on the page <https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition>.

1.1 Course, location and places available

Degree Class D.M. 270/04	Master's Degree programme	Venue	Places for EU* and EU- equated citizens	Places for non-EU citizens residing abroad
LM-61	Food, Nutrition and Health	Legnaro (PD)	15	15

*of the European Union

Places reserved for non-EU candidates residing abroad who remain vacant due to a complete scrolling of the rankings are put up for competition in the first useful scrolling of the ranking list for EU or equivalent candidates.

1.2 Admission requirements

To be eligible, candidates must:

1. obtain a **three-year degree in Italy or an equivalent foreign qualification** by 31 July 2026², according to current legislation.
2. Be in possession of the **curricular requirements** and **personal preparation** required, as indicated in [point 4](#);
3. **Participate in the selection** process by following the procedures and deadlines indicated in [point 2](#);
4. **Be admitted**: the ranking list and any assignments and repechages are published on the dates and pages provided for by each selection;
5. **Enrol**: admitted candidates must submit an application for enrolment, change of degree programme or transfer from another university within the peremptory deadlines set by each selection.

¹ The activation of the first year of the courses of study is subject to their accreditation in accordance with the provisions of Ministerial Decree 1154/2021 "Self-assessment, evaluation, initial and periodic accreditation of locations and courses of study"; therefore the course will not be activated in the event of non-accreditation. The activation of any curricula is also subject to the achievement of a minimum number of 5 students enrolled for each of them. All information relating to the activation of the course is published on the internet address <http://www.unipd.it>

² For information on access to courses for candidates with a foreign access qualification, check the document published on page <https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition>

1.3 Criteria for the formation of the admission ranking list

The ranking list is formed on the basis of the evaluation of the documentation of the academic career (TOR) and the evaluation form available on page www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition. The form must be attached when applying for the selection, as indicated in [point 4](#). Specifically, the following scores are awarded:

- Weighted average of the exams belonging to the admission qualification: from 0 to 30 points
- Knowledge of the English language: from 0 to 5 points, awarded on the basis of the level of knowledge and the possible presence of certifications to support the level of knowledge of the English language. Only the documentation uploaded to the application platform at the time of submission of the application is taken into consideration.;
- Congruence: from 0 to 25 points, awarded on the basis of the relevance and congruence of the exams taken with respect to the knowledge required to access the degree programme (basic knowledge in the agri-food or bio-medical-health fields);
- Activities, awards and other results: from 0 to 25 points, awarded on the basis of the relevance and congruence of recent activities and results (internships, awards, publications, ...) in areas related to those characteristic of the course of study;
- Interview: from 0 to 40 points, awarded on the basis of the ability to communicate and discuss the topics of the course of study, also with an interdisciplinary approach.

The final score of each candidate is expressed in hundredths (0-100) and is given by the sum of the scores in the sections reported.

To be included in the ranking it is necessary to score **greater than or equal to 50/100**.

In the event of a tie, priority is given to the youngest candidate.

1.4 Students with disabilities, SLD and SEN

Students with disabilities, SLD and SEN can contact the Ufficio Servizi agli Studenti – Settore Inclusione (inclusione.studenti@unipd.it) for information on support services for course attendance and for any financial benefits, if any: www.unipd.it/risorse-supporti-studenti-disabilita-difficoltà-apprendimento

2. SELECTIONS: DEADLINES AND DEADLINES TO BE MET

2.1 Selection: deadlines and procedures

Candidates who do not yet possess the entry title may participate in the selection provisionally, with the obligation to obtain the entry title **by 31 July 2026**.

To participate in the selection and access the degree programme it is necessary to:

1. [pre-enrol \(point 3\)](#) in the period **10 March – 10 April 2026** (full day);
2. submit the application for **assessment of curricular requirements** in the period **10 March – 10 April 2026** (full day) ([point 4](#));
3. **submit the required language documentation** ([Annex 2](#)) by **31 July 2026**;

4. Be admitted: the rankings are drawn up as indicated in [point 1.3](#).

The rankings of each degree programme and subsequent assignments are published on the dates and pages indicated in the table below. The publication has the value of official communication to candidates.

5. enrol: the application for enrolment, change of degree programme or transfer from another university must be submitted within the deadlines indicated in the table below. The procedures to be followed are indicated in [point 5](#).

Publication of the ranking list*	Deadline for enrolment, degree programme change and transfer from another university
Ranking: 7/5/2026 (from 3 p.m.) on pages www.unipd.it/en/assessment-results and https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition	from 3.00 p.m. on 8/5/2026 at 11.59 p.m. on 15/5/2026
First Reassignment: 3/6/2026 in your Uniweb reserved area or on the page https://uniweb.unipd.it/Didattica/ElencoConcorsi.do?tipo_corso=CDL	from 3.00 p.m. on 3/6/2026 at 11.59 p.m. on 10/6/2026
Second Reassignment: 17/6/2026 in your Uniweb reserved area or on page https://uniweb.unipd.it/Didattica/ElencoConcorsi.do?tipo_corso=CDL	from 15.00 on 17/6/2026 at 11.59 p.m. on 24/6/2026
Third Reassignment: 2/7/2026 in your Uniweb reserved area or on page https://uniweb.unipd.it/Didattica/ElencoConcorsi.do?tipo_corso=CDL	from 3.00 p.m. on 2/7/2026 at 11.59 p.m. on 9/7/2026
Fourth Reassignment: 5/8/2026 in your Uniweb reserved area or on page https://uniweb.unipd.it/Didattica/ElencoConcorsi.do?tipo_corso=CDL	from 3.00 p.m. on 5/8/2026 at 11.59 p.m. on 24/8/2026
Additional assignments: These are activated on the basis of any remaining places and on the presence of candidates in the ranking list. On 25 August , the page of the call for admission will be updated with further information: https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition .	

Candidates who, at the time of the assignment of the place in the ranking list, do not yet meet the **language requirement** and/or who have not yet obtained the **entry title** are **provisionally admitted**.

Both of these requirements must be met **by July 31, 2026**.

Please note: the deadlines indicated for the acceptance of the place, for the payment of the first instalment of the fees, for the obtainment and update of the entry title and for submitting the required documents are peremptory. Failure to comply is equivalent to **renunciation of the place in the ranking** list and the cancellation of the enrolment application.

2.2 Further selection (if applicable): deadlines and procedures

In case of withdrawal of winning candidates and in order to fill the available places, if not reached during the selection referred to in this call, a further selection is activated.

The application must be submitted **from 15 July to 28 August (12.00)**.

Full information on how to participate in the selection and the allocation of vacant places are published in a dedicated call for admission: <https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition>

3. REGISTRATION AND PRE-ENROLMENT ON THE UNIWEB PORTAL

The pre-enrolment application is completed by accessing the www.uniweb.unipd.it portal

on the dates indicated for the selection (point 2).

3.1 Registration on the Uniweb portal

If you are accessing Uniweb for the first time, you must create a new account by clicking on www.uniweb.unipd.it and on *Menu → Registration*.

At the end of the registration, you will receive an e-mail username and activation code with which to access the uniweb.unipd.it/password/index.php/it/utenti/identifica/azione/a page, where you will be asked to set three security questions and a password. With the username obtained and the password set, you can access your reserved area.

Registration on the www.uniweb.unipd.it portal can also be done using SPID credentials, by clicking on the *Menu → items Registrazione con SPID*.

For access problems, you can contact the University Call Centre (www.unipd.it/callcentre).

Please note: The personal e-mail address entered in your Uniweb profile is the communication channel through which any deadlines and useful instructions for accessing the degree programme are provided. E-mails sent for this purpose have the value of official communication.

3.2 Submitting the pre-enrolment application

To pre-enrol you must:

1. log in with your credentials to www.uniweb.unipd.it, click on the *items Home → Admission Test → Degree programme Type "Master's Degree programme" → Food, Nutrition and Health*;
2. enter the degree to be used for access to the degree programme, if not already present in the system. **Students enrolled at the University of Padua** who are about to graduate can complete the pre-enrolment application only after submitting the online application for the degree. In the event that this application has not yet been submitted, in order to proceed, it is necessary to report your situation to immatricolazioni.studenti@unipd.it;
3. at the same time, pay the pre-enrolment fee of € 30.00 through the PagoPA procedure (instructions on page www.unipd.it/pago-pa).

Contact & Support: www.unipd.it/immatricolazioni

4. KNOWLEDGE REQUIRED FOR ACCESS

4.1 Procedures

To access the degree programme, it is necessary to be in possession of specific minimum curricular requirements and adequate personal preparation, as indicated in the degree programme regulations. For the verification of this knowledge, it is necessary to meet the requirements as set out in the following point (4.2) by submitting the required documents, if necessary.

The procedure is available only after completing pre-enrolment ([point 3](#)) on the dates set for the selection ([point 2](#)).

The **instructions** for submitting the application for assessment of the minimum curricular requirements are published on 10 March 2026 on page <https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition>.

4.2 Minimum curricular requirements and personal preparation

This requirement must be met as indicated by **at least one of the two proposed alternatives**:

- a. possession of a degree in class L-2, L-13, L-25, L-26, L-29, L-32, L-38 (DM 270/04) or in equivalent classes ex DM 509/99;
- b. achievement of a minimum of University Educational Credits (CFU) divided as follows in the following SSDs:
 - At least **14 CFU**:
SEC-S/01; INF/01; MAT/01,02,03,04,05,06,07,08,09; FIS/01,02,03,04,05,06,07,08
 - At least **12 credits**:
BIO/01,02,03,04,05,06,07,09,10,13,18
 - At least **24 credits**:
AGR/13,17 CHIM/02,03,06,10,11; VET/01.02; GEO/04.07; IUS/03,10,14

All candidates are also required to possess:

- minimum grade of the degree used for access equal to **90/110** or equivalent;
- Knowledge of the **English language at level B2 or higher**, verified as indicated in [Annex 2](#).

5. ENROLMENT, CHANGE OF DEGREE PROGRAMME, TRANSFER FROM ANOTHER UNIVERSITY

5.1 Procedures

In order to enrol, change courses or transfer from another university, it is necessary to:

- have submitted the pre-enrolment application ([point 3](#));
- have submitted the application for assessment of the minimum curricular requirements ([point 4](#)) and be in possession said requirements;
- be "admitted (ammesso)" in the ranking;
- have registered the data of the obtained entry title. Registration is automatic for students who obtain the admission qualification at the University of Padua, while it must be completed manually for graduates from other universities in the Uniweb reserved area in the *Home → Titoli di accesso* section.

Admitted candidates who do not yet meet the **language requirement** ([Annex 2](#)) and/or who have not yet obtained the **admission qualification** may accept the place won **provisionally**.

Both of these requirements must be met **by July 31, 2026**.

The application for enrolment, degree programme change or transfer from another university must be submitted

on the dates scheduled for each assignment ([point 2](#)).

The enrolment procedures for standard enrolment, change of course and transfer from another university are shown on page www.unipd.it/istruzioniaccesso-triennali-magistrali-ciclounico.

Please note: the deadlines indicated for the acceptance of the place, for the payment of the first instalment of the fees, for the obtainment and update of the entry title and for submitting the required documents are peremptory. Failure to comply is equivalent to **renunciation of the place in the ranking** list and the cancellation of the enrolment application.

Those who have missed a deadline but are interested in the degree programme can submit an application for extraordinary enrolment which is assessed at the end of the enrolment of the last scheduled selection. Instructions and conditions are available on page www.unipd.it/istruzioniaccesso-triennali-magistrali-ciclounico.

The enrolment procedures for the degree programme are effective only after completion by the Ufficio Carriere Studenti – Settore Immatricolazioni e Prove di Accesso; a confirmation e-mail is sent to the e-mail address registered on the Uniweb portal.

Contact & Support: www.unipd.it/immatricolazioni

5.2 Student Fees and Benefits

The first instalment of the university fees for new students includes 16.00 euros of stamp duty and the regional tax for the right to university education, of about 200 euros, which is updated annually by the Veneto Region.

The amount is published on page <https://www.unipd.it/contribuzione-studentesca>.

After submitting the enrolment application, you can view the amount to be paid to confirm enrolment by accessing your Uniweb profile by clicking on "Menu" > "Right to university studies, disability disclosure, summer courses" > "Payments".

To obtain tuition fee reductions and any other benefit, such as scholarships, please remember to fill in the Request for Subsidies (RdA) on Uniweb. For information: www.unipd.it/contribuzione-benefici

Contact & Support: benefici.studenti@unipd.it

6. PERSON IN CHARGE OF THE PROCEDURE, PERSONAL DATA, NOTES AND WARNINGS

1. Pursuant to art. 4 of Law 241 of 7 August 1990 (New rules on administrative procedure and right of access to administrative documents) and subsequent amendments, the responsible for the access to records procedure is the Head of the Ufficio Carriere Studenti, Dr. Maria Chiara Ferraresi.
2. Candidates have the right to access the documents relating to the competition procedure in accordance with the procedures set out in Presidential Decree No. 184 of 12 April 2006

(Regulations governing access to administrative documents in accordance with Chapter V of Law 241/90). Requests for access to documents must be submitted to the University of Padua.

3. Current legislation on declarations: in the event that the documentation submitted by the candidate shows false or misleading declarations, without prejudice to the sanctions provided for by the Criminal Code and the special laws on the subject (Articles 75 and 76 of Presidential Decree 445/2000), the candidate automatically loses his/her enrolment. The University will recover any benefits granted (e.g. scholarships) and will not proceed with any type of refund of the fees paid. Finally, the false declaration will result in the exposure to the action for damages by the counterparties.
4. Processing of personal data: the personal data provided by candidates, collected for the purposes identified in this Notice, are processed in compliance with the provisions of EU Regulation 27.04.2016, n. 679 (General Data Protection Regulation, GDPR) and the information available on page www.unipd.it/informativa-studenti.
5. Underage candidates must fill in and sign the appropriate form available on page <https://www.unipd.it/avvisi-ammissione-corsi> and send it to the address immatricolazioni.studenti@unipd.it.

The English translations are for information purposes only. For the application and resolution of any dispute and for all legal purposes, only the Italian version is valid. For anything not specified in this call for admission, please refer to the applicable Italian legislation.

Further general information on the current regulations for admission is available on page www.unipd.it/avvisi-ammissione-corsi.

Any changes or additions to the contents of this Call for admission will be:

- published in the official University Bulletin Board;
- published on the University's web pages, at the address www.unipd.it/avvisi-ammissione-corsi

For anything not specified in this Call for admission, reference is made to current legislation.

Padua, 17/12/2025

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Prof. Daniela Mapelli

Digitally signed pursuant to Legislative Decree no. 82/2005

ANNEX 1 – RECOGNITION OF CREDITS FOR CAREER SHORTENING

Those who intend to access the degree programme by requesting the recognition of credits must meet the requirements to access the first year ([point 1.2](#)), including deadlines and terms to be met, with no difference compared to those who access the first year without submitting the credit recognition application.

For the recognition of credits already obtained and the shortening of a career, a specific application for evaluation must also be submitted. Instructions and deadlines for proceeding are published on March 10, 2026 on page <https://www.unipd.it/ammissioni-food-nutrition>.

For the academic year 2026/27, only the first year of the degree programme referred to in this call for admission is active; the admission proposed in the resolution can therefore only take place for access to the first year regardless of the credits recognized.

More information on the methods of recognition is available in article 10 of the teaching regulations of the course of interest: https://www.unipd.it/corsi?ss360Query=*.

Information on exams/activities that can be recognized: foodH.tesaf@unipd.it

Contact and support for information on:

- **the portal** for the application for recognition of credits
- timing and publication status of the resolution
- Updating exams/activities in your career
www.unipd.it/backoffice-carriere-studenti – agrariaveterinaria.studenti@unipd.it

ANNEX 2 – LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

To be admitted to the course, it is necessary to have and demonstrate a knowledge of the English language of level equal to or higher than B2 (CEFR).

The requirement must be met **by 31 July 2026** in one of the following ways:

Alternative 1:	<p>Possession of a language certification of level B2 or higher. The list of accepted certifications and the score thresholds to refer to are indicated on page www.unipd.it/requisito-inglese-ammissione. Certificates obtained on or after January 1, 2021 are accepted.</p> <p><i>Required documentation</i> It is necessary to attach the certification, both sides of the page, within the procedure (point 4). Those who have taken the test and have not yet received the certificate can present the provisional statement of results issued by the certifying body.</p>
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Or

Alternative 2:	<p>Be a native English speaker. A native speaker is considered to be a person who has an identity document indicating one of the following nationalities (dual citizenship is also considered valid in this sense): Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Bahamas, Barbados, Belize, Canada, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Ireland, Jamaica, Malta, New Zealand, St Kitts and Nevis, St Lucia, St Vincent and the Grenadines, Trinidad and Tobago, United Kingdom, USA.</p> <p><i>Required documentation</i> It is necessary to attach an identity document in the appropriate section of the procedure that shows the possession of the citizenship in question.</p>
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Or

Alternative 3:	<p>Possession of a qualification of a degree programme entirely taught in English. The qualifications accepted are high school diploma, bachelor's degree, single-cycle master's degree, master's degree, or equivalent (foreign qualifications or previous systems); <u>it is not enough to have completed part of the course abroad</u>.</p> <p><i>Required documentation</i> The achievement of the qualification must be demonstrated by attaching the self-certification with exams or the diploma supplement provided by the university where it was obtained, within the procedure (point 4).</p> <p>If the qualification in question (<u>presented for the sole purpose of passing the language requirement</u>) was obtained abroad, the Transcript of Records and the final diploma of achievement are required.</p> <p>In any case, the document must explicitly indicate the language of delivery of the course. Otherwise, it is necessary to attach an official document issued by the university certifying the language of delivery of the course.</p>
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