



# Hochschule Worms

**University of Applied Sciences**



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# Welcome week at the university

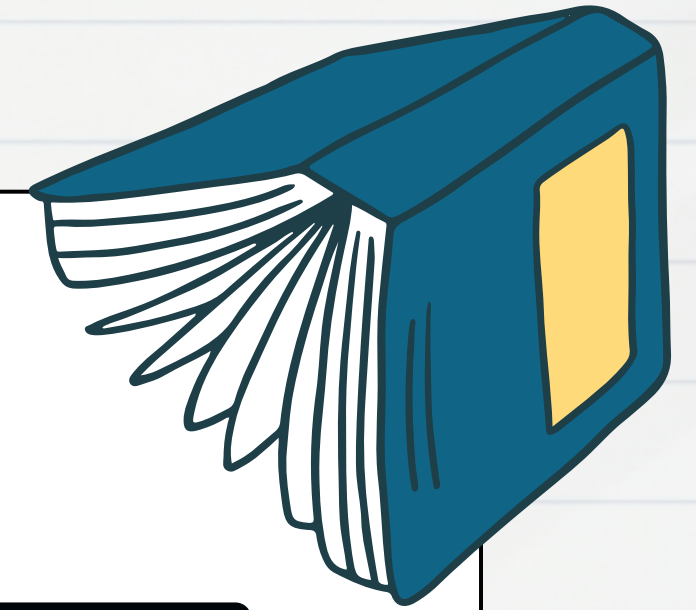
## What it is about and why it is helpful:

- It is **mandatory** to arrive **one** week before the **start** of the academic semester and during this days you will need to attend meetings at the university where a lot of useful information will be given.

## What kind of info?

- University tour,
- Town hall appointments for city registration,
- City Tours,
- Welcome ceremonies





# How to reach Worms

Frankfurt International Airport

Train

Frankfurt Hahn Airport

**Flixbus** to Mainz, then Train

## Deutscheland-Ticket

To travel throughout Germany by all means of local public transport (except on **ICE, IC/EC**), you can purchase the **Deutscheland-Ticket** on the **DB** app for **49€** per month.

### ATTENTION:

- Even if Germans are known for their punctuality, their trains aren't.
- The termination of the ticket prescription can be done only **before** the **10th** of the month **prior** the one you want to suspend the ticket for.



# The City

**Population:** 83,850, multi-ethnic

**Things to do:** not so much options

**Shopping:** quite enough options

**Gym:** many



**Cost of living;** medium

**Weather:** during winter it does not snow much

**Buses:** are **on time** and clean



**Doctors and hospital:** They speak **only german** so it is highly recommended to go with someone that knows the language really well, the incoming party will help you.



# Accommodations



## Housing Portal

- The International Center will offer you an **online platform** to help you find an accommodation in Worms.
- All the Erasmus and international students will select a house through this portal, so **be quick** to book the room that you prefer.
- You will **not** be able to ask for **more information nor additional photos** than what it is provided in the description.
- When you reserve a house your booking request is **final**. The only way to cancel the reservation is to pay a **cancelling fee**.



## WG-Gesucht

- The WG-Gesucht is an **independent** housing portal, it is **not** a service provided by the university.
- Most of the landlords on this app will look for people who will stay for **long periods** of time (1 year **at least**).
- Since it is a housing portal separate from the university there are **no guarantees** that the house will exist once you arrive in Worms, therefore you should look out for **sketchy** posts and requests.

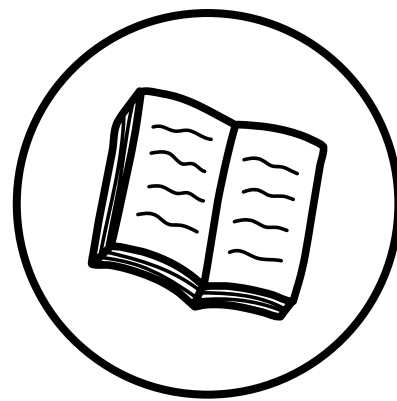


# The University

Many buildings!  
try not to get lost

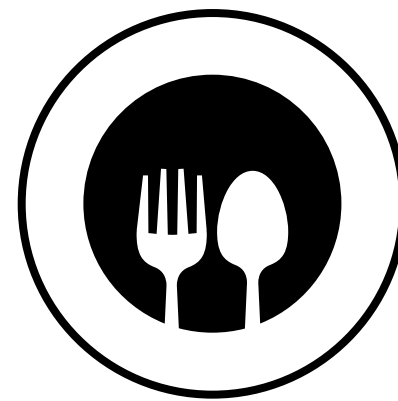


# About the university



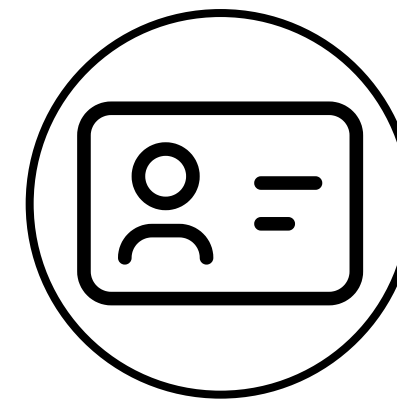
## Library:

very big with many places where to **study**, many **books** and possibility to reserve a **private room** to study in groups.



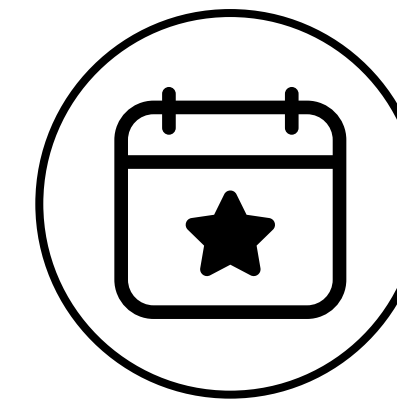
## Mensa:

The current price is **4,50** euro.  
There is always a **vegetarian** option.  
You obtain a main meal with a sup and a side dish together with a dessert.  
The drink is **not** included.



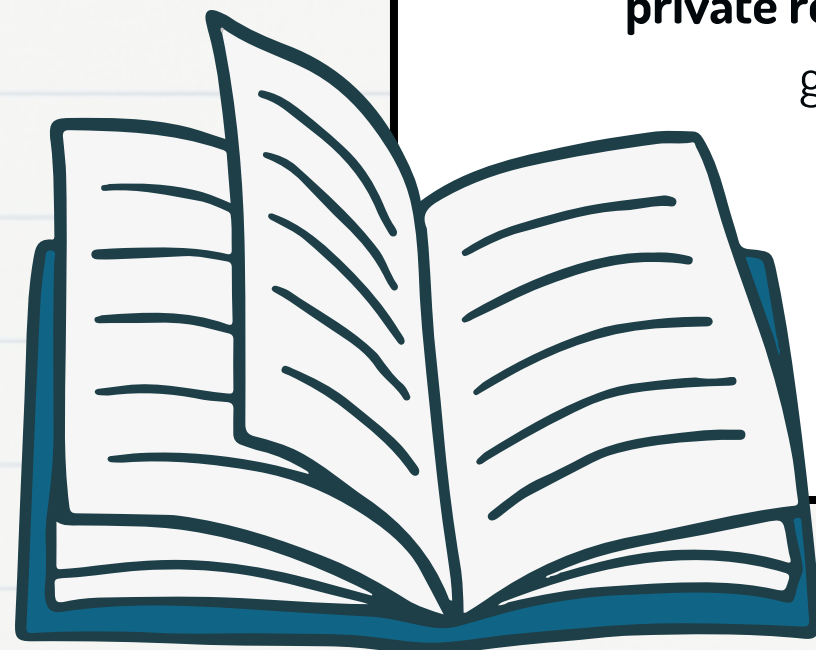
## Student ID:

You will be given a student ID in which you will need to **charge money** in order to purchase your meals at the **mensa** or to pay for **photocopies**.



## Events:

The university organizes **events** at the campus together with **trips** all around Germany.





# Services:



## Clothes shops:

- Kaiser Passage
- New Yorker
- H&M
- Only



## Shops for all needs:

- Tedi
- Muller
- Woolworth
- TK Maxx



## PC's support:

- AGASysteme
- Computer:  
search this on goole  
maps



## Supermarkets

- Kauflkand
- Lidl
- Rewe
- Netto



# Trips organized by the university:

## Berlin

The university will take care about the train and the accommodation.  
This trips tend to happen **all semesters.**

## Munich

The university will take care about the train and the accommodation.  
Only in the **second semester.**

## Strasbourg

The university will take care about the train and the accommodation.  
This thip is mainly organized **before Christmas.**

While being there you will be free to organize your time as you will prefer!



# “Hotspots”

## Pubs

- **Carroll’s Irish Pub** - Karaoke nights and other fun activities.
- **Schwarzer Bär** - Beer pong tournaments, 80s, 90s, 00s and metal themed events.
- **BB on the Rockzz** - Late night hang out spot, indoor smoking.
- **Cafe Pyramide** - Pool and darts

## Clubs

- **Musikkeller** - often used for university planned parties.

## Events to look out for

- **University Parties** - a party for each department (Tourism, IM and IBA)
- **Semester Party** - students plan a house party each semester, you need an invitation to get in.



# In conclusion

It was a nice experience that we would gladly recommend!



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