**Specific Admission Requirements:** In order for the candidates to be accepted to the PhD program of the department Sociology;

- 1. They should have a bachelor's or master's degree in sociology;
- 2. Their average academic score should be at least 3.2 (60%) out of 4 or equivalent;
- 3. They must have obtained at least 70 points from the Foreign Language Examination for Civil Servants (KPDS), the Foreign Language Placement Examination (YDS), or an equivalent score from one of the foreign language exams accepted by the University's Senate; they must have obtained at least 60 points from either the verbal or equally-weighted sections of the Academic Personnel and Postgraduate Education Entrance Exam (ALES) carried out by the Student Selection and Placement Centre of Turkey (ÖSYM);
- 4. International student applications are accepted according to Hacettepe University Senate's decision dated 15.01.2014 and numbered 2014-8 "Rules on the Application of Foreing National Students to Hacettepe University Graduate Programmes".
- 5. The judgments which are not mentioned above are conducted according to The Regulations on Hacettepe University Graduate Education and Examination.