聖若瑟大學
UNIVERSITY OF SAINT JOSEPH

2016-2017 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall (1st) Semester: 05 Sep 2016 to 16 Dec 2016; Spring (2nd) Semester: 16 Jan 2017 to 16 Jun 2017

Sem	Block	Month/ Week	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	Events & Holidays	
Fall (1st) Semester		August	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	5	**Deadline for first instalment of tuition payment for 2016-17 intake students**
			28	29	30	31				01/08/2016-26/08/2016	**First instalment of tuition fees for returning students**
							1	**2**	3	1	Freshmen Orientation
	B1: Sep 05-Oct 07	September 1	4	**5**	6	7	8	9	10	2	International Students Orientation
		2	11	12	13	**14**	15	**16**	17	5	First day of Fall semester's classes
		3	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	14	**Mass of the Opening of the School Year**
		4	25	26	27	28	29	30		16	The Day following Chong Chao (Mid-Autumn) Festival
									1	1	National Day of the People's Republic of China
	B2: Oct 10-Nov 11	5	**2**	**3**	**4**	5	6	7	8	2	The day following National Day of the People's Republic of China
		October 6	**9**	**10**	11	12	13	14	15	3 & 4	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 13/04/2015
		7	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	9	Chong Yeung Festival (Festival of Ancestors)
		8	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	10	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 13/04/2015
		9	30	31							
					1	**2**	3	4	5	2	All Soul's Day
	B3: Nov 14-Dec 16	November 10	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
		11	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
		12	20	21	22	23	24	25	26		
		13	27	28	29	30					
							1	2	3	8	Feast of Immaculate Conception
		14	4	5	6	7	**8**	9	10	16	**Pre-Christmas Mass**
		15	11	12	13	14	15	**16**	17	20	Macao S.A.R. Establishment Day
		December	18	19	**20**	**21**	22	23	**24**	21	Winter Solstice
			25	**26**	**27**	28	29	30	31	24	Christmas Eve
										25	Christmas Day
										26 & 27	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 13/04/2015
										01/12/2016-06/01/2017	**Second instalment of tuition fees**
										17/12/2016-15/01/2017	Semester Break
			1	**2**	3	4	5	6	7	1	New Year's Day
			8	9	10	11	12	13	14	2	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 15/04/2016
Spring (2nd) Semester	B4: Jan 16-Feb 24	January 1	15	**16**	17	18	19	20	21	16	**First day of Spring semester's classes**
		2	22	23	24	25	**26**	**27**	**28**	26	**Deadline to submit PhD written proposal (phase 1 students enrolled in Semester 2)**
			29	**30**	**31**					27	Special Grant for exempt from work (afternoon) by the Chief Executive on 15/04/2016
										28, 29, 30	First, Second & Third days of the Lunar New Year
										31	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 15/04/2016
						1	2	3	4	1	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 15/04/2016
		February 3	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	28/01/2017-05/02/2017	Lunar New Year Recess
		4	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
		5	19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
	B5: Feb 27-Mar 31	6	26	27	28						
						1	2	3	4		
		March 7	5	6	7	8	9	10	11		
		8	12	13	14	15	16	**17**	18	17	**St. Joseph Mass**
		9	19	20	21	22	23	24	25		
		10	26	27	28	29	**30**	**31**		30 & 31	**Career Day**
									1	4	Cheng Ming Festival
	B6: Apr 03-May 12	11	2	3	**4**	5	6	7	8	14	Good Friday
			9	10	11	12	13	**14**	**15**	15	The Day Before Easter
		12	16	**17**	18	19	**20**	21	22	17	Special Grant for exempt from work by the Chief Executive on 15/04/2016
		April 13	23	24	25	**26**	**27**	**28**	**29**	10/04/2017-17/04/2017	Easter Recess
		14	30							20	**Easter Mass**
										26, 27 & 28	**Language Week**
										29	**Open Day**
										10/04/2017-31/05/2017	**Annual Registration for 2017-18 Academic Year**
				1	2	**3**	4	5	6	1	Labour Day
		15	7	8	9	10	11	12	**13**	3	The Buddha's Birthday (Feast of Buddha)
		May 16	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	13	2017/18 Admissions Exam
		17	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	30	Tung Ng Festival (Dragon Boat Festival)
	B7: May 15-Jun 16	18	28	29	**30**	**31**				31	**Deadline for graduating students to submit Master, PhD Thesis (for phase 2 students only)**
							1	2	3	1	**Deadline to submit PhD progress report to supervisors (phase 2 students) and PhD written Proposal (phase 1 students enrolled in Semester 1)**
		June 19	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	24	**USJ 2017 Congregation**
		20	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	01/06/2017-30/06/2017	**Deposit payment deadline for returning students in 2017-18 Academic Year**
			18	19	20	21	22	23	**24**		
			25	26	27	28	29	30			
Summer Semester									1	01/07/2017-31/07/2017	**Exam Period - Special Exam Season for Bachelor students that register for Exam in May or June only.**
		July	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		
			9	10	11	12	13	14	15		
			16	17	18	19	20	21	22		
			23	24	25	26	27	28	29		
			30	31							