

2017 Academic Year Calendar

Spring Semester
(April 1 - September 25)

April			
1	Sat	Start of Spring Semester	
		Orientation	
2	Sun	Entrance Ceremony	
3	Mon	Orientation	
4	Tue	Orientation	
5	Wed	Orientation	
6	Thu	Start of Classes, Spring Semester	
15	Sat	Regular Classes (Wednesday's Classes)	
29	Sat	Showa Day	Class Day
May			
3	Wed	Constitution Day	No Classes
4	Thu	Greenery Day	No Classes
5	Fri	Children's Day	No Classes
13	Sat	Regular Classes (Friday's Classes)	
19	Fri	University Foundation Day	Class Day
20	Sat	Make-up day Classes ②	
June			
3	Sat	Regular Classes (Thursday's Classes)	
17	Sat	Make-up day Classes ③	
July			
15	Sat	Make-up day Classes ④	
17	Mon	Marine Day	Class Day
20	Thu	Make-up day Classes ⑤	
31	Mon	End of Classes, Spring Semester	
August			
1	Tue	Start of Summer Break	
September			
6	Wed	Graduation Results Announcement (Masters)	
22	Fri	Fall Orientation for New Students	
23	Sat	Graduation Ceremony (Masters) / Autumnal Equinox Day	
25	Mon	Entrance Ceremony, Fall Semester	
		End of Summer Break and Summer Session	
		End of Spring Semester	

Fall Semester
(September 26 - March 31)

September			
26	Tue	Start of Fall Semester	
		Start of Classes, Fall Semester	
October			
7	Sat	Graduation Ceremony (Doctoral)	
9	Mon	Sports Day	Class Day
14	Sat	Regular Classes (Monday's Classes)	
28	Sat	Make-up day Classes ①	
November			
3	Fri	Culture Day	Class Day
18	Sat	Make-up day Classes ②	
23	Thu	Labor Thanksgiving Day	Class Day
December			
9	Sat	Make-up day Classes ③	
23	Sat	The Emperor's Birthday (Make-up day Classes ④)	
26	Tue	Start of Winter Break	
January			
4	Thu	End of Winter Break	
5	Fri	Classes Recommence, Fall Semester	
8	Mon	Coming-of-Age Day	No Classes
19	Fri	Make-up day Classes ⑤	
31	Wed	End of Classes, Fall Semester	
February			
1	Thu	Start of Spring Break	
March			
5	Mon	Graduation Results Announcement (Masters)	
22	Thu	Graduation Ceremony (Masters) (BKC)	
24	Sat	Graduation Ceremony Doctoral (Dissertation Doctoral)	
31	Sat	End of Spring Break	
		End of Fall Semester	

(Note) Holidays/public holidays that fall outside of the semester period are omitted.

※ To make up for a shortage of classes, resulting from an insufficient number of Mondays/Wednesdays, classes will be held on these Saturdays.

※ Reserve Days for make up classes in the event of class cancellations have been set as follows:

Spring semester: July 21, (Fri)-22 (Sat), 24 (Mon)-29 (Sat), 31 (Mon)

Fall semester: January 20 (Sat), 22 (Mon)-27 (Sat), January 29 (Mon)-31 (Wed)

※ The treatment of Reserve Days and Saturdays/Sundays on which classes are not held, differs by Graduate School. For details, please check with the Graduate School concerned.