

COVID 19 Bonus Bookable Time

Credit and Bonus Calculation

Because the remaining semester has been moved due to our shutdown on 17.03.2020 the effective lost access time to studios and equipment is calculated from easter break (06.04.2020) to reopening on 04.05.2020. This means that the total time that will be used to calculate all credit amounts is 4 weeks plus 25%, a total of 5 weeks.

We recognize that not everyone is in Berlin and that some of you may not be able to take advantage of this reopening. In these cases the effective time which will be used to calculate a credit is 7 weeks + 25%, ie. the total time of the remaining semester.

Students who are graduating and will no longer continue their studies with us next year will have 24 months within which you can redeem the time credited to your account.

Students who will be continuing their studies with us next year may redeem their credited time during the course of their study.

Music School Students

Music					
Year	Regular Allowance (Hours / Week)	Weeks Missed	Bonus 25%	Total in Hours	
1	3	4	1.25	15	
2	4	4	1.25	20	
3	6	4	1.25	30	

Film School Students

Film Equipment						
Year	Regular Allowance (Weeks / Semester)	Missed % of Semester (4/15)	Bonus 25%	Total in Weeks	Simplification	
1	3	0.26	1.25	0.975	7 days*	
2	1	0.26	1.25	0.325	5 days*	
3	1	0.26	1.25	0.325	5 days*	

*Due to the nature of film equipment bookings and the project timelines throughout the semester a simple calculation of time missed is not entirely possible. Therefore we have decided to simplify and increase the credit amount for all film equipment bookings to 7 days for first year students, and 5 days for second and third year students.

Film - Postboxes					
Year	Regular Allowance (Hours / Week)	Weeks Missed	Bonus 25%	Total in Hours	
1	3	4	1.25	15	
2	6	4	1.25	30	
3	8	4	1.25	40	

VFX - Postbox					
Year	Regular Allowance (Hours / Week)	Weeks Missed	Bonus 25%	Total in Hours	
1	8	4	1.25	40	

VFX - Equipment						
Year	Regular Allowance (Weeks / Semester)	Missed % of Semester (4/15 weeks)	Bonus 25%	Total in Weeks	Simplification	
1	2	0.26	1.25	0.65	5 days	

How to Redeem

Until 01.08.2020

Please use the <https://dbsberlin.siso.co/> to continue making bookings. All booking duration limits will be increased by 25%.

After 01.08.2020.

No booking possible until 21.09.2020

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All credited time can be redeemed by contacting techs@dbsmusic.net or techs@dbsfilm.net respectively. All arrangements regarding booking dates, times, and length will be arranged by technicians while observing any pre-existing academic priorities. As such we will make every effort to arrange the times requested, however dBs can not guarantee that booking requests will be possible for the requested times, dates, or durations.

*As film equipment inventory is limited we suggest that if possible this equipment is booked over holiday periods and specifically before 01.08.2020 if at all possible.

** For details regarding the available amounts for anyone not currently in Berlin please contact nathaniel@dbsberlin.net