

Academic Calendar Bremen 2016-17

FALL SEMESTER

August / September 2016

DAAD Summer Intensive Language Course
(academic year and fall-only students)

October 1, 2016

Stipend begins

October 4, 2016

Recommended arrival in Bremen*

October 5, 2016

Orientation starts in Bremen

October 17, 2016

Winter semester classes begin

December 24, 2016 – January 6, 2017

Winter break

February 3, 2017

Winter semester classes end (*Possible exams the following week.*)

**This is the recommended arrival date. Please contact Dickinson-in-Bremen should you have reasons for arriving earlier. However, please note that the program staff is not available from October 1 to October 3. Arriving in Bremen on those days will not be possible. In all cases, you must provide the Dickinson-in-Bremen staff with your exact travel plans and itinerary at least four weeks in advance.*

SPRING SEMESTER

February 1, 2017

Stipend begins for spring semester students

February 2, 2017

Recommended arrival of spring semester students
in Bremen*

February 3, 2017

Orientation starts for spring semester students

February 6, 2017

Intensive Language Course starts for spring
semester students

April 3, 2017

Summer semester classes begin

July 7, 2017

Summer semester classes end (*Possible exams the following week.*)

July 14, 2017

Official end of the program*

**These are recommended arrival and departure dates. Please contact the Dickinson-in-Bremen staff no later than October 15 should you have reasons for arriving earlier. In all cases, you must provide the Dickinson-in-Bremen staff with your exact travel plans and itinerary at least four weeks in advance. As for departures, it is recommended that all students stay until at least the end of July in order to finish term papers, exams, and other coursework before returning to Dickinson. In some years, the departure date may be less flexible due to summer programming.*