

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR

### I. Winter Semester 2025/26

- a) **Preparatory intensive language course**  
for exchange students with German language skills including orientation
- Arrival Dates:** September 2 + 3, 2025  
(9.30 to 17.30)
- Orientation Days:** September 4 – 7, 2025

**Course Dates:** September 8 - October 2, 2025

- b) **Orientation Course**  
for exchange students with intermediate German language skills
- Arrival Date:** October 6, 2025  
(9.30 to 17.30)
- Course Dates:** October 7 – October 10, 2025

### c) Lecture Period

**Start of lectures:** October 13, 2025

**End of lectures:** February 6, 2026

**Christmas vacation:** December 24 – January 6

We don't know yet whether Monday, Dec 22, and Tuesday, Dec 23 will be lecture-free.  
Please don't make any travel plans before Dec 23!

### II. Summer Semester 2026

- a) **Preparatory intensive language course**  
for exchange students with German language skills below B2 including orientation
- Arrival Dates:** March 3 + 4, 2026  
(9:30 to 17:30)
- Orientation Days:** March 5 – 8, 2026

**Course Dates:** March 9 – April 2, 2026

- b) **Orientation Course**  
for exchange students with intermediate German language skills
- Arrival Date:** April 7, 2026
- Course Dates:** April 8 – April 10, 2026

### c) Lecture Period

**Start of lectures:** April 13, 2026

**End of lectures:** July 17, 2026

**Lecture-free days:** May 1, May 14, May 25 + 26, June 4

### **III. Examinations**

**Please note:** Examinations in the Faculty of Business, Economics and Management Information Systems take place in a period between the last week of the lectures

- and late-March (for the winter semester)
- and late-August (for the summer semester)

In all other faculties, exams usually take place during the last week of classes.

### **IV. Intensive Language Course and Orientation Course:**

Students with German language skills below level B2 may apply for the preparatory intensive language course (including orientation) that takes place in September/October and March/April. The course is usually offered on at least six different levels (A1 – B2) as long as we have enough participants for each language level. The language of instruction is German. However, all extra-curricular activities and the orientation will be in English.

Exchange students who receive a place for the Intensive Language Course are expected to arrive on the designated arrival dates and participate in the orientation program, as all questions referring to administrative formalities, choice of courses, study plans, finding their way in Regensburg and on campus are all dealt with during that time.