

2021 Academic Calendar

Trimester

Note: Trimester Important Dates applies to Brisbane campus and onshore and offshore partner providers. It is mandatory for international students enrolled through Partners to undertake studies in semester 1 and 2. Enrolment in the summer teaching period is optional.

Semester One, 2021 (Teaching Period 2107) Monday 22 March 2021 – Sunday 18 July 2021		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation and Enrolment Monday 15 March 2021 – Friday 19 March 2021	1 Week	
Lecture period Monday 22 March 2021 – Friday 11 June 2021	12 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks. Includes Easter break Friday 02 April 2021 – Tuesday 06 April 2021.
SWOT VAC period Saturday 12 June 2021 - Tuesday 15 June 2021	4 Days	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Semester 1 Examinations Wednesday 16 June 2021 - Saturday 26 June 2021	11 Days	Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during this period
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Tuesday 20 July 2021 – Saturday 24 July 2021	5 Days	
Census Date Friday 16 April 2021		
Result Publication Date Monday 12 July 2021		
LECTURE BREAK: Monday 28 June 2021 - Friday 16 July 2021 (3 Weeks)*		

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Semester Two, 2021 (Teaching Period 2117) Monday 19 July 2021 – Sunday 14 November 2021		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation and Enrolment Monday 12 July 2021 - Friday 16 July 2021	1 Week	
Lecture period Monday 19 July 2021 - Friday 08 October 2021	12 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks
SWOT VAC period Saturday 09 October 2021 - Tuesday 12 October 2021	4 Days	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Semester 2 Examinations Wednesday 13 October – Saturday 23 October 2021	11 Days	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Tuesday 16 November 2021 - Saturday 20 November 2021	5 Days	
Census Date Friday 13 August 2021		
Result Publication Date Monday 08 November 2021		
LECTURE BREAK: Monday 25 October 2021 - Friday 12 November 2021 (3 Weeks)*		

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Summer Semester, 2021 (Teaching Period 2127) Monday 15 November 2021 – Sunday 20 March 2022		
Dates	Duration	Notes
Orientation and Enrolment Monday 08 November 2021 – Friday 12 November 2021	1 Week	
Lecture period Monday 15 November 2021 – Friday 11 February 2022	13 Weeks	Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks. Includes Christmas and New Year break period
SWOT VAC period Saturday 12 February 2022 – Tuesday 15 February 2022	4 Days	Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week.
Summer Examinations Wednesday 16 February 2022 - Saturday 26 February 2022	11 Days	Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during this period
Supplementary and Deferred Examinations Tuesday 22 March 2022 - Saturday 26 March 2022	5 Days	
Census Date Friday 10 December 2021		
Result Publication Date Tuesday 15 March 2022		

*Lecture breaks do not exclude the possibility of learning experiences such as excursions, consultation, professional experience placement and research. Block mode and other teaching/learning activities e.g. vacation schools and weekend schools that fall outside identified semester periods may be conducted at any time throughout the calendar year.

Further information relating to important dates within a semester please refer to the website:
<https://federation.edu.au/current-students/essential-info/administration/important-dates>

VICTORIAN PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 2021 as observed by FedUni		
New Year's Day Holiday	Friday 01 January 2021	All Campus
Australia Day	Tuesday 26 January 2021	All Campus
Labour Day	Monday 08 March 2021	VIC Campus
Good Friday	Friday 02 April 2021	All Campus
Easter Monday	Monday 05 April 2021	All Campus
Easter Tuesday	Tuesday 06 April 2021	All Campus
Anzac Day	Monday 26 April 2021	All Campus
Labour Day	Monday 03 May 2021	QLD Campus
Queen's Birthday	Monday 14 June 2021	VIC Campus
Queen's Birthday	Monday 04 October 2021	QLD Campus
Friday before AFL Grand Final	TBC*	VIC Campus
Christmas Day	Monday 27 December 2021	All Campus
Boxing Day	Tuesday 28 December 2021	All Campus

Federation University operates from
Monday 04 January 2021 – Friday 24 December 2021
The University is closed on all Victorian public holidays

*The Victorian Government has previously declared a public holiday on the Friday prior to the AFL Grand Final. The AFL Grand Final date for this year is yet to be announced and as a result the public holiday is also to be confirmed. Details will be added when available.

