Academic Dates 2018	Teaching period 1	Teaching period 2	Teaching period 3	Teaching period 4	Teaching period 5	Teaching period 6
Orientation Week	8 January	5 March	7 May	2 July	27 August	22 October
Last day to apply	10 January	5 March	11 May	2 July	31 August	26 October
Last day to add a unit	15 January	12 March	14 May	9 July	3 September	29 October
Start teaching period/teaching begins	15 January	12 March	14 May	9 July	3 September	29 October
Last date to apply for leave of absence	25 January	22 March	24 May	19 July	13 September	8 November
Census date*	25 January	23 March	24 May	19 July	13 September	8 November
Withdraw without academic penalty	16 February	17 April	15 June	10 August	5 October	30 November
Mid teaching period break		26 March - 1 April Easter break				
Final assignments due	1 March	3 May	29 June	23 August	18 October	13 December
End teaching period	4 March	6 May	1 July	26 August	21 October	16 December
Results released	9 March	11 May	6 July	31 August	26 October	21 December

*Census date is the last date to drop a course without financial penalty and to finalise any HELP loan arrangements.