

ALTINBAŞ UNIVERSITY	
2025–2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR	
GRADUATE EDUCATION INSTITUTE	
FALL SEMESTER	
ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES	DATES
Graduate Program Applications and Registrations	June 2 – October 6, 2025
Course Registration	September 15 – 19, 2025
Advisor Approvals	September 15 – 21, 2025
Start and End of Courses	September 22 – December 26, 2025
Add/Drop Week	September 29 – October 10, 2025
Add/Drop Advisor Approval	September 29 – October 12, 2025
Back to Uni Events (No Classes or Exams)	October 10, 2025
Republic Day	October 29, 2025 – Wednesday
Thesis Submission Deadline	November 7, 2025
Atatürk Memorial Day	November 10, 2025 – Monday
Doctoral Qualifying Exam Applications	November 10 – 21, 2025
Dentistry Doctoral Qualifying Exam Applications	November 10 – 21, 2025
Withdrawal Deadline	November 21, 2025
Thesis Defense Exams	December 1, 2025 – January 30, 2026
Graduate Program Applications for Spring Term	December 1, 2025 – February 22, 2026
Winterfest (No Classes or Exams)	December 19, 2025
Doctoral Qualifying Exams	December 15, 2025 – January 9, 2026
Inter-Program Transfer Applications (Spring Term)	December 23, 2025 – February 7, 2026
Project Submission Deadline	December 26, 2025 – Friday
Final Exam Week	December 29, 2025 – January 9, 2026
Grade Entry Period	December 29, 2025 – January 16, 2026
New Year’s Day	January 1, 2026 – Thursday
Grade Announcement Deadline	January 18, 2026
Dentistry Doctoral Qualifying Exams	January 26 – February 6, 2026
One-Course Exam Applications	January 19 – 20, 2026
One-Course Exams	January 22 – 23, 2026
Submission of One-Course Exam Results	January 26, 2026
Announcement of One-Course Exam Grades	January 27, 2026

SPRING SEMESTER

Course Registration	January 26 – February 6, 2026
Advisor Approvals	January 26 – February 8, 2026
Start and End of Courses	February 2 – May 8, 2026
Add/Drop Week	February 9 – 20, 2026
Add/Drop Advisor Approval	February 9 – 22, 2026
Ramadan Feast	March 19 – 22, 2026 (Thursday–Sunday)
Doctoral Qualifying Exam Applications	March 30 – April 10, 2026
Dentistry Doctoral Qualifying Exams	March 30 – April 10, 2026
Withdrawal Deadline	April 3, 2026
Thesis Submission Deadline	April 17, 2026
National Sovereignty and Children's Day	April 23, 2026 – Thursday
Doctoral Qualifying Exams	April 27 – May 15, 2026
Labour and Solidarity Day	May 1, 2026 – Friday
Thesis Defense Exams	May 4 – June 26, 2026
Spring Festival (No Classes or Exams)	May 7 – 8, 2026
Project Submission Deadline	May 8, 2026
Final Exam Week	May 11 – 22, 2026
Grade Entry Period	May 11 – June 3, 2026
Commemoration of Atatürk, Youth and Sports Day	May 19, 2026 – Tuesday
Anniversary of the Foundation of Altınbaş University	May 22, 2026
Sacrifice Feast	May 26 – 30, 2026 (Tuesday–Saturday)
Graduate Program Applications for Fall 2026–2027	June 1 – October 9, 2026
Grade Announcement Deadline	June 5, 2026
One-Course Exam Applications	June 8 – 9, 2026
One-Course Exams	June 11 – 12, 2026
Dentistry Doctoral Qualifying Exams	June 15 – 26, 2026
Inter-Program Transfer Applications (Fall Term)	June 15 – July 13, 2026
Submission of One-Course Exam Results	June 15, 2026
Announcement of One-Course Exam Grades	June 16, 2026
Commencement Ceremony	June 20, 2026 – Saturday
Democracy and National Unity Day	July 15, 2026 – Wednesday

SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer School Applications	June 29 – July 10, 2026
Tuition Payment and Final Registration Deadline	July 13, 2026
Start and End of Summer School Courses	July 13 – August 28, 2026
Victory Day	August 30, 2026 – Sunday
Announcement of Summer School Final Exam Results	September 4, 2026