2025-2026 ACADEMIC YEAR MASTER'S DEGREES ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL SEMESTER		
30.05.2025 - 30.06.2025	Applications to Graduate Programs (1. Applications)	
04.07.2025	Announcement of Preliminary Evaluation Results of Graduate Master's Programs	
08.07.2025 - 09.07.2025	Scientific Exam for Graduate Programs with Thesis	
14.07.2025	Announcement of the List of Eligible Students for Registering Master Degree Programs	
16.07.2025 - 25.07.2025	Registrations of Graduate Students (International and National) admitted within the 1st Application Period	
16.07.2025 - 01.09.2025	Applications to Graduate Programs (2. Applications)	
20.08.2025	Deadline for Submission of the List of Courses to be Opened in the Fall Semester to the Institute	
03.09.2025	Announcement of Preliminary Evaluation Results of Graduate Master's Programs	
08.09.2025 - 09.09.2025	Scientific Exam for Graduate Programs with Thesis	
11.09.2025	Announcement of the List of Eligible Students for Registering Master Degree Programs	
12.09.2025 - 31.10.2025	Registrations of Graduate Students (International and National) admitted within the 2nd Application Period	
11.07.2025 - 26.09.2025	Applications to Graduate Programs (3. Applications)	
15.09.2025 - 19.09.2025	Payment of Tuition Fees for Graduate Programs, Registration for Fall Semester Courses and Advisor Approvals	
22.09.2025	Beginning of Classes (Including the English Preparatory Program)	
29.09.2025	Announcement of Preliminary Evaluation Results of Graduate Master's Programs	
30.09.2025	Scientific Exam for Graduate Programs with Thesis	
30.09.2025	Announcement of the List of Eligible Students for Registering Master Degree Programs	
01.10.2025 - 03.10.2025	Registrations of Graduate Students (International and National) admitted within the 3rd Application Period	
01.10.2025 - 03.10.2025	Course Add-Drop, Late Registrations and Advisor Approvals	
11.11.2025	Deadline of Course Withdrawals	
11.11.2025 – 16.11.2025	Midterm Exams	
18.11.2025	Deadline for Entering Midterm Exam Grades into the Student Information System	
08.12.2025 - 12.12.2025	Determination of Advisors and Thesis Topics by Graduate Students	
22.12.2025	Deadline for Submission of Master's Thesis Defense Request and Jury Assignment Request Form to the Graduate School	
26.12.2025	Deadline for the Academic Units to Provide the Institute with the List of Courses to be Opened in the Spring Semester	
26.12.2025	Deadline for Entering Student Attendance Records into the Student Information System	
02.01. 2026	End of Courses (Except Preparatory Class)	
05.01.2026 - 18.01.2026	Final Exams of Graduate Programs	
19.01.2025 - 01.02.2026	Semester Break	
21.01.2026	Deadline for Entering Final Grades into the Student Information System	
22.01.2026 – 25.01.2026	Fall Semester Make-up Exams	
27.01.2026	Deadline for Entering the Make-up Exam Grades into the Student Information System	
02.02.2026	Deadline for Submission of Fall Semester Exam Documents	

SPRING SEMESTER	
01.12.2025 - 09.01.2026	Applications for Graduate Programs
08.01.2026	Deadline for Notifying the Institute Director of Accepted Lateral Transfer Applications for Graduate Students
13.01.2026	Announcement of Preliminary Evaluation Results of Graduate Master's Programs
14.01.2026 - 15.01.2026	Scientific Exam for Graduate Programs with Thesis
19.01.2026	Announcement of the List of Eligible Students for Registering Master Degree Programs
20.01.2026 - 30.01.2026	Registrations of Graduate Students (International and National) admitted
26.01.2026 – 30.01.2026	Payment of Tuition Fees for Graduate Programs, Registration for Spring Semester Courses and Advisor Approvals
02.02.2026	Beginning of Courses (including the English Preparatory Program)
11.02.2026 - 13.02.2026	Course Add-Drop, Late Registrations, and Advisor Approvals

20.03. 2026	Deadline for Course Withdrawals	
25.03.2026 - 29.03.2026	Midterm Exams	
04.05.2026 - 08.05.2026	Determination of Advisors and Thesis Topics by Graduate Degree Programs	
15.05.2026	Deadline for Submission of Master's Thesis Defense Request and Jury Assignment Request Form to the Institute	
22.05.2026	End of Courses (excluding English Preparatory Program)	
01.06.2026 - 10.06.2026	Final Exams of Graduate Programs	
12.06.2026	Deadline for Entering of End-of-Year Proficiency Exam Grades into the Student Information System	
15.06.2026 - 17.06.2026	Spring Semester Make-up Exams	
20.06. 2026	Deadline for Entering the Make-up Exam Grades into the Student Information System	
22.06.2026	Deadline for Submission of Spring Semester Exam Documents	

2025 OFFICIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS	2026 OFFICIAL PUBLIC HOLIDAYS
1 January New Year's Day	1 January New Year's Day
29 March Ramadan Feast Eve	19 March Ramadan Feast Eve
30 March Ramadan Feast Day 1	20 March Ramadan Feast Day 1
31 March Ramadan Feast Day 2	21 March Ramadan Feast Day 2
1 April Ramadan Feast Day 3	22 March Ramadan Feast Day 3
23 April National Sovereignty and Children's Day	23 April National Sovereignty and Children's Day
1 May Labor and Solidarity Day	1 May Labor and Solidarity Day
19 May Atatürk Commemoration, Youth and	19 May Atatürk Commemoration, Youth and Sports
Sports Day	Day
5 June Sacrifice Feast Eve	26 May Sacrifice Feast Eve
6 June Sacrifice Feast Day 1	27 May Sacrifice Feast Day 1
7 June Sacrifice Feast Day 2	28 May Sacrifice Feast Day 2
8 June Sacrifice Feast Day 3	29 May Sacrifice Feast Day 3
9 June Sacrifice Feast Day 4	30 May Sacrifice Feast Day 4
15 July Democracy and National Unity Day	15 July Democracy and National Unity Day
30 August Victory Day	30 August Victory Day
28 October Republic Day Eve	28 October Republic Day Eve
29 October Republic Day	29 October Republic Day
31 December New Year's Eve	31 December New Year's Eve

Note: Holiday eves are half-day holidays starting from the afternoon.