

2025- 2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR	
INSTITUTE OF GRADUATE STUDIES ACADEMIC CALENDAR	
FALL SEMESTER	
MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMS	
23 June 2025	Start of Applications for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
30 June 2025	Start of Applications for Thesis Master's Programs
25 July 2025	End of Applications for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
25-28 July 2025	Application Evaluation Period for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
15 August 2025	End of Applications for Thesis Master's Programs
28 July 2025	Announcement of Success Rankings for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
28 July- 11 August 2025	Final Registration Period for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
15-18 August 2025	Application Evaluation Period for Thesis Master's Programs
18 August 2025	Announcement of Success Rankings for Thesis Master's Programs
18-26 August 2025	Final Registration Period for Thesis Master's Programs
27-29 August 2025	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Students in Thesis Master's Programs
1 September 2025	Start of 2nd Phase Applications for Thesis Master's Programs
15 September 2025	Master's Degree Language Proficiency Exam (DÜİYES-MA)
19 September 2025	Announcement of Master's Degree Language Proficiency Exam (DÜİYES-MA) Results
19 September 2025	End of 2nd Phase Applications for Thesis Master's Programs
22 September 2025	Announcement of Success Rankings for Thesis Master's Programs
22 September-3 October 2025	Final Registration Period for Thesis Master's Programs
23 - 26 September 2025	Course Registration Dates
26 September 2025	Deadline for Application and Registration for Thesis / Non-Thesis Master's Programs
26 September 2025	End of 2nd Final Registration Period for Non-Thesis Master's Program Open Quotas
29 September 2025	Beginning of Master's Degree Courses
6-31 October 2025	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Students in Thesis Master's Program
07-09 October 2025	Course Add-Drop
10 October 2025	Deadline for Horizontal Transfer Application between Programs
10 October 2025	Deadline for Transfer Applications Between Thesis / Non-Thesis Programs
10 October 2025	Application Deadline for Registration Freeze
10 October 2025	Application Deadline for Orientation and Exemption Requests
7 November 2025	End of 3rd Final Registration Period for Open Quotas in Non-Thesis Master's Programs
10 November 2025	Commemoration of Atatürk
30 November 2025	Final Registration Deadline for International Students (YÖS) for Open Quotas
12 December 2025	Deadline for Completion of Midterm Exams
21 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of Midterm Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for grade submissions)
26 December 2025	Deadline for Students in Thesis and Project Stage to Get Advisor Approval
26 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of the Semester Grades (Quizzes-Assignments-Projects) and Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be Closed)
2 January 2026	Deadline for the Submission of the Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be Closed)
2 January 2026	Last Day of Master's Degree Courses
2 January 2026	Supervisor Selection of Graduate Students on the System (for Students in their First Semester)
2 January 2026	Deadline for Submission of Master's Thesis/Project Subject petitions to the Institute with Advisor Approval (for Students in their Second Semester)
2 January 2026	In Master's Programs with Thesis, the Submission of Spiral-bound Thesis before Defense (for students in their fourth semester at least or later) (Thesis defense exams must be held within one month after the thesis submission at the latest.)
2 January 2026	Deadline for Students in the Project Stage to Submit Their Projects (For students in their 3rd and final term)
5 - 17 January 2026	Final Exams
20 January 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Final Exams onto the System (The system will be closed.)
26-31 January 2026	Resit Exams
3 February 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Resit Exams onto the System
4 February 2026	Deadline for Applications for Single Course Exams
5 February 2026	Announcement of Results for Single Course Exam Applications
6 February 2026	Single Course Exams
8 February 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Single Course Exam Grades onto the System
DOCTORATE PROGRAMS	
30 June 2025	Start of Applications
15 August 2025	End of Applications
15-18 August 2025	Evaluation Period
18 August 2025	Announcement of Success Rankings
18-26 August 2025	Final Registration Period
27-29 August 2025	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Candidates
1 September 2025	Start of 2nd Phase Applications
19 September 2025	End of 2nd Phase Applications
22 September 2025	Announcement of Success Rankings
22 September-3 October 2025	Final Registration Period
23-26 September 2025	Course Registration Dates
26 September 2025	Deadline for Application and Registration for Doctorate Programs
29 September 2025	Beginning of Doctorate Courses
06-31 October 2025	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Candidates
07-09 October 2025	Course Add-Drop
10 October 2025	Application Deadline for Registration Freeze
10 October 2025	Application Deadline for Orientation and Exemption Requests
10 November 2025	Commemoration of Atatürk
30 November 2025	Final Registration Deadline for International Students (YÖS) for Open Quotas
December 2025	Fall Semester PhD Qualifying Examination (Date and time of examination will be announced on the Institute WEB page)
12 December 2025	Deadline for Completion of Midterm Exams
21 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of Midterm Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for grade submissions)

31 December 2025	Deadline for Students with Active Registration to Submit Their Thesis Monitoring Committee Report for January-June Period (Those who fail to submit their reports will be considered to have failed the term)
31 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of Doctoral Thesis Proposals to the Institute
26 December 2025	
26 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of the Semester Grades and Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be Closed)
26 December 2025	Deadline for the Submission of Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be closed.)
2 January 2026	Last Day of Doctorate Degree Courses
5 - 17 January 2026	Final Exams
20 January 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Final Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for final grade submissions)
26-31 January 2026	Final Makeup Exams
3 February 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Final Exam Grades onto the System
4 February 2026	Deadline for Applications for Single Course Exams
5 February 2026	Announcement of Results for Single Course Exam Applications
6 February 2026	Single Course Exams
8 February 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Single Course Exam Grades onto the System
SPRING SEMESTER	
MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMS	
5 January 2026	Start of Applications for Non-Thesis Master's Programs
15 January 2026	Start of Applications for Thesis Master's Programs
30 January 2026	End of Applications for Thesis and Non-Thesis Master's Programs
2-4 February 2026	Application Evaluation Period for Thesis and Non-Thesis Master's Programs
4 February 2026	Announcement of Success Rankings for Thesis and Non-Thesis Master's Programs
4-20 February 2026	Final Registration Period for Thesis and Non-Thesis Master's Programs
23 February-20 March 2026	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Students in Thesis Master's Programs
26 January 2026	Master's Degree Language Proficiency Exam (DÜİYES-MA)
30 January 2026	Announcement of Master's Degree Language Proficiency Exam (DÜİYES-MA) Results
10 - 13 February 2026	Course Registration Dates
13 February 2026	Deadline for Application and Registration for Thesis / Non-Thesis Master's Programs
16 February 2026	Beginning of Master's Degree Courses
24-26 February 2026	Course Add-Drop
27 February 2026	Deadline for Horizontal Transfer Applications between Programs
27 February 2026	Deadline for Transfer Between Thesis / Non-Thesis Programs
27 February 2026	Application Deadline for Registration Freeze
27 February 2026	Application Deadline for Orientation and Exemption Requests
20 March 2026	End of 2nd Final Registration Period for Non-Thesis Master's Program Open Quotas
31 March 2026	Final Registration Deadline for International Students (YÖS) for Open Quotas
2 May 2026	Deadline for Completion of Midterm Exams
10 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Midterm Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for grade submissions)
22 May 2026	Deadline for Students in Thesis and Project Stage to Get Advisor Approval
22 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of the Semester Grades (Quizzes-Assignments-Projects) (The System will be Closed)
22 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of the Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be Closed)
22 May 2026	Last Day of Master's Degree Courses
22 May 2026	Selection of Advisors via the System for Master's Students (For Students in Their First Semester)
22 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Master's Thesis/Project Subject petitions to the Institute with Advisor Approval (for Students in their Second Semester)
5 June 2026	In Master's Programs with Thesis, the Submission of Spiral-bound Thesis before Defense (for students in their fourth semester at least or later) (Thesis defense exams must be held within one month after the thesis submission at the latest.)
5 June 2026	Deadline for Students in Project Stage to Submit Their Projects
1 - 14 June 2026	Final Exams
17 June 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Final Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for final grade submissions.)
22 - 26 June 2026	Resit Exams
28 June 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Resit Exam Grades onto the System
2 July 2026	Deadline for Applications for Single Course Exams
3 July 2026	Announcement of Single Course Exam Application Results
6 July 2026	Single Course Exam
7 July 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Single Course Exam Grades onto the System
DOCTORATE PROGRAMS	
15 January 2026	Start of Applications
30 January 2026	End of Applications
02-04 February 2026	Evaluation Period
4 February 2026	Announcement of Success Rankings
4-20 February 2026	Final Registration Period
23 February-20 March 2026	Final Registration Period for Waitlisted Candidates
10 - 13 February 2026	Course Registration Dates
13 February 2026	Deadline for Application and Registration for Doctorate Programs
16 February 2026	Beginning of Doctorate Courses
24 - 26 February 2026	Course Add-Drop
27 February 2026	Application Deadline for Registration Freeze
27 February 2026	Application Deadline for Orientation and Exemption Requests
31 March 2026	Final Registration Deadline for International Students (YÖS) for Open Quotas
2 May 2026	Deadline for Completion of Midterm Exams
10 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Midterm Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for grade submissions)
22 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of the Semester Grades and absenteeism onto the system. (The System will be Closed)
22 May 2026	Deadline for the Submission of the Absenteeism Records onto the System. (The System will be Closed)
22 May 2026	Last Day of Doctorate Courses
June 2026	Spring Semester PhD Qualifying Examination (Date and time of examination will be announced on the Institute WEB page)
1 - 14 June 2026	Final Exams
17 June 2026	Deadline for the Submission of Final Exam Grades onto the System (The system will be closed for final grade submissions)
22 - 26 June 2026	Resit Exams

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PUBLIC HOLIDAYS	
28 October 2025 (½ Day) Tuesday 29 October 2025 Wednesday	Republic Day
1 January 2026	New Year's Day
19 March 2026 (Eve ½ Half) Thursday	Ramadan Feast Eve
20-21-22 March 2026	Ramadan Feast
23 April 2026 Thursday	National Sovereignty and Children's Day
01 May 2026 Friday	Labor Day
19 May 2026 Tuesday	Commemoration of Atatürk; Youth and Sports Day
26 May 2026 (Eve ½ Day) Tuesday	Sacrifice Feast Eve
27-28-29-30 May 2026	Sacrifice Feast
15 July 2026 Wednesday	Democracy and National Unity Day
30 August 2026 Sunday	Victory Day

* The Student Information System (OBS) will be closed for any entries at 16:00.