



FACULTY OF ARTS - UNIVERSITY OF PERADENIYA

ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR UNDERGRADUATE

STUDY PROGRAMMES - 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR

NEW ENTRANTS' STUDENTS REGISTRATION & English PLACEMENT TEST		17.02.2026 - 18.02.2026
ORIENTATION PROGRAMMES (ONLINE)		} 03.03.2026 - 09.04.2026 20.04.2026 - 27.05.2026
INTENSIVE ENGLISH PROGRAMME FOR NEW ENTRANTS (ONLINE)		
NEW ENTRANCE STUDENT WELCOME CEREMONY, INTRODUCTORY PROGRAMME & NEW ENTRANT STUDENT PERFORMANCE CONCERT		} 20.07.2026 – 07.08.2026 (Physically)
Coordinated by ELTD		
DATE OF COMMENCEMENT OF 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR		10.08.2026
FIRST SEMESTER		
FROM	TO	
10 th August, 2026	02 nd October, 2026	First Half of the 01 st Semester (8 weeks)
03 rd October, 2026	11 th October, 2026	Mid-Semester Break (1 week)
12 th October, 2026	27 th November,2026	Second Half of the 01 st Semester (7weeks)
28 th November,2026	06 th December,2026	Study Leave (1 week)
07 th December, 2026	22 nd December,2026	First Semester End Examinations (2 weeks & two days)
*Christmas Holidays From 23 rd December, 2026 to 27 th December, 2026		
28 th December 2026	09 th January 2027	Cont. First Semester End Examinations (2 weeks)
10 th January, 2027	17 th January, 2027	Vacation (1 week)
IMPORTANT DATES (Submission of Marks)		
12 th March, 2027	Deadline for submission of marks by the HODs to DR/SAR of the Faculty	
18 th March, 2027	Date of Board of Examiners Meeting	
SECOND SEMESTER		
18 th January,2027	12 th March 2027	First Half of the 02 nd Semester (8 weeks)
13 th March, 2027	21 st March 2027	Mid-Semester Break (1 week)
22 nd March, 2027	09 th April, 2027	Second Half of the 02 nd Semester (3 weeks)
*Sinhala & Hindu Festival Holiday from 11 th to 18 th April 2027		
19 th April 2027	14 th May 2027	Cont. Second Half of the 02 nd Semester (4 weeks)
15 th May, 2027	23 rd May 2027	Study Leave
24 th May, 2027	19 th June, 2027	Second Semester End Examinations
20 th June, 2027	18 th July, 2027	Vacation
IMPORTANT DATES (Submission of Marks)		
07 th July, 2027	Deadline for submission of 1000 Level marks by the HODs to DR/SAR of the Faculty	
12 th July, 2027	Date of Board of Examiners Meeting (1000 Level)	
05 th August, 2027	Deadline for submission of 2000,3000 & 4000 Level marks by the HODs to DR/SAR of the Faculty	
12 th August, 2027	Date of Board of Examiners Meeting (2000,3000 & 4000 Levels)	

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

2. Deadline for Submission of Dissertation (4000 Level)	One month from the last day of the End of Examination (4000 Level)
3. Internship Programme	From 11 th week to 15 th Week
4. End of the 2025/2026 Academic Year	18 th July 2027
5. Student Registration & English Placement Test for the New Entrants	16 & 17 March, 2027
7. Welcome Ceremony for the New Entrants of 2026/2027 Academic Year	26 th June 2027
8. Orientation Programme and Intensive English Programme for the New Entrants of 2026/2027	28 th June 2027 to 16 th July 2027
9. Commencement of the 2026/2027 Academic Year	19 th July 2027



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