

Welcome

Peer to Peer:

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General student bodies at TH OWL

AStA (General Students' Committee)

Fachschaft (Students' Council)

AStA „General Students’ Committee)

- student self-administration - by students for students.
- at all 3 locations
- presents the interests of the students

- Offers sports activities, evening programs, store for study supplies, rental of the AStA van, ...



Fachschaften (Students’ council)

In university politics, students can have a say in what happens at their Faculty!

The student representatives are there to help the members of their department in their day-to-day studies. They serve as a point of contact for problems and conflicts within the course of study and organize events and offers of the respective department, such as get-to-know-each-other evenings for first semester students.

Contact and information: <https://www.th-owl.de/international/international-student-guide/#c-accordion-84972-8>

International Student Guide

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GET STARTED AT TH OWL AS AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

International Student Guide

Welcome to the TH OWL

The International Office of TH OWL warmly welcomes you! On this page we will provide you with a first orientation of how to apply and have a successful start in your studies with us. You will find all relevant information about studying and living in OWL below. Of course, if you have any additional questions, you can always [contact us](#). Just reach out!



New Student Pre-Arrival Infosessions

The International Office is offering Online Infosessions for new international students, who would like to prepare for their arrival in OWL. You will receive information for your first steps for arrival, as well as tips on what you can already do from your home country to prepare a successful start in OWL. The infosessions will be offered in German as well as in English. You can choose, which infosession you would like to attend. It is not needed to register beforehand. Just click on the link to join the online session on the mentioned date. Below you can see the info sessions offered:

Outlook:



Please check for all up-coming on campus events and further online sessions on our I.O. website!

Semester lecture period

		Von bis
Wintersemester	2025/26	22.09.2025 – 06.02.2026
Sommersemester	2026	06.04.2026 - 31.07.2026
Wintersemester	2026/27	28.09.2026 - 12.02.2027
Sommersemester	2027	29.03.2027 - 23.07.2027
Wintersemester	2027/28	27.09.2027 – 11.02.2028
Sommersemester	2028	03.04.2028 - 28.07.2028
Wintersemester	2028/29	25.09.2028 - 09.02.2029
Sommersemester	2029	26.03.2029 - 20.07.2029
Wintersemester	2029/30	24.09.2029 - 08.02.2030
Sommersemester	2030	19.03.2030 - 12.07.2030

Thank You!

Please feel free to ask questions by raising your hand or in the chat 😊

Welcome to TH OWL

Essential Information for New Students

Transportation, Shopping, Internet, Jobs, Sports, and More



Transportation

Airport to Lemgo/Detmold

Take a train from Airport to Bielefeld (via IC/ICE/Flix) or Regional trains.

From Bielefeld, take a regional train to Lemgo or Detmold.

Here are the links for the DB website and mobile application

- Website Link (<https://int.bahn.de/en>)
- App link (<https://www.bahn.de/service/mobile/db-navigator>)

Deutschland Ticket (Semester Ticket)

The Deutschland Ticket offers unlimited travel on public transport across Germany, including buses and trains, excluding Flix, IC and ICE services.

Link: [Deutschland Ticket Information](#)

Semester Ticket (OWL Mobil)

- Use the OWL Mobil application
- Link [OWL Mobil](#)
- Follow the steps to purchase the ticket ([Instruction](#))

Busses and Trains between Lemgo, Detmold, and Bielefeld

In the NRW region, buses and trains connect Lemgo, Detmold, and Bielefeld. You can use the DB app to get the update about the buses and the train, most common buses and trains

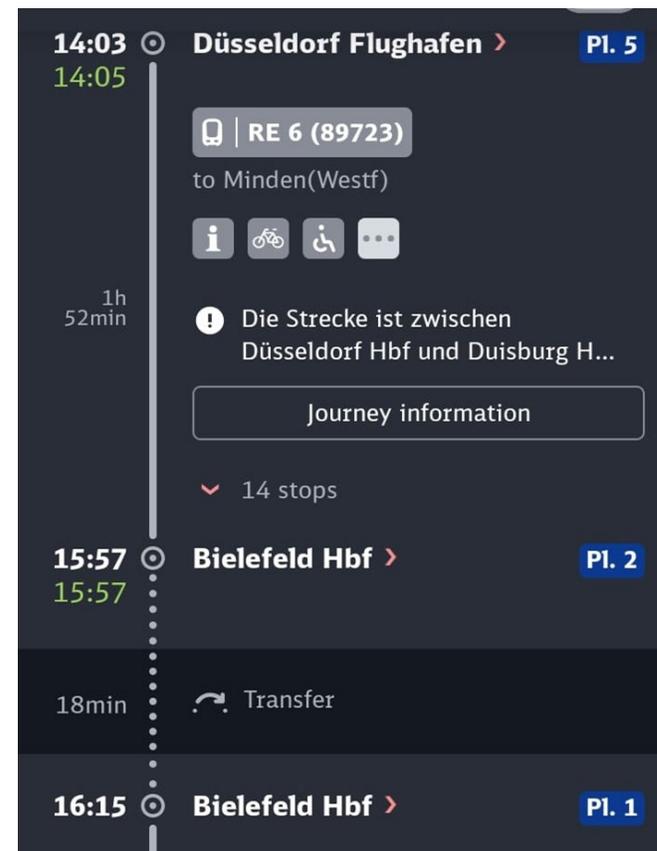
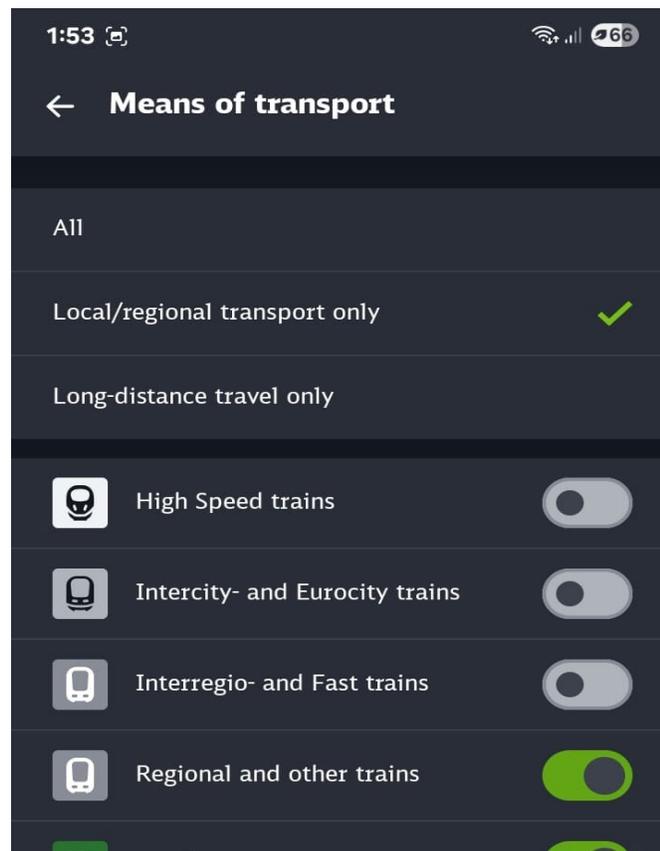
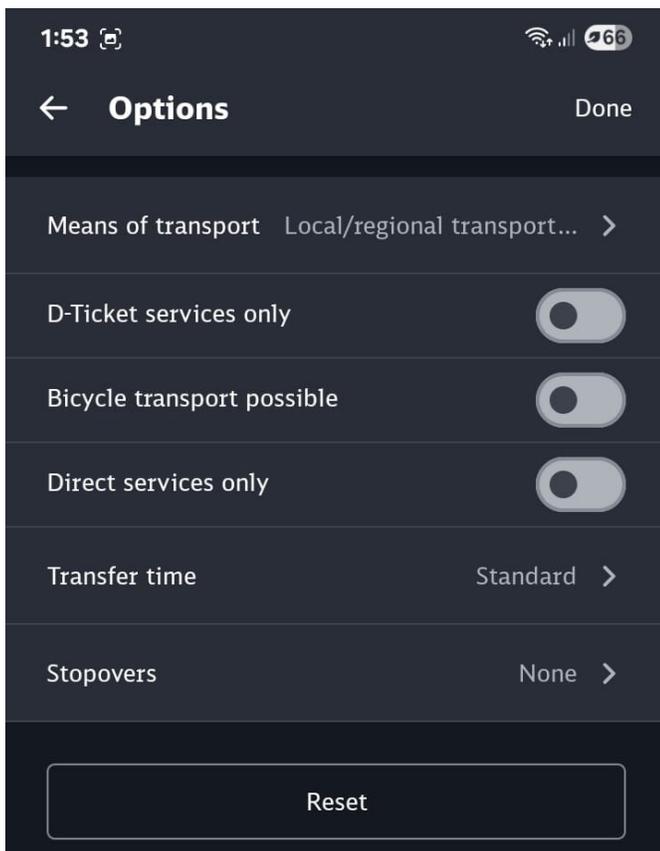
- Lemgo to Bielefeld Train RB73
- Lemgo to Detmold Bus 790
- Bielefeld to Detmold RB72
- **Link:** OWL Mobil app link [OWL Mobil](#)

Tips

For the trains to open the door you need to press that button, without pressing it door will not open.



Tips



Shopping

Shopping Essentials

Where to buy groceries, kitchen, bedroom items, and how to save money

- Woolworth
- IKEA
- JYSK
- POCO



International Groceries

- **Jaffna Store**

Address: [Feilenstraße 8, 33602 Bielefeld](#)

Opening hours: Monday to Saturday 09:00 AM to 08:30 PM (Sunday closed)

- **Ünlü**

Address detmold: [Lagesche Str. 1, 32756 Detmold](#)

Address Bielefeld: [Wismarer Str. 30, 33605 Bielefeld](#)

Address Bielefeld: [Gütersloher Str. 8, 33647 Bielefeld](#)

Opening hours: Monday to Saturday 08:00 AM to 08:00 PM (Sunday closed)

- **German Super Stores**

Aldi, Lidl, Edeka, Combi, Netto, rewe,marktkauf, and Kaufland

Clothing Stores

- TK Maxx
- Woolworth
- Shein online store

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Internet

Cheapest internet options like SIM.de and O2 contracts

- Sim.de



Details on SIM.de plans (e.g., 7 GB for approx. 5€)

<https://www.sim.de/>

Referral Link: <https://h.sim.de/23427ebbe5a43?kww=o4j6KVdbIN50rBxLc0Y8ZQ%3D%3D>

- O2



Job Opportunities

Job Opportunities Without German language skills

- MacDonal
- Burger king
- Amazon
- DHL
- Zenjob
- JobValley

Job Opportunities

You can also found in the online websites

- [Stepstone](#)
- [Xing](#)
- [Indeed](#)
- [Monster](#)
- [Glassdoor](#)
- [linkedin](#)

Sports

- **Gym Easy Fitness(Cheapest Gym)**
Monthly fee: €25.00 and One-time registration fee: €80.00, currently is free of registration
- **Swimming:**
Locations: Lemgo, Detmold, Bielefeld
Daily ticket: Approximately €3.00
- **Sport Disciplines Offered by Student Union (AStA) of TH OWL:**
Various sports disciplines available
Registration via specific WhatsApp groups

Extra Tips

Warm Clothes and Shoes:

- Essential as the cold season in Germany begins at the end of September.

Haircuts:

- Haircuts can be expensive in Germany.
- Cheapest option in Lemgo: €12.00

Medicine:

- Bring your own medicine if needed, as it may be difficult or expensive to obtain in Germany.

Thank you

