

## FACTSHEET RESIT POLICY – FOR STUDENTS

4 September 2023

From the academic year 2023/2024 onwards, **students can take an interim examination for a course twice a year**. The resits are spread over three resit periods: February, May, and July. **This is different from the situation in previous years.** This policy is implemented to allow more effective study-ing for resits and to reduce the workload of teachers.

Please note:

- The resit policy only applies to cursory courses. So, not to theses, research practices and internships.
- The rules regarding resit weeks only apply to written tests. So, not to reports, essays, practicals, etc.

You can take an exam for a course when the course is scheduled, or during the scheduled resit option. **Each course has a resit option only in one of the resit periods.** Even when a course has more than two exam options a year, you can only use two of these options. For assistance in planning resit options smartly, do discuss with your study adviser.

In the study handbook (<u>https://studyhandbook.wur.nl/</u>) you can see in which resit period the exam option is offered.

In <u>TimeEdit</u> the resit exams are scheduled so you can properly plan any resits you need to take.

**Due to the changes in resit periods, the start of some periods also shifts compared with previous years.** You can find the Calendar Academic Year in which this is indicated 2023/2024 <u>here</u>.

## FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1) <u>Am I allowed to take a regular exam instead of a resit?</u> Yes, this was already allowed and is still allowed. Osiris ensures you cannot take a particular exam more than twice per academic year.

2) How do I know when the resit is scheduled?

This is (globally) indicated in the Study Handbook and the exact date and time of the resit are published in TimeEdit.

3) When can I register for a resit?

You can register for resits from September 1<sup>st</sup>. If you pass the regular exam, you will be automatically deregistered for a future exam registration.

4) When will the exam results of exams in the last week(s) of P6 be published?

In principle, by Friday of resit week C1 (12 July 2024). Inspection ('inzage') takes place on the following Monday .

An exception is made for exams of courses in period 6 that cannot be graded within five working days:

- The grades are published by Friday of resit week C2 (19 July 2024).
- Inspection ('inzage') takes place no later than Monday July 22. The resit takes place in resit week C3 (25 or 26 July 2024).

5) When will the results of the July resits be published?

By August 20. Please note that this only applies to resits of courses, not to theses, research practices, and internships.

6) <u>Does it count as an attempt if I do not show up for the exam?</u> Yes, this still counts as an attempt unless you have deregistered in time through Osiris-Student (i.e. before the final unenrollment date).

## 7) <u>How will be dealt with students that need an extra resit</u> opportunity?

Students can submit a request to the Examining Board, see the Education and Examination Regulations 2023/2024, article 44g and 47. You might wish to consult your study adviser prior to submitting such a request.