

2026 Academic Calendar

Standard Teaching Periods – Higher Education

Semester One 2026 (Teaching Period 2605/2607) Monday 02 March 2026 - Saturday 04 July 2026		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation Week Monday 23 February 2026 - Friday 27 February 2026	1 Week	
First lecture period Monday 02 March 2026 - Thursday 02 April 2026	5 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks.
Lecture break Friday 03 April 2026 - Sunday 12 April 2026	11 days	Includes Easter break Friday 03 April 2026 - Tuesday 07 April 2026
Second lecture period Monday 13 April 2026 - Friday 29 May 2026	6 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks ANZAC Day public holiday Tuesday 28 April 2026
SWOT VAC period Monday 01 June 2026 - Friday 05 June 2026	1 Week	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Semester 1 Examinations Monday 08 June 2026 - Friday 19 June 2026	2 Weeks	Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during this period. Queen's Birthday Monday 08 June 2026
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Monday 13 July 2026 - Friday 17 July 2026	5 Days	
Census Date Tuesday 31 March 2026		
Result Publication Date Friday 03 July 2026		
LECTURE BREAK: Monday 22 June 2026 - Friday 17 July 2026 (4 Weeks)		

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Semester Two 2026 (Teaching Period 2620/2617) Monday 20 July 2026 - Saturday 21 November 2026		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation Week Monday 13 July 2026 - Friday 17 July 2026	1 Week	
First lecture period Monday 20 July 2026 - Friday 28 August 2026	6 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks.
Lecture break Monday 31 August 2026 - Friday 04 September 2026	5 days	
Second lecture period Monday 07 September 2026 - Friday 16 October 2026	6 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks
SWOT VAC period Monday 19 October 2026 - Friday 23 October 2026	1 Week	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Semester 2 Examinations Monday 26 October 2026 - Friday 06 November 2026	12 Days	Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during this period.
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Monday Monday 30 November 2026 - Friday 04 December 2026	5 days	
Census Date Saturday 15 August 2026		
Result Publication Date Friday 20 November 2026		
LECTURE BREAK: Monday 09 November 2026 - Friday 13 November 2026 (5 Days)		

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Summer Semester 2026 (Teaching Period 2627) Friday 13 November 2026 - Saturday 13 March 2027		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation and First lecture period Monday 16 November 2026 - Thursday 24 December 2026	6 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks.
Lecture break Friday 25 December 2026 - Sunday 03 January 2027	7 days	Includes University Shutdown Thursday 24 December 2026- Friday 01 January 2027
Second lecture period Monday 04 January 2027 - Friday 05 February 2027	5 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks
SWOT VAC period Saturday 06 February 2027 - Tuesday 09 February 2027	4 Days	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Semester 1 Examinations Wednesday 10 February 2027 - Friday 19 February 2027	10 Days	Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during this period.
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Monday 15 March 2027 - Friday 19 March 2027	5 Days	
Census Date Thursday 10 December 2026		
Result Publication Date Friday 26 February 2027		