

# FACT SHEET 2023/24

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- Student Buddies
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Study Period		
Winter Semester	October – February	
Summer Semester	March - July	
Exam Period	Period of three weeks (in February / in July) after the end of the lectures.	
Current Academic Calendar	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/die-hochschule/aktuell/terminplaene	
Study Programs and Course descriptions	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/study-programs-/-student-services/degree-	
	programs/translate-to-english-bachelor	
	Exchange students can choose their lectures cross-departmental!	
Language of Instruction for	Usually German	
Undergraduate Programs	English-taught Lectures for Bachelor Students (Subject to Change):	
	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/international/study-in-offenburg/exchange-	
	<u>students</u>	
Language of Instruction for	Usually German	
Graduate Programs	English-taught Master Degree Programs:	
	- Biotechnology	
	- Communication and Media Engineering	
	- Enterprise and IT Security	
	- International Business Consulting	
	- Renewable Energy and Data Engineering	
	- Process Engineering	
Language requirements at the time of application	Students who wish to attend German-taught classes: at least <b>B1-level German</b> language skills (CEFR) (B2-level is recommended)	
	Students who wish to attend English-taught lectures: at least <b>B2-level English language</b> skills (CEFR)	
	All major certificates from reputable providers (TOEFL, TOEIC, OLS, Cambridge, IELTS, Goethe, ÖSD and TestDaF) as well as institutional certificates are accepted. Native speakers should provide an informal (self-written) declaration.	

Application		
Nomination Deadline	Winter Semester:	April 1st
	Summer Semester:	October 1 <sup>st</sup>
ONLINE-Application	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/in	ernational/study-in-offenburg/exchange-
	<u>students</u>	
Application Documents	Application documents/form sheets can be uploaded step by step only	
	<ul> <li>Application Photo</li> <li>Motivation Letter</li> <li>Transcript of Records</li> <li>CV</li> <li>Learning Agreement (or Era</li> <li>Language Certificate</li> </ul>	smus+ OLA)
	- Copy of Passport	
Erasmus+	Learning Agreements to be provided by home institution.	
Application Deadline	Winter Semester:	May 1 <sup>st</sup>
	Summer Semester:	November 1 <sup>st</sup>



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Student Residences / Accommodation		
Detailed Information	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/international/about-us/living-a-culture-of-	
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Accommodation request (par	rt of the online application) to be subm	inted to the international Office:
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	Außenstelle Offenburg	International Center
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German Intensive Summer Language Course: Winter Semester		
"German as a foreign languag	e" and introduction to studies in Offenburg; in September, before winter semester	
lectures start.		
Course Date	September 2 – September 26, 2024	
Course Fee	€ 200,00 for Exchange Students	
Levels	Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced	
ECTS	5	
Size of Class	Approx. 12 - 16 Students	
Extracurricular Program	Organized Excursions	
Course Information	https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/international/about-us/living-a-culture-of-	
	welcome/summer-language-course	
Application	Online Application	
Application Deadline	July 15, 2024	

Orientation Week: Summer Semester		
Obligatory introduction to German language, culture and society and studies in Offenburg; in early March, before		
summer semester lectures start.		
Course Date	March 4 – 8, 2024	
Course Fee	No Fee	
Extracurricular Program	Cross-Cultural Workshop, Organized Excursions	

### **German Language Courses during the Semester**

Various Classes, ECTS Range between 3 – 5 ECTS

### **Additional Information**

Buddies will assist students upon arrival in the first weeks of the stay. The "Senior Service" (Offenburg citizens) takes care of international students in addition.

#### Insurance

Students need to have valid health insurance for their stay in Germany. We also strongly recommend having private liability insurance (the application can still be done after arrival).

#### **Visa Regulations**

Students can find out about visa requirements by contacting the German consulate in their respective country. Comprehensive and detailed information can be found at: <a href="https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/visa-service/visabestimmungen-node">https://www.auswaertiges-amt.de/en/visa-service/visabestimmungen-node</a>

### **Expenses and Fees**

Monthly living expenses are approx. 900 Euros. Semester fee is 65 Euros, covering the following: <a href="https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/international/study-in-offenburg/exchange-students">https://www.hs-offenburg.de/en/international/study-in-offenburg/exchange-students</a>. Double-Degree students may have a different fee to pay; Please contact us in this case. Thank you!