

Academic Year 2023/2024 (for reference)

| Year                   | 2023/2024        |   |
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| <b>First Semester</b>  |                  |   |
| Term Week              | Dates            | Action                                      |
|                        | From 09 Aug 2023 | New postgraduate registration (online)      |
|                        | 28 Aug-01 Sep    | New 1st year (CAO) UG registration (online) |
|                        | 11 - 15 Sept     | Continuing UG and PG registration (online)  |
| 0                      | 18-22 Sept 2023  | Orientation week                            |
| 1                      | 25-29 Sept       | Start of Lectures                           |
| 2                      | 02-06 Oct        |   |
| 3                      | 09-13 Oct        |   |
| 4                      | 16-20 Oct        |   |
| 5                      | 23-27 Oct        |   |
|                        | 30 Oct-03 Nov    | Study week                                  |
| 6                      | 06-10 Nov        |   |
| 7                      | 13-17 Nov        |   |
| 8                      | 20-24 Nov        |   |
| 9                      | 27 Nov-01 Dec    |   |
| 10                     | 04-08 Dec        |   |
| 11                     | 11-15 Dec        |   |
| 12                     | 18-22 Dec        | Last week of Lectures                       |
|                        | 25-29 Dec        | Christmas vacation                          |
|                        | 01-05 Jan 2024   | Christmas vacation                          |
|                        | 08-13 Jan        | Study week and Exams 12th, 13th Jan         |
|                        | 15-20 Jan        | Exam week                                   |
|                        | 22-27 Jan        | Exam week                                   |
|                        | 29 Jan-02 Feb    | Inter Semester Break                        |
| <b>Second Semester</b> |                  |   |
| Term Week              | Dates            | Action                                      |
| 1                      | 06-09 Feb 2024   | Start of Lectures                           |
| 2                      | 12-16 Feb        |   |
| 3                      | 19-23 Feb        |   |
| 4                      | 26 Feb-01 Mar    |   |
| 5                      | 04-08 Mar        |   |
| 6                      | 11-15 Mar        |   |
| 7                      | 18-22 Mar        |   |
|                        | 25-28 Mar        | Study Week (Good Friday 29 Mar 2024)        |
|                        | 01-05 Apr        | Easter Vacation                             |
| 8                      | 08-12 Apr        |   |
| 9                      | 15-19 Apr        |   |
| 10                     | 22-26 Apr        |   |
| 11                     | 29 Apr-03 May    |   |
| 12                     | 07-10 May        | Last week of Lectures                       |
|                        | 13-18 May        | Study week and Exams 17th, 18th May         |
|                        | 20-25 May        | Exam week                                   |
|                        | 27 May-01 June   | Exam week                                   |
|                        |                  |   |
|                        | 07-10 Aug 2024   | Supplemental Exam Week                      |
|                        | 12-17 Aug        | Supplemental Exam Week                      |

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| Term Week              | Dates              | Action  |
|                        | From 12 Aug 2024   | New postgraduate registration (online)        |
|                        | 26 Aug-30 Aug      | New 1st year (CAO) UG registration (online) * |
|                        | 09-13 Sept         | Continuing UG and PG registration (online)    |
| 0                      | 16-20 Sept 2024    | Orientation week *                            |
| 1                      | 23-27 Sept         | Start of Lectures                             |
| 2                      | 30 Sep-04 Oct      |   |
| 3                      | 07-11 Oct          |   |
| 4                      | 14-18 Oct          |   |
| 5                      | 21-25 Oct          |   |
|                        | 28 Oct-01 Nov      | Study week (Holiday Mon 28th)                 |
| 6                      | 04-08 Nov          |   |
| 7                      | 11-15 Nov          |   |
| 8                      | 18-22 Nov          |   |
| 9                      | 25-29 Nov          |   |
| 10                     | 02-06 Dec          |   |
| 11                     | 09-13 Dec          |   |
| 12                     | 16-20 Dec          | Last week of Lectures                         |
|                        | 23-27 Dec          | Christmas vacation                            |
|                        | 30 Dec-03 Jan 2025 | Christmas vacation                            |
|                        | 06-11 Jan          | Study week and Exams 10th, 11th Jan           |
|                        | 13-18 Jan          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 20-25 Jan          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 27-31 Jan          | Inter Semester Break                          |
| <b>Second Semester</b> |                    |   |
| Term Week              | Dates              | Action  |
| 1                      | 04-07 Feb 2025     | Start of Lectures (Holiday Mon 3rd)           |
| 2                      | 10-14 Feb          |   |
| 3                      | 17-21 Feb          |   |
| 4                      | 24-28 Feb          |   |
| 5                      | 03-07 Mar          |   |
| 6                      | 10-14 Mar          |   |
|                        | 17-21 Mar          | Study Week                                    |
| 7                      | 24-28 Mar          |   |
| 8                      | 31 Mar-04 Apr      |   |
| 9                      | 07-11 Apr          |   |
| 10                     | 14-18 Apr          |   |
|                        | 21-25 Apr          | Easter Vacation (Holiday Mon 21st)            |
| 11                     | 28 Apr-02 May      |   |
| 12                     | 06-09 May          | Last week of Lectures ( Holiday Mon 5th)      |
|                        | 12-17 May          | Study week and Exams 16th, 17th May           |
|                        | 19-24 May          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 26-31 May          | Exam week                                     |
|                        |                    |   |
|                        | 06-09 Aug 2025     | Supplemental Exam Week                        |
|                        | 11-16 Aug          | Supplemental Exam Week                        |

Indicative Academic Year 2025/2026

| Year                   | 2025/2026          |   |
|------------------------|--------------------|---|
| <b>First Semester</b>  |                    |   |
| Term Week              | Dates              | Action  |
|                        | From 11 Aug 2025   | New postgraduate registration (online)        |
|                        | 25 Aug-29 Aug      | New 1st year (CAO) UG registration (online) * |
|                        | 08-12 Sept         | Continuing UG and PG registration (online)    |
| 0                      | 15-19 Sept 2025    | Orientation week *                            |
| 1                      | 22-26 Sept         | Start of Lectures                             |
| 2                      | 29 Sep-03 Oct      |   |
| 3                      | 06-10 Oct          |   |
| 4                      | 13-17 Oct          |   |
| 5                      | 20-24 Oct          |   |
|                        | 27 Oct-31 Oct      | Study week (Holiday Mon 27th)                 |
| 6                      | 03-07 Nov          |   |
| 7                      | 10-14 Nov          |   |
| 8                      | 17-21 Nov          |   |
| 9                      | 24-28 Nov          |   |
| 10                     | 01-05 Dec          |   |
| 11                     | 08-12 Dec          |   |
| 12                     | 15-19 Dec          | Last week of Lectures                         |
|                        | 22-26 Dec          | Christmas vacation                            |
|                        | 29 Dec-02 Jan 2026 | Christmas vacation                            |
|                        | 05-10 Jan          | Study week and Exams 9th, 10th Jan            |
|                        | 12-16 Jan          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 19-24 Jan          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 26-30 Jan          | Inter Semester Break                          |
| <b>Second Semester</b> |                    |   |
| Term Week              | Dates              | Action  |
| 1                      | 03-06 Feb 2026     | Start of Lectures (Holiday Mon 2nd)           |
| 2                      | 09-13 Feb          |   |
| 3                      | 16-20 Feb          |   |
| 4                      | 23-27 Feb          |   |
| 5                      | 02-06 Mar          |   |
| 6                      | 09-13 Mar          |   |
|                        | 16-20 Mar          | Study Week (Holiday 17th)                     |
| 7                      | 23-27 Mar          |   |
| 8                      | 30 Mar-02 Apr      | (Holiday Fri 3rd)                             |
|                        | 06-10 Apr          | Easter Vacation (Holiday Mon 6th)             |
| 9                      | 13-17 Apr          |   |
| 10                     | 20-24 Apr          |   |
| 11                     | 27 Apr-01 May      |   |
| 12                     | 05-08 May          | Last week of Lectures (Holiday Mon 4th)       |
|                        | 11-16 May          | Study week and Exams 15th, 16th May           |
|                        | 18-23 May          | Exam week                                     |
|                        | 25-30 May          | Exam week                                     |
|                        |                    |   |
|                        | 05-08 Aug 2026     | Supplemental Exam Week                        |
|                        | 10-15 Aug          | Supplemental Exam Week                        |

\* the calendar (for first year undergraduates only) will be reviewed when the dates for Leaving Certificate results and the CAO process are confirmed.

\*\* Easter Vacation was planned for 14-18 April 2025 (in the indicative calendar noted by AC in May 2023). It has now been confirmed for **21-25 April in 2025**. This will help to reduce the number of Mondays lost during semester 2 due to public holidays.