

Coronavirus Regulations for On-campus Classes and Events at Heidelberg University

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The regulations presented here are based on the current versions of the Coronavirus Ordinances of the State of Baden-Württemberg for the **Basic Level**. For all listed categories of classes/events, the rule is – unless otherwise stated – that it is necessary to respect the minimum distance, to collect contact details and to comply with the hygiene concept.

Categories of classes/events	Student affairs and teaching		Research, administration and committee meetings		Other events	
	All degree related-activities		Events related to routine work and service operations in research, administration and committee meetings e.g. project meetings, staff meetings, faculty council meetings		General university sports	
Location of class/event	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside
Participant limit			From 5,000: Send hygiene plan to public health department			
3G obligation	✓*				✓	
Mandatory mask	Wear to seat and also when not respecting minimum distance **	When not respecting minimum distance	Wear to seat and also when not respecting minimum distance	When not respecting minimum distance	Not during sports practice	When not keeping to minimum distance outside the sports class
Rectorate approval						

Category of event	Other events					
	Cultural events, extra lectures and information sessions for university purposes, as well as staff celebrations e.g. university lecture series, inaugural lectures		Cultural events, extra lectures and information sessions for extra-university purposes e.g. renting rooms to third parties		Course offerings from extracurricular and adult education e.g. "Green School" at the Botanical Garden, Kids' Uni	
Location of event	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside
Participant limit	From 5,000: max. occupation ≤ 50%, max. 25,000 and send hygiene plan to public health department		From 5,000: max. occupation ≤ 50%, max. 25,000 and send hygiene plan to public health department			
3G obligation	✓	If minimum distance not respected or ≥ 5,000	✓	If minimum distance not respected or ≥ 5,000	✓	
Mandatory mask	✓***	If minimum distance not respected	✓***	If minimum distance not respected	✓***	If minimum distance not respected
Rectorate approval			✓			

- Participant limit** Includes those who have been vaccinated and who have recovered
- 3G obligation:** This means presenting and checking of up-to-date negative test, or certificate of vaccination or recovery
- Mandatory mask:** No mandatory mask for lecturers if required distance can be observed; exclusively medical masks (OP masks or FFP2 without vent)
- Rectorate approval** Submission via Division 1
- Occupation of space:** Percentages of space utilization refer to the permitted capacity of the venue

* = May as appropriate, be waived at examinations by compliance with minimum distance or the mandatory mask.

** = No mandatory mask when seated during examinations.

*** = The minimum distance may be waived, then wearing a mask is mandatory in every case.