



American Junior Year

Academic Calendar – Fall Semester 2020

Monday, August 31	Students depart from the U.S.
Tuesday, September 1	Students arrive in Germany. (AJY staff will meet students at the Frankfurt airport or at the Heidelberg train station.)
Wednesday, September 2 – Friday, September 25	Orientation / Preliminary Course.
Monday, September 28	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – written.
Tuesday, September 29	Academic Advising (mandatory)
Thursday, October 1	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – oral.
Thursday, October 1 – Thursday, October 8	Fall break (after 4:00 pm)
Friday, October 9, 9:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.	Academic advising (mandatory).
Monday, October 12	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.