Academic Calendar 2021-2022

Events	Undergraduate School	Graduate School
		Note: Dates for Tokyo Campus are marked with
Spring Semester (April 1, 2021- September 30, 2021)	771 1 A '1 1	
First Day of the Academic Year	Thursday, April 1	Thursday, April 1
Spring Recess	Thursday, April 1 - Sunday, April 4	Thursday, April 1 - Sunday, April 4
		[Wednesday, April 1 - Friday, April 3]
Entrance Ceremony	Monday, April 5	Monday, April 5
		[Saturday, April 3]
Freshman/New Student Orientation	Monday, April 5- Wednesday, April 7	Monday, April 5- Tuesday, April 6
		[Saturday, April 3]
Spring Semester Classes Begin	Thursday, April 8	Wednesday, April 7
		[Tuesday, April 6]
Spring Sports Day	Saturday, May 15- Sunday, May 16 (**)	Saturday, May 15- Sunday, May 16 (**)
Spring Module A Final Examination Day	Wednesday, May 19	Wednesday, May 19
Spring Modules A and B Final Examination Week	Thursday, June 24 - Wednesday, June 30	Thursday, June 24 - Wednesday, June 30
Spring Modules A, B and C Final Examination Week	Friday, July 30- Thursday, August 5	Friday, July 30- Thursday, August 5
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Spring Module C Final Examination Day	Friday, August 6	
Spring Semester Classes End	Thursday, August 5	Thursday, August 5
		Thursday, July 29
Final Examination Preparation Day		Saturday, July 31, Tuesday, August 3,
		Wednesday, August 4
Summer Recess	Saturday, August 7- Thursday, September 30	Saturday, August 7- Thursday, September 30
		[Friday, August 6 - Thursday, September 30]
Commencement Ceremony	Friday, September 24	
Graduate School Commencement Ceremony	•	Friday, September 24
Fall Semester (October 1, 2021 - March 31, 2021)		
Entrance Ceremony for Fall Semester	Thursday, September 30	Thursday, September 30
1 Anniversary of the University	Friday, October 1	Friday, October 1
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Campus-Wide Power Outage (Tsukuba campus)	Late October (TBA)	Late October (TBA)
2 University Festival	Friday, November 5 - Sunday, November 7(**)	Friday, November 5 - Sunday, November 7(**)
	Wednesday, November 10	
Fall Module A Final Examination Day		Wednesday, November 10
Autumn Sports Day	Saturday, November 20 - Sunday, November 21(**)	Saturday, November 20 - Sunday, November 21(**
Fall Modules A and B Final Examination Week	Wednesday, December 22 - Tuesday, December 28	Wednesday, December 22 - Tuesday, December 28
Winter Recess	Wednesday, December 29 - Wednesday, January 5	Wednesday, December 29 - Wednesday, January 5
		[Sunday, December 26 - Monday, January 3]
Fall Modules A, B and C Final Examination Week	Friday, February 4, Wednesday, February 9,	Friday, February 4, Wednesday, February 9,
	Thursday, February 10, Monday, February 14,	Thursday, February 10, Monday, February 14,
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		Friday, January 21, Thursday, January 27,
		Saturday, January 29, Tuesday, February 1,
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Fall Module C Final Examination Day	Wednesday, February 16, Thursday, February 17	Wednesday, February 16, Thursday, February 17
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Final Examination Preparation Day		[Friday, January 28, Thursday, February 3,
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		[Saturday, February 5 - Thursday, March 31]
Commencement Ceremony	Friday, March 25	
Graduate School Commencement Ceremony		Friday, March 25
		[Saturday, March 26]
Last Day of the Academic Year	Thursday, March 31	Thursday, March 31
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Notes:

★ 1 For the Anniversary of the University, classes will not be cancelled but will be held on Friday, October 1.

2 Due to the University Festival, classes on Friday, November 5 and Monday, November 8 will be recessed (excludes classes at the Tokyo campus).
3 The schedule for the regular health checkup will be announced at a later time. Classes for undergraduate schools, colleges and graduate schools during the scheduled health checkup will be cancelled (excludes classes at the Tokyo campus).

4 To meet the required number of school days, some classes will be held on the days stated below (excludes classes at the Tokyo campus). May 7: Wednesday classes

July 22: Friday classes

November 9: Wednesday classes, November 25: Tuesday classes

January 13: Friday classes January 18: Monday classes

5 Classes on Monday, November 29 - Tuesday, November 30 will be recessed due to the Examination for University Admissions upon Recommendation (Suisen nyūshi shiken) and its related events (excludes classes at the Tokyo campus).

6 Classes on Friday, January 14 and Monday, January 17 will be recessed due to the Common Test for University Admissions (Daigaku nyūgaku kyoutsū test) and its related events (excludes classes at the Tokyo campus).

7 For the School of Medicine, the University will schedule March 10, 2022 as the date of graduation, but the commencement ceremony will be held on the date scheduled above.

8 These schedules (**)are subject to change depending on the situation.

* One academic year contains two semesters (spring semester and fall semester) which includes six modules, Spring A, Spring B, Spring C, Fall A, Fall B and Fall C. Each module has five weeks.

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				Spring Semester			Fall Semester
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Notes: 1. Dates in bold indicate national holidays and it includes substitute holidays that is designated by the Act on National Holidays. 2. Examination weeks are marked with

3. Class days are marked with

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Note: in this booklet, "English program" is used to mean an English-taught degree program such as the ones offered by the schools of Social and International Studies, Life and Environmental Sciences, Medical Sciences, and the Bachelor's Program in Interdisciplinary Engineering, or Global Issues.

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