

Fact Sheet 2024 / 2025

Full name of Institution	DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen Duale Hochschule Baden-Württemberg Villingen-Schwenningen Baden-Wuerttemberg Cooperative State University Villingen-Schwenningen
Erasmus ID Code	D VILLING02
Country	Germany
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Website	https://www.dhbw-vs.de/ http://www.dhbw-vs.de/en/international
Phone	+49-7720-3906-0
Year of foundation	1975
Number of students	2500
President	Prof. Dr. Lars Meierling

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ACADEMIC CALENDER 2024-2025 / International Semester

Fall Semester		Spring Semester	
Semester Start Including Orientation	02.09.2024	Semester Start Including Orientation	03.03.2025
Semester Ends Including Exams	23.12.2024	Semester Ends Including Exams	30.06.2025
Holidays	03.10.2024 01.11.2024	Holidays	18./21.04.2025 01.05.2025 29.05.2025 09.06.2025 19.06.2025

Students can choose both German and English lectures

International students are warmly welcome at the DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen. Erasmus and exchange students can either participate in the International Semester with lectures in English, or attend the study program in German. Our programs are specially tailored to meet the needs of international students in Business and Social Work.

Nomination Deadlines Application Deadlines for Students	Nomination 30 March 2025 / 30 September 2024 Application 30 April 2025 / 30 October 2024
English Course Offer / International Semester Program:	https://www.dhbw-vs.de/en/incomings
Application Procedure:	After being nominated by the home university, we will contact the students regarding application procedure and documents, which must be completed by the application deadline. The learning agreement must be filled and signed by the home university.
Contact details for application:	DHBW Villingen-Schwenningen Baden-Wuerttemberg Cooperative State University International Office Friedrich-Ebert-Str. 30 78054 Villingen–Schwenningen Germany international.vs@dhbw.de ☎+49-7720-3906-111

Useful information for Incomings Students

Location

In the heart of the Black Forest, 1 hour drive from Stuttgart and Freiburg. Close to France and Switzerland – about 1.5 hrs drive by car.

How to get here:

By Train - Train travelers should travel to Schwenningen (Neckar) station, which is located directly across the street of the main campus of the DHBW. <https://int.bahn.de/en>

By Plane - The nearest airports are Stuttgart ('Flughafen/Airport Stuttgart-Echterdingen', 108 km by train) and Zurich ('Airport Zürich', 107 km by train).

By Bus: There is a Flix-Bus station in Schwenningen. On the web-site, the station is called Villingen-Schwenningen. There is a bus from the Airport Stuttgart. <https://www.flixbus.de/>

Costs

- Accommodation cost about 300 – 500 € per month plus a deposit (one or two months' rent)
- Food in cafeteria depending on dish 3 – 5 € per meal
- Living costs about 200 € per month
- Health insurance about 110 € per month for non-EU citizens

Entertainment in VS

- Theaters
- Public library
- Natural Reserve "Schwenninger Moos"
- Clock Museum
- Student parties
- Restaurants, Pubs, Bistros
- Cinema
- Concerts
- Ice hockey and basketball club



Sports

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| • Swimming | • University Sports: Football, Volleyball |
| • Billiard/Pool | • Walking |
| • Basketball | • Hiking |
| • Tennis | • Skiing, Cross-Country Skiing |
| • Badminton | • Cycling |
| • Aerobics/Fitness | |

Important to remember

Please remember to check the validity of your passport (or National Identity Card if you are citizen of the European Union) and the expiration date of your travel visa.