Belgium (French Community)

Theoretical starting age

Upper secondary school
- Teacher degree
  - Bachelor’s (60 ECTS Year 1)
  - Master’s (60 ECTS Year 2)
  - Doctorate
- Complementary Master’s

Certificate of upper secondary education
- Sixth year qualification certificate
- Sixth year vocational education certificate
- Vocational certificates (BEPSC in nursing)

Vocational Education
- Technical or artistic (qualifying)
- Professional (qualifying)

Pre-primary school
Primary school
Common lower secondary education
- Certificate of first stage studies
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Technical (qualifying) complementary or supplementary education

Differentiated lower secondary education
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Sixth year qualification certificate
- Fifth year vocational education certificate

Regular lower secondary education
- Certificate of first stage studies
- Certificate of basic education
- Certificate of upper secondary education

Regular upper secondary education
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Professional complementary education
- Technical (qualifying) complementary or supplementary education

University
- Bachelor’s (60 ECTS Year 3)
- Master’s (60 ECTS Year 3)
- Professional Bachelor’s

“Haute école” and “École supérieure des arts”
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Seventh year qualification certificate

Certificate of upper secondary education
- Seventh year qualification certificate
- Vocational Education
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Sixth year qualification certificate

Certificate of upper secondary education
- Sixth year qualification certificate
- Vocational Education
- Certificate of upper secondary education
- Sixth year qualification certificate

Certificate of basic education

Special Needs Education : ISCED 0  ISCED 3

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Typical student flow

Recognized exit point of the education system

Transfer from a program to another

Program designed for part-time attendance

Vocational/Professional orientation (according to national definition at the tertiary level)

This program can be offered via dual as well as non-dual learning

Single structure education (integrated ISCED levels)

May be provided within one school structure

Transfer at crossing lines is not possible

Diploma

Name of diploma, degree or certificate

ECTS European Credit Transfer and Accumulation System

2020 Reference year (school year 2019/2020 in the northern hemisphere)

* Theoretical starting ages refer to the ages as established by law and regulation for the entry to a programme, actual starting ages may vary depending on the programme.