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Approved by Rector’s directive No 43 of 15 November 2023  
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**Approval of the academic calendar for 2025/2026**

Based on subsection 3 (1) of the Academic Policies of Tallinn University of Technology, I hereby approve the academic calendar for 2025/2026 as follows:

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| **2025** | |
| 20 August | the first day to submit the autumn semester’s individual study plan |
| 25 August | beginning of the academic year  deadline for submission of applications for additional enrolment |
| 25 – 29 August | pre-week of the autumn semester |
| 29 August | opening ceremonies |
| 1 September | beginning of the autumn semester |
| 8 September | deadline for submission of the semester’s individual study plan deadline for submission of an application for academic leave at one's own request |
| 10 September | deadline for cancellation of students’ declarations for registration to a course by the lecturer |
| 17 September | university’s anniversary, award of doctoral degrees |
| 15 December | deadline for submission of applications for defence |
| 20 December | end of the period of classroom sessions of the autumn semester |
| 24 December – 1 January | Christmas holiday |
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| **2026** | |
| 5 January | approval of the applications for defence by the supervisor |
| 19 January [entry into force 03.06.2024] | the first day to submit the spring semester’s individual study plan |
| 21 January | deadline for taking the autumn semester's examinations |
| 25 January | end of the autumn semester |
| 26 January | deadline for submission of applications for additional enrolment |
| 26 January – 1 February | interim week |
| 2 February | beginning of the spring semester |
| 9 February | deadline for submission of the spring semester’s individual study plan deadline for submission of an application for academic leave at one's own request |
| 11 February | deadline for cancellation of students’ declarations for registration to a course by the lecturer |
| 11 May | deadline for submission of applications for defence |
| 22 May | approval of the applications for defence by the supervisor |
| 24 May | end of the period of classroom sessions of the spring semester |
| 3 June | deadline for defence of graduation theses by graduates of joint master's study programmes |
| 8 June | deadline for defence of a graduation thesis/taking the final examination by graduates of master’s studies |
| 10 June | deadline for taking the spring semester's examinations |
| 12 June | deadline for defence of graduation thesis for graduates of the first level of education and deadline for taking the bachelor’s examination |
| 15 June | end of the spring semester |
| 27 June | deadline for attestation of PhD students |
| 16. – 22 June | period of graduation ceremonies in the Colleges and the Estonian Maritime Academy |
| 17 – 26 June [entry into force 09.01.2025] | period of graduation ceremonies in the main building |
| 29 June | end of the academic year  calculation of the study load of students for the next academic year based on the study results of the previous academic year |