

## No. 15 | Limited Operations + Perspectives for Individual Lessons from June 2

Dear members of the Hanns Eisler School community,

Our Corona Bulletin No. 15 begins with a piece of good news: since this week, the school is no longer in a state of emergency operations; instead we have entered a phase of “limited operations”. This means that parts of the administrative staff who have been working remotely can now enter the school’s buildings, according to a staggered schedule, and that we have a perspective to begin individual lessons in person again in the week after Whitsun, i.e. starting on Tuesday, June 2 – we are particularly pleased to announce the latter. Johannes Hellmann and his team are currently devising a complex plan which takes into account the necessary rules of distancing and hygiene, protecting your health while making it possible to return to the school’s buildings.

We are now four weeks into our Digital Creative Semester, and witnessing how well and proactively our school community is mastering this new challenge. Our teaching staff are doing their best to support and accompany their students during this time. Many new and interesting formats have been developed. Let’s take advantage of the communicative opportunities of social media (Facebook, Instagram and Twitter) to stay in touch as an academic community! We encourage you to tell our communications team about your projects, by emailing [kommunikation@hfm-berlin.de](mailto:kommunikation@hfm-berlin.de). We would like to know how you are spending your time. We would be particularly happy to hear from those who have not been able to return to Berlin yet, due to a lack of travel opportunities.

We have an important point to make to all of you: even if there is the wish and if it would appear logical, the law prohibits teaching in private spaces or at home, both for your own protection and that of the other person involved. Within the school buildings, we have a wide range of possibilities to ensure hygiene and distancing; our cleaning staff are working intensively to provide a safe environment.

During the past weeks, for your sake we have kept the motor of our institution idling: now the time has come to step it up cautiously, gear by gear. We can hardly wait to welcome you back to the Hanns Eisler School – with distancing, disinfected hands and full of energy!

Continue to stay healthy!

Kind regards,

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