



American Junior Year at Heidelberg University

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Academic Calendar – Fall Semester (“Wintersemester”) 2022

Monday, September 5	Students depart from the U.S.
Tuesday, September 6	Students arrive in Germany. (AJY staff will meet students at the Frankfurt airport or at Heidelberg train station)
Tuesday, September 6 – Friday, September 9	Orientation
Monday, September 12 – Friday, October 7	Intensive Pre-Semester Language Course; Excursions
First week of October	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – written & oral; academic advising (mandatory)
Saturday, October 8 – Sunday, October 16	Fall break
Monday, October 17	First day of classes of <i>Wintersemester</i> at Universität Heidelberg.
Wednesday, December 21	Last day of classes for AJY students enrolled in the shortened <i>Wintersemester</i> (<i>students may still stay in Heidelberg until the end of the month</i>)
Thursday, December 22 – Sunday, January 8	Uni Heidelberg winter break
Friday, February 17	Last day of classes of the <i>Wintersemester</i> and of the program for students enrolled in the full semester. Students enrolled in the full-year program go on break or complete an internship before the start of the <i>Sommersemester</i> .