

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 **Alarm level II**. 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 plan.

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 authority			
2G/3G rule	2G* In exams and practice classes: 3G	3G**	3G**		2G+	2G
Mandatory mask	✓	When not respecting minimum distance	Wear to seat and also when not respecting minimum distance	When not respecting minimum distance	Not during the sports class	When not respecting 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 (New Year parties, receptions, etc. are not allowed)		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	max. occupation ≤ 50% and max. 500 participants		max. occupation ≤ 50% and max. 500 participants			
2G/3G rule	2G+	2G+	2G+	2G+	2G+	2G+
Mandatory mask	✓***	When not respecting minimum distance	✓***	When not respecting minimum distance	✓***	When not respecting minimum distance
Rectorate approval			✓			

Participant limit: Includes those who have been vaccinated and who have recovered.

3G rule: Compulsory presenting and checking of up-to-date negative test, or certificate of vaccination or recovery

2G rule: Compulsory presenting and checking of certificate of vaccination or recovery by all participants; 3G applies to contributors.

2G+ rule: Compulsory presenting and checking of certificate of vaccination or recovery as well as valid negative test certificates by all participants; no test certificate necessary after a proven 3rd vaccination (booster) or if the second vaccination or recovery is less than 6 months ago; 3G applies to contributors.

Mandatory mask: An FFP2 mask is compulsory inside buildings, while for employees a surgical mask is also sufficient; presenters are not obliged to wear a mask as long as they keep the required distance.

Rectorate approval: Submission via Division 1

Occupation of space: Percentages of space utilisation refer to the permitted capacity of the venue.

* = 2G applies to participants; 3G applies to teachers and contributors.

** = Access to premises only with valid negative test, vaccination or recovery certificate (3G).

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