



# American Junior Year at Heidelberg University

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## Academic Calendar – Full Academic Year 2023-2024

<b>Monday, September 4</b>	<b>Students arrive in Germany.</b> (AJY staff will meet students at the Frankfurt airport and/or at Heidelberg train station)
Tuesday, September 5 – Wednesday, September 6	Orientation
Thursday, September 7 – Friday, October 6	Intensive Pre-Semester Language Course; Excursions
First week of October	German Language Proficiency Exam (DSH) – written & oral; academic advising (mandatory)
Saturday, October 7 – Sunday, October 15	Fall break
Monday, October 16	First day of classes of <i>Wintersemester</i> at Universität Heidelberg.
Wednesday, December 21	Last day of classes before Uni Heidelberg winter break
Monday, January 8	Classes resume
Friday, February 8	Last day of the <i>Wintersemester</i>

(Full-Year students often use the break between semesters for internships)

Monday, April 15

First day of classes of *Sommersemester* at Universität Heidelberg.

Friday, July 27

Last day of classes of the Uni Heidelberg *Sommersemester*

Sunday, July 28

Last day of the AJY Program. Deadline for checking out of rooms.