

Priority is given to the candidates that are:

- a) new priests or persons who intend to be ordained,
- b) students who are interested in following an academic career in theology or
- c) monks and nuns.

The selected candidates will initiate their studies with one year of Greek language courses at the Universities of Athens or Thessaloniki. Upon completion of the language course they will take an exam which will certify the adequate knowledge of the Greek language in order to pursue the studies in University.

The requirements for **undergraduate studies** are the following:

- a) Degree of secondary education with detailed marks
- b) Certification of the Armenian Ministry of Education that the above mentioned degree gives the right for higher/university education
- c) Certificate from the Armenian authorities concerning his/her nationality and also that of his/her parents
- d) Copy of criminal record
- e) Certification of health (public hospital)
- f) Copy of his/her passport

For **postgraduate studies** the requirements, in addition to the afore mentioned (c), (d), (e), (f), include also:

- g) Acceptance certificate from a Greek supervising professor,
- h) Prior Recognition of DOATAP (Competent Greek authority for the recognition of foreign University Degrees) of the Armenian higher/university degree with detailed marks

For **doctorate studies** the requirements, in addition to the afore mentioned (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), also include:

- i) Prior Recognition of DOATAP of the Armenian higher/university degree before the arrival in Greece

The applicants who will be proposed by the competent religious or university authorities are kindly requested to present themselves before the Embassy for an interview before submitting their application file.

Applicants meeting the requirements should submit their documents through this Embassy **by June 1st, 2018.**