



American Junior Year

Academic Calendar – Fall Semester 2020

Sunday, August 30	Students depart from the U.S.
Monday, August 31	Students arrive in Germany. (AJY staff will meet students at the Frankfurt airport or at the Heidelberg train station.)
Tuesday, September 1 – Friday, September 25	Orientation / Preliminary Course (Part I)
Friday, September 25 – Sunday, October 4	Fall break (after 4:00 pm)
Monday, October 5	Preliminary Course (Part II)
Monday, October 19	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – written.
Tuesday, October 20	Academic Advising (mandatory)
Thursday, October 22	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – oral.
Friday, October 30	Academic advising (mandatory).
Monday, November 2	First day of classes at Universität Heidelberg.
Friday, December 18	Last day of classes at Universität Heidelberg before the holiday break (fall students will make arrangements to take early exams, so that they can leave as early as Thursday, December 17).
Friday, December 18	Last day of the AJY fall semester. Deadline for checking out of rooms.