

2020 - 2021 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Fall (1st) Semester: 7 September to 19 December 2020

Spring (2nd) Semester: 11 January to 8 May 2021

Semester	Block	Month/ Week	S	M	T	W	T	F	S	Events & Holidays
		August	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1 7 1-21 Deadline for first installment of tuition payment for 2020-2021 intake students First installment of tuition fees for returning students
Fall (1st) Semester: 7 Sep to 19 Dec 2020	Block 1 7 Sep - 10 Oct	September 1	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	<sup>4</sup> TBC 7 Orientation Days First day of Fall semester's classes
		September 2	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	14 Mass of the Opening of the School Year
		September 3	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	12 USJ 2020 Congregation
		September 4	27	28	29	30				9 and 16 Induction Sessions
	Block 2 12 Oct - 14 Nov	October 5	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	1 National Day of the People's Republic of China
		October 6	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	2 The Day following National Day of the People's Republic of China
		October 7	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	2 The Day following Chong Chao (Mid-Autumn) Festival
		October 8	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	<sup>1</sup> 5 Exemption from work by the Chief Executive on 5 June 2019 <sup>2</sup> 26 Chong Yeung Festival (Festival of Ancestors) Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM
	Block 3 16 Nov - 19 Dec	November 9	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	2 All Soul's Day
		November 10	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	
		November 11	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	
		November 12	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
		November 13	29	30						
	Semester Break Christmas Recess	December 14	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	1 Dec 2020 - 8 Jan 2021 8 Second installment of tuition fee Feast of Immaculate Conception
		December 15	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	<sup>4</sup> TBC Scholarships and Fellowships Award Ceremony
December 20		20	21	22	23	24	25	26	20 Dec 2020 - 10 Jan 2021 Christmas Recess / Semester Break (for students)	
December 27		27	28	29	30	31			20 Macao S.A.R. Establishment Day	
December 28									21 Winter Solstice	
December 29									<sup>2</sup> 22 Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM	
December 31									24,25 Christmas Eve / Christmas Day <sup>1</sup> 31 (afternoon) Exemption from work in the afternoon by the Chief Executive on 5 June 2019	
Spring (2nd) Semester: 11 Jan to 8 May 2021	Block 4 11 Jan - 10 Feb	January 1	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	1 New Year's Day
		January 10	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	5 Christmas Mass
		January 17	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	11 First day of Spring semester's classes
		January 24	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	
	CNY Recess	February 5	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	<sup>1</sup> 11 (afternoon) 11 - 21 Exemption from work in the afternoon by the Chief Executive on 2 April 2020 Chinese New Year Recess (for students)
		February 14	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	12,13,14 First, Second & Third days of the Lunar New Year
		February 21	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	<sup>2</sup> 15,16 Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM
	Block 5 22 Feb - 27 Mar	March 7	28							17 Ash Wednesday
		March 8	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	
		March 9	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	19 Saint Joseph Mass
	Easter Recess	March 21	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28 Mar - 4 Apr Easter Recess (for students)
		March 28	28	29	30	31				
	Block 6 5 Apr - 8 May	April 11	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	1 Holy Thursday
		April 12	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	2 Good Friday
		April 13	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	3 Holy Saturday
April 14		25	26	27	28	29	30		4 Cheng Ming Festival (Tomb sweeping Day)	
April 15									<sup>2</sup> 5,6 Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM	
April 25									5 Apr - 2 Jul Annual Registration for 2021-2022 Academic Year	
April 26									8 Easter Mass	
April 27									13 - 14 Career Fair	
Block 7 10 May - 12 Jun	May 15	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1 Labour Day	
	May 9	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	<sup>2</sup> 3 Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM	
	May 16	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	8 and 22 Open Public Campus Tour	
	May 23	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	19 The Buddha's Birthday	
	May 30	30	31							
	June 6	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	11 Thanksgiving Mass	
	June 13	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	14 Tung Ng Festival (Dragon Boat Festival)	
Block 7 10 May - 12 Jun	July 1	1	2	3					2 Deposit payment deadline for returning students in 2021-2022 Academic Year	
	July 4	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	3 USJ 2021 Congregation	
	July 11	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
	July 18	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		

Remarks:   Public Holidays / Exemption from work / Compensatory rest days (for staff)

  Special events days / Important days

  Recesses for students

<sup>1</sup> Exemption from work in the afternoon by the Chief Executive

<sup>2</sup> Compensatory rest days set forth in No. 4 of Article 79 of the ETAPM

<sup>3</sup> Block 7 is for internships, practicum and make-up exams

<sup>4</sup> TBC - To be confirmed