

# Pre-University Classes Honours Academy



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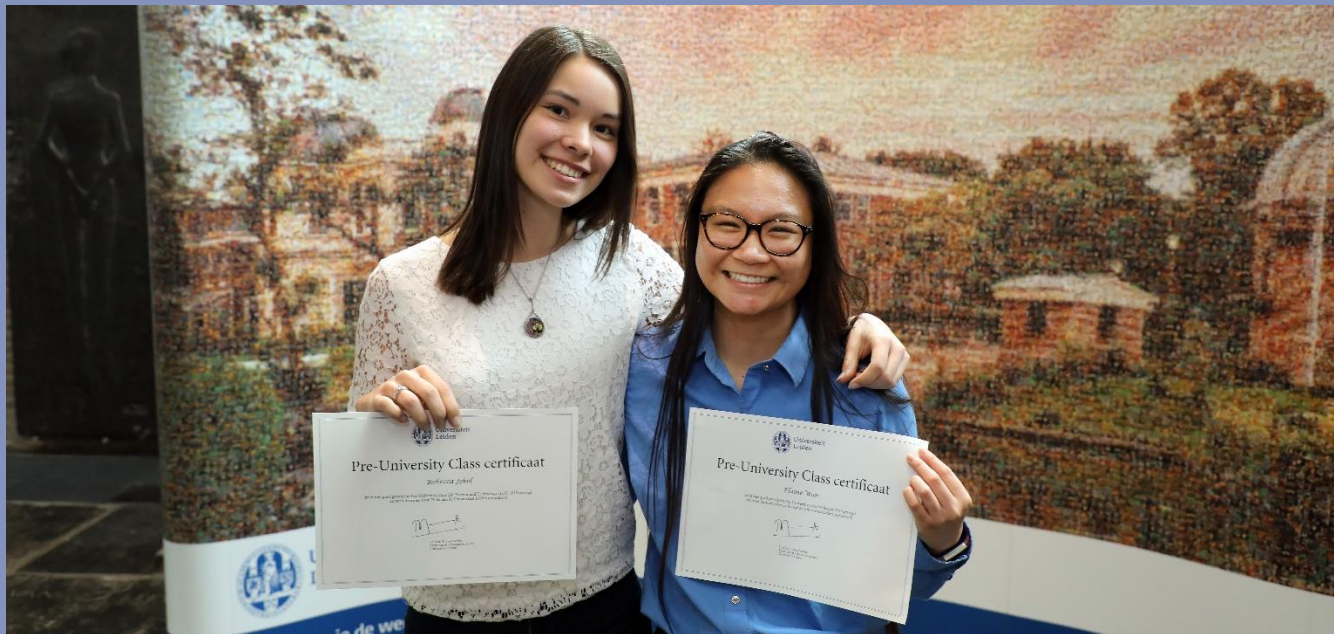
# Pre-University Classes

The PRE-Classes introduce you to a research area of a programme of your choice. You can take a look a study you are already interested in, but you can also use it to delve into a subject you do not know anything about yet. It doesn't necessarily have to match your high school profile - feel free to take the plunge!



# For whom?

- Need for challenge and change
- Interested in science and gaining new insights
- Can combine PRE-Classes, school and other activities - remember to ask school for permission
- Open and curious attitude



# Admission requirements

A grade point average of around 7.5. Some PRE-Classes require good grades in certain subjects (e.g.: Maths B in Astronomy, Chemistry in MST). But above all, motivation and interest in the subject are important!



# Application procedure

To apply, you write a motivation letter according to the criteria listed at the PRE-Classes on the website. In addition, you fill in an application form. This form allows you to add two attachments, the motivation letter and your most recent grade list (this may also be your report card). If there are more suitable candidates than available places, a draw will take place. With unsuccessful candidates we will see if they want to join another PRE-Class that is not yet full. If you wish, you can fill in a second choice on the application form for this reason. Before the winter holidays you will hear from us whether you have been admitted to the programme of your choice.

# The application procedure summarized

Application form on the website

Motivation letter and grade list

**APPLICATION DEADLINE: Monday November 13<sup>th</sup>,  
10.00**

<https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/en/pre-classes/application--selection>



# Costs

The cost for participation in a PRE-Class is €75 per student per PRE-Class. Travel costs to and from Leiden or The Hague are at your own expense.



# Want to know more?

For questions or more information, always feel free to contact education coordinator Esrih Bakker: [preclasses@ha.leidenuniv.nl](mailto:preclasses@ha.leidenuniv.nl).

Or take a look at the website:  
<https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/en/pre-classes>