

- If you plan to go abroad, **inform your immigration office (Ausländerbehörde)** about this as soon as possible!
- Your residence permit for Germany **automatically expires within 180 days** of leaving Germany
- If you plan to go abroad for 2 semester – get proper documentation from the immigration office **before leaving Germany**



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With a German residence permit, in the EU you can:

1. study abroad in other EU countries without visa for up to 90 days
2. apply for the „[REST](#)“ procedure or visa if you plan to stay more than 90 days

**Non-EU countries will almost always require a visa.**

Visa processes can take upwards of 6 weeks – plan accordingly!



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