



Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

FACT SHEET

ACADEMIC YEAR 2026/27

GENERAL INFORMATION

Address	Bauhaus-Universität Weimar Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 8 99423 Weimar Germany
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ERASMUS Code	D WEIMAR01
EUC-Number	28470-LA-1-2014-1-DE-E4AKA1-ECH
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General university website	www.uni-weimar.de/en

ACADEMIC INFORMATION FOR EXCHANGE STUDENTS

	Term 1 Winter semester	Term 2 Summer semester
Registration Days for Exchange Students	Beginning of in September (attendance in person obligatory)	Beginning of March (attendance in person obligatory)
German Compact Course*	Beginning – end of September	Beginning – end of March
Exchange Welcome Events	Beginning – end of September	Beginning – end of March
Lecture & Course Period	October – beginning of February	April – mid July
Examination Period	mid/end of February (depending on the faculty)	end of July (depending on the faculty)
Full Semester Dates	01 October – 31 March	01 April – 30 September
Semester contribution	All students at Bauhaus-Universität Weimar need to pay the contribution (ca 300 €) obligatory in order to get enrolled and get free access to museums, the German National Theater & public transport. The semester contribution is no tuition fee! >> more information	

* The German Compact Course is free of charge. The participation is obligatory for exchange students with a German level below B1 (CEFR).

GENERAL ACADEMIC INFORMATION

Academic Year	30 weeks of classes and 4 weeks of exams (6 weeks of exams – Faculty of Civil Engineering)
Academic Programmes	https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/studies/academic-programmes/
Course Catalogue	Please note that the course catalogue is only available two weeks before the semester begins: http://www.uni-weimar.de/vorlesungsverzeichnis/en
Course Types	Semester course: duration of one semester (summer or winter semester) Full Year course: duration from start of winter to end of summer semester
Credit System	30 ECTS for 1 semester (about 22 semester hours per week)

INFORMATION ON NOMINATION & APPLICATION

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deadlines

Nomination Period	<p>Winter semester: 01 February – 30 April</p> <p>Summer semester: 01 July – 30 October</p> <p>We kindly ask our partner universities to nominate their students in time via our "Nomination Tool"</p>
Application Period	<p>Winter semester: 01 April – 15 May Summer semester: 01 October – 15 November</p> <p>We kindly invite nominated exchange students to submit their application via our online "Application portal for exchange students".</p>
Non-lecture Periods & Public Holidays	<p>German Unification Day Summer Break</p> <p>Christmas & New Year's Break Easter</p> <p>Christ's Ascension Day</p> <p>Pentecost</p>
Checklist for exchange students	<p>Exchange students may find information on every step on the way to Weimar on our website for exchange students and in our "Checklist for exchange students"</p>

INTERNATIONAL OFFICE (for organisational advice)

Address	<p>Campus.Office Building 1st floor, room 112 Geschwister-Scholl-Straße 15 99423 Weimar</p>
Student Mobility Coordinator (Incoming / Outgoing)	<p>Ms. Evelyn Beyer Phone: +49 (0) 3643 58 23 62 E-mail: incoming@uni-weimar.de outgoing@uni-weimar.de</p>
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Website International Office	<p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/</p>

INTERNATIONAL COUNSELLORS (for academic advice)

Website faculty contact persons	<p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-studies/counselling/faculty-counselling/</p>
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LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS

Language Requirements	<p>The recommendation for English and German language proficiency are depending on the study programme. Please visit our website for exchange students for detailed information.</p>
German Intensive Course	<p>The University's Language Centre offers a three-week German intensive language course (60h) which takes place before the semester starts and is obligatory for exchange students with German language skills below B1 CEFR.</p> <p>The German Intensive Course is <u>free of charge</u> for exchange students.</p> <p>More information can be found on the website of the Language Center.</p>

ACCOMMODATION

Student Dormitory	<p>The university does not have its own accommodation. The International Office offers support in finding accommodation. However, the "Studierendenwerk Thüringen" is in charge for the allocation of places in student dormitories. The overall rent varies starting from about 250€ per month.</p> <p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-studies/visa-accommodation-preparation/accommodation/</p>
Private Residence	<p>Many students in Weimar live in shared flats and houses rented from private landlords. Depending on room size and comfort the prices range between 300€ and 500€ per month.</p>
Website Accommodation	<p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-studies/visa-accommodation-preparation/accommodation/</p>

WELCOME EVENTS & SOCIAL ACTIVITIES

Welcome Events	<p>The exchange programme starts with special "Welcome Events" offering an overview of the city of Weimar and its surroundings, of the university and its faculties, and enabling first contacts with other exchange students.</p> <p>The "Welcome Events" takes place at the same time as the free German intensive course in March (summer semester) or September (winter semester):</p> <p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-studies/info-event-international-welcome/</p>
Summer School & Spring School (BIP)	<p>"Bauhaus Summer School" and "Bauhaus Spring School" are short-term exchange projects of the Bauhaus-Universität Weimar taking place every year in August and in March.</p> <p>It offers German language courses and academic projects for German and international students.</p> <p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/springschool/en/ https://www.uni-weimar.de/summerschool/en/</p>
Student Initiatives	<p>Exchange students are cordially invited to participate in initiatives like »Bauhaus Internationals«, »BeBuddy« and »Culture-Talk«. The central venue for students is »m18« - the Haus der Studierenden - the home of the Student Government, the Faculty Student Council, initiatives, and student "Café s140"</p> <p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/profile/student-initiatives/</p>
University Sports Centre	<p>The "University Sports Centre" offers different sport courses during the semester. Please mind the application deadlines for courses:</p> <p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/structure/central-university-facilities/university-sports-centre/</p>

HEALTH INSURANCE

Health Insurance Regulations	<p>Students from Non-EU countries need to take out an international health insurance which is valid in Germany.</p> <p>Students from EU countries need to have a European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) issued by a health insurance company in their home country.</p>
Website Insurance	<p>https://www.uni-weimar.de/en/university/international/to-weimar/exchange-studies/visa-accommodation-preparation/health-insurance/</p>