

## Additional financial support for green travel in the Erasmus+ programme

Students can apply for a grant of 50€ and up to 4 additional travel days if they choose a form of travel that is as low-emission as possible ("green travel").

In the following, we inform you about the funding criteria and the application process.

### Green Travel Grant

If you travel at least 51% of the total distance to and from the location of your host institution by sustainable means of transportation (e.g. train, long-distance bus or bicycle), you can apply for the Green Travel Grant. This amounts to a one-off payment of 50€. In addition, you will be granted up to 4 additional travel days. The travel days on which you have travelled "green" count as additional days of stay and are financially supported with the valid daily rate of the corresponding country rate. The number of additional travel days is calculated from the distance between Witten and the location of the host institution according to the [EU Distance Calculator](#) (one-way distance).

Distance	50€ Top-up	Additional Funding days
≤ 500 km	✓	1
501 - 1000 km	✓	2
1001 - 1500 km	✓	3
≥ 1500 km	✓	4

### Application

You can apply for the top-up by uploading the declaration on honour at the respective step in your Mobility Online workflow. If, contrary to expectations, you do not travel green, please inform us immediately.

### Receipts/Supporting Documents

At the time of application, your Declaration on Honour is sufficient as proof of eligibility. However, you must keep your receipts/supporting documents (e.g. train ticket) for 5 years and submit them to the International Office upon request.