



**HOCHSCHULE OSNABRÜCK**  
UNIVERSITY OF APPLIED SCIENCES

### ACADEMIC CALENDAR

for visiting students at the Faculty of Business Management and Social Sciences  
**Winter semester 2025/2026: September 1, 2025 to February 28, 2026**

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| Online registration for admission as visiting student   | 01/03 - 15/05/2025*   |
| Online registration for housing   | 01/03 - 22/05/2025  |
| Last date for nominations   | 30/04/2025  |
| Composition of the learning agreement before the mobility   | 01/06 - 15/06/2025  |
| International summer language school German   | 18/08 - 15/09/2025  |
| Online registration for placement tests   | August/September 2025   |
| Online placement test English   | 25/08 - 15/09/2025  |
| Online registration for modules and courses<br>> To be finished in first four lecture weeks when teachers determine type of exam and hand out assignment topics.  | 02/09 - 05/10/2025  |
| Online registration for the block week  | 02/09 - 09/09/2025  |
| Orientation days (mandatory)  | 17/09 - 19/09/2025  |
| Placement tests: German   | Online: September 2025<br>Offline: September 2025                             |
| Start of lectures: Higher semesters   | 22/09/2025  |
| First semesters   | 23/09/2025  |
| Unity day (public holiday, no lectures)   | 03/10/2025  |
| Academic writing seminar (in English, mandatory)  | October 2025  |
| Finalization of the learning agreement during the mobility  | 05/10 - 20/10/2025  |
| Block week (no regular lectures, but special seminars only)   | 20/10 - 24/10/2025  |
| Reformation day (public holiday, no lectures)   | 31/10/2025  |
| Online registration for the examinations  | 03/11 - 17/11/2025  |
| Chance career fair  | 11/11 - 13/11/2025  |
| Christmas holidays (no lectures)  | 22/12/2025 - 02/01/2026   |
| End of lectures   | 09/01/2026  |
| Examinations (mandatory)<br>> Return tickets shall not be booked before the exam dates have been finally confirmed (also for intermediate or language exams).   | 10/01 - 31/01/2026<br>followed by semester break<br>until the end of February |
| Semester break (no lectures)<br>> Visiting students may return home once they have taken all exams and do not have to stay until the end of the semester break.   | 01/02 - 28/02/2026  |
| Postage of final transcripts of records<br>> Intermediate transcripts: <a href="https://intranet.hs-osnabrueck.de">https://intranet.hs-osnabrueck.de</a> – eCampus > Study service > Selfservice documents > Performance list | March 2026  |

\* day/month/year

Dates marked in red subject to further changes