

IMPORTANT NOTES	
<i>The dates provided are for standard University terms; teaching timetables may vary between programmes</i>	
Students on Postgraduate Taught, Postgraduate Research and Undergraduate programmes with placements may have teaching and assessment periods during the Winter and Spring vacations and are therefore required to be in continuous attendance	
International Undergraduate and Postgraduate students requiring more information and guidance on semester/term dates and vacation periods should refer to the following page: VISA INFORMATION AND ADVICE	
UNDERGRADUATE and POSTGRADUATE TERM /SEMESTER DATES (SEPTEMBER STARTERS)	
Induction Week	Monday 15th - Friday 19th September 2025
Semester 1 (Term 1)	Monday 22nd September - Friday 12th December 2025
Reconnect Week	Monday 19th January - Friday 23rd January 2026
Semester 2 (Term 2)	Monday 26th January - Friday 27th March 2026
Semester 2 (Term 3)	Monday 13th April - Friday 15th May 2026
For Undergraduate and Postgraduate programmes with non-standard start dates, please check for accurate semester and teaching dates with your School	
UNDERGRADUATE/POSTGRADUATE ASSESSMENT PERIODS	
Semester 1 Examinations	Thursday 8th - Friday 16th January 2026
Semester 2 Examinations	Wednesday 6th - Friday 15th May 2026
Summer Re-sit Examinations	Tuesday 14th - Friday 17th July 2026
UNDERGRADUATE/POSTGRADUATE VACATION/HOLIDAY PERIODS	
Christmas/Winter Vacation	Monday 15th December 2025 - Friday 16th January 2026
Easter/Spring Vacation	Monday 30th March - Friday 10th April 2026
<i>Postgraduate students are expected to work on their dissertation or project throughout the Summer and do not follow the vacation pattern noted for Undergraduates</i>	
GRADUATION WEEK	Tuesday 21st - Saturday 25th July 2026 (tbc)
UNIVERSITY CLOSURE DATES	
Monday 25th August 2025	
Wednesday 24th December 2025 - Thursday 1st January 2026	
Thursday 2nd - Monday 6th April 2026	
Monday 4th May 2026	
Monday 25th May 2026	

The following courses have non - standard start dates

Course	Induction Date	Teaching Start Date
PGCE Primary with QTS	Thursday 28 August 2025	Monday 1 September 2025
PGCE Secondary with QTS	Monday 1 September 2025	Monday 1 September 2025
PGCE Primary (non QTS)	Wednesday 10 September 2025	Wednesday 10 September 2025
Foundation Primary Education	Thursday 11 September 2025	Thursday 11 September 2025
MSc Strength and Conditioning (Distance Learning)	Monday 29 August 2025	Monday 29 August 2025
MSc Applied Strength and Conditioning	Monday 8 September 2025	Monday 8 September 2025
MSc Applied Sport and Exercise Physiology	Friday 12 September 2025	Friday 12 September 2025
MA Education	Saturday 13 September 2025	Saturday 13 September 2025
MSc Physiotherapy	Monday 8 September	Monday 8 September
MSc Psychology (Distance Learning)	Monday 8 September 2025	Monday 15 September 2025
MSc Sport Rehabilitation	Thursday 25 September 2025	Thursday 25 September 2025
MSc Applied Sports Nutrition	Thursday 25 September 2025	Thursday 25 September 2025
MSc Applied Sport Psychology	Friday 26 September 2025	Friday 26 September 2025
MA Catholic School Teaching	Saturday 20 September 2025	Saturday 20 September 2025

Some other courses may also be subject to different start dates. Please check with the Course Lead.