Housing information for the winter semester 2021/22

Application deadline for a room and for paying the deposit is July 1, 2021. Shortly after you completed your application we will tell you if we can offer you a room. All students who already applied for a room can be sure to get a room from the housing service.

The rental period will be September 15, 2021 until February 21, 2022. If quarantine is necessary, this period allows to do so before the orientation days start and also includes the exam period at the end of the semester. In exceptional cases and according to the agreement of the Housing Service, this can be extended until February 28, 2022.

For those students who will attend the International Summer Language School the rental period already starts on August 18, 2021.

We ask for your understanding that the information which room you will live in will be given shortly at the beginning of August only. The reason is as follows:

The corona situation is changing dynamically and the regulations for entry from risk areas are being adjusted by the German authorities. This also applies to the quarantine regulations (see also the information for international students on the university’s Corona website). In the student dormitories, the residents are accommodated in living groups and share the common rooms (kitchen, bathrooms, corridors). In order to keep the risk of a possible infection low and to jointly accommodate students who are subject to the same quarantine rules, we aim to accommodate students arriving from the same country or region in the same residential group and, if possible, to not to full capacity. In order to reflect the situation as up-to-date as possible shortly before entry, we will probably not allocate rooms and draw up the rental agreements until July.

In case you are arriving from a risk area, we urgently advise to move into your room at the very beginning of your rental period so that the 14-day quarantine period ends when the orientation days begin in your faculty. The colleagues in your IFO (International Faculty Office) of your faculty will assist you in relation to supply groceries, pillow, blanket and bed linen.

Students who have been living in a room from the housing service and extend their stay for the winter semester are offered to change their room from September 2021 and move into a flat in which only students who have been living in Osnabrück respectively Germany for several months already live. And in this case again we can only tell in which dorm the new room will be very shortly. We of course try to find a room in the same dorm.