

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 **Warning level**. For all listed categories of classes/events, the rule is – unless otherwise stated – that it is necessary to respect the minimum distance and to comply with the hygiene plan.

Categories of classes/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						
2G/3G rule	3G	3G*	3G*		3G	
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

Category of event	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. Kids' Uni	
Location of event	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside	Inside	Outside
Participant limit	max. occupation 60% and max. 2,000 participants	max. occupation 75% and max. 2,000 participants	max. occupation 60% and max. 2,000 participants	max. occupation 75% and max. 2,000 participants		
2G/3G rule	2G+***		2G+***		2G+***	
Mandatory mask	✓**	When not respecting minimum distance	✓**	When not respecting minimum distance	✓**	When not respecting minimum distance

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 valid vaccination or recovery certificate by all participants; 3G applies to contributors.

2G+ rule: Compulsory presenting and checking of valid vaccination or recovery certificates, as well as additional valid negative test certificates; the university continues to waive the requirement of a test in the case of persons presenting evidence of a booster or of complete vaccination/recovery that is less than 3 months old; for employees, 3G applies.

Mandatory mask: FFP2 masks are mandatory inside buildings, while for employees not involved in degree-related activities a surgical mask is sufficient; presenters need not wear a mask as long as they keep the required distance from their listeners.

Occupation of space: Percentages of space utilization refer to the permitted capacity of the venue

* = Access to the university grounds is only permitted with valid certification of a negative test, vaccination or recovery (3G).

** = The minimum distance need not be respected but wearing a mask is, in any case, obligatory.

*** = For participants, 2G+ applies; for teachers and others playing an active role, 3G applies

****= Only with approval from the Rectorate; submission via Division 1.