

ENPC's Inclusion Policy within the framework of the Erasmus+ programmes

The European Commission has made inclusion and diversity a key priority of the Erasmus+ programme for the period 2021–2027. The aim is to promote equal opportunities for people with fewer opportunities due to their social, economic or cultural background, their disability, their origin or their place of residence (isolated or outermost regions).

The inclusion policy implemented at ENPC as part of the Erasmus+ programme forms part of the School's DD&RS Master Plan. It applies to study or traineeship mobilities undertaken by students:

- within EU countries and third countries associated with the programme (KA131 agreements): eligible students should refer to the biannual calls for applications; they may also consult the dedicated document on Educnet for further information.
- in third countries not associated with the programme (KA171 agreements): for eligible ENPC students, the procedure is the same as for KA131 agreements; students from partner institutions should contact the relevant staff at their home institution to find out about the application requirements and award criteria.

The criteria applied to mobility programmes undertaken by ENPC students under the KA131 and KA171 agreements are, for 2026–2027:

- Disability
- Long-term illness
- A CROUS grant at band 6 or 7 for 2026–2027, or a need based grant from the School amounting to at least €5,500 for 2025–2026 or 2024–2025.
- Parents' place of residence located in a municipality classified in a "Zone France Ruralités Revitalisation"
- Parents' place of residence located in a "Quartier Prioritaire de la Ville"

These criteria are not cumulative: meeting just one of them, with the appropriate supporting documentation, is sufficient to qualify for a financial supplement of €250 per month, which is added to the Erasmus+ grant calculated on the basis of the actual duration of the mobility period. Supporting documents must be submitted to the DRIPE when responding to calls for applications, or at a later date if necessary.

Furthermore, the Erasmus+ programme provides specific financial support to participants with disabilities, and whose participation in mobility programmes would be impossible without the provision of additional funding. The grant is awarded upon submission of supporting documents and subject to case-by-case approval by the Erasmus+ France agency.

The additional support provided by the Erasmus+ programme facilitates access to international mobility for students with disabilities or from less privileged backgrounds, thereby helping to fulfil the requirement for international mobility during engineering studies.