



Republic of Turkey
ISTANBUL AYDIN UNIVERSITY 2025-
2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR
GRADUATE STUDIES

FALL SEMESTER

Horizontal and Vertical/Non-Vertical Program Transfer Applications	18.08.2025-08.09.2025
Announcement of Horizontal Transfer Results	12.09.2025
Final Registration of Accepted Horizontal Transfers	12.09.2025-19.09.2025
Horizontal Transfer Course Exemption Procedures	19.09.2025-30.09.2025
Course Registration Procedures	29.09.2025-08.10.2025
Registration Freezing Procedures	29.09.2025-03.11.2025
Start of Classes	6.10.2025
Graduate Orientation Program	6.10.2025
Course Add/Drop	13.10.2025-19.10.2025
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course	8.11.2025
Doctoral Qualification Exam Applications	17.11.2025-29.11.2025
Midterm Exams	24.11.2025-30.11.2025
Midterm Excuse Applications	27.11.2025-02.12.2025
Notification of Doctoral Thesis Monitoring Application Dates	01.12.2025-12.12.2025
Midterm Excuse Exams	15.12.2025-19.12.2025
Last Day of Classes	22.01.2026
Semester End (Final) Exams	26.01.2026-01.02.2026
Make-up Exams	9.02.2026-15.02.2026
Thesis/Term Project Submission Dates	06.10.2025-13.02.2026

SPRING SEMESTER

Applications for Horizontal and Vertical Transfer Between Programs	02.02.2026-15.02.2026
Course Registration Procedures	09.02.2026-16.02.2026
Registration Freezing Procedures	09.02.2026-27.03.2026
Start of Classes	16.02.2026
Graduate Orientation Program	16.02.2026
Announcement of Horizontal Transfer Results	17.02.2026
Final Registration of Accepted Horizontal Transfers	17.02.2026-21.02.2026
Horizontal Transfer Course Exemption Procedures	17.02.2026-21.02.2026
Add/Drop Courses	23.02.2026-03.03.2026
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course	18.03.2025
Notification of Doctoral Thesis Monitoring Application Dates	01.06.2026-8.06.2026
Midterm Exams	06.04.2025-12.04.2025
Midterm Make up/Justification Exam Applications	09.04.2026-15.04.2026
Midterm Make up/Justification Exam	27.04.2026-04.05.2026
Doctoral Qualifying Exam Applications	30.04.2026-15.05.2026
Last Day of Classes	12.06.2026
End of Semester (Final) Exams	22.06.2026-28.06.2026
Resit Exams	06.07.2026-12.07.2026
Thesis/Term Project Submission Dates	16.02.2026-24.07.2026

OFFICIAL HOLIDAYS

Republic Day	28.10.2025 (Tuesday) 29.10.2025 (Wednesday)
New Year	01.01.2026 (Thursday)
Ramadan Feast	19.03.2026 (Thursday) 20.03.2026 (Friday) 21.03.2026 (Saturday) 22.03.2026 (Sunday)
National Sovereignty and Children's Day	23.04.2026 (Thursday)
Labor and Solidarity Day	01.05.2026 (Friday)
Atatürk Memorial, Youth and Sports Day	19.05.2026 (Tuesday)
Eid al-Adha	26.05.2026 (Tuesday) 27.05.2026 Wednesday)

	28.05.2026 (Thursday) 29.05.2026 (Friday) 30.05.2026 (Saturday)
July 15 Democracy Day	15.07.2026 (Wednesday)
August 30 Victory Day	30.08.2026 (Sunday)