



Academic Calendar for International Exchange Students at Tübingen University

- Summer Semester 2026 -

What	Important dates and deadlines	Further information
Application for Admission Oct 1 - Nov 30, 2025	Nomination by the partner university: Oct 1 - Nov 15, 2025	Application and Preparation Responsible Office: Incoming Team
Housing Semester rental contracts for March - July 2026	Application period: Oct 1 - Dec 31, 2025	Accommodation & Application Responsible Institution: Student Services Organization "Studierendenwerk"
Deutsch-Kompakt Course March 2 - April 2, 2026	Application period: From Nov, 2025, until full (max. 45 participants)	Course details Responsible Office: German as a Foreign Language & Intercultural Programs
START-KURS Spring March 16 - April 2, 2026	Application period: From mid-Nov, 2025, until full	Course Details Responsible Office: German as a Foreign Language & Intercultural Programs
Matriculation / Enrollment via the ALMA-system Feb - March 15, 2026	The registration code for ALMA and a Step-by-step guide for enrollment via the ALMA-system is sent by the Incoming Team.	Enrollment at the University of Tübingen Contact for questions: Incoming Team
Arrival Weeks at the International Office End of March - mid-April 2026	Extended office hours for check-in and Information	Responsible Office: Incoming Team
Semester dates Begin of Summer semester: April 1, 2026 End of Summer semester: Sept 30, 2026	We recommend arriving in Tübingen at least one week before the start of lectures , as this is when the orientation programs begin.	Semester dates

General University Orientation Weeks for new students & Welcome Event for Exchange Students	O-Weeks: April 7 - 17, 2026 Welcome Event for Exchange Students: April 8, 2026, 2-4 pm, Audimax, Neue Aula	How to get started Different Offices and Departments of the University Incoming Team
Advisory Course IC for New International Students April 9 - 12, 2025	Registration and information on the course website	Advisory Course IC
StudIT Intro Week April 11 - 15, 2026	Special events and trips for exchange students organized by the Student Initiative International Tübingen	StudIT
Lecture period / Classes at the University Begin of classes: April 13, 2026 End of classes: July 25, 2026	Public Holidays & Break: April 3, 2026 (Good Friday) April 6, 2026 (Easter Monday) May 1, 2026 (Labor Day) May 14, 2026 (Ascension Day) May 25 - May 30, 2026 (Whitsun break) June 4, 2026 (Corpus Christi)	Semester dates Course Information Course catalog in ALMA
Exam registration period <i>To be announced</i>	Classes which shall be listed on the transcript need an exam registration	Exam registration
Examination period July 21 - August 15, 2026	Most exams take place in the last week of the lecture period until the first 2-3 weeks of the lecture-free period. For exact detail, ask your Academic Advisor and/or the lecturers of your courses.	Exam period
Lecture-free period / semester break July 25, 2026 - Begin of the Winter Semester (Oct 1, 2026)	Semester break: Time to write term papers	Semester dates Lecture-free period
Transcript End of July - Nov, 2026	The transcript will be available digitally in the ALMA database	Transcript
<i>In the case of a stay for two semesters:</i>		
Re-enrollment period: June 1 - Aug 15, 2026	Re-enroll for the second semester	Re-enrollment