

# Academic Year 2026.2027 - Medical Students

## Pre- CLINICAL YEARS (Foundation Year, Year 1, Year 2)

	•Orientation for CoMH		
Orientation Foundation Year + First Year	•Proposed on-campus SoM Orientation -	Foundation Year, Year 1	
	•On-campus induction:		Thursday 3rd September to Friday 4th September*
<b>SEMESTER 1</b>			
Start of Teaching		Foundation Yr, Year 1, Year 2.	Monday 7th September ( <i>*Foundation Year and 1st Year Undergrad to be confirmed</i> )
End of Teaching			Friday 27th November (12 weeks of teaching)
Study Week			Monday 30th November to Friday 4th December
Semester 1 Exams Start			Monday 7th December
Semester 1 Exams End			Friday 18th December (10 days of exams)
Christmas Vacation			Saturday 19th December
<b>SEMESTER 2</b>			
Start of Teaching		Foundation Yr, Year 1, Year 2	Monday 11th January 2027
End of Teaching			Friday 2nd April (12 weeks of teaching)
Field Trips			Monday 5th to Friday 9th April
Easter:			Good Friday 26th March to Easter Monday 29th March
Study Week			Monday 12th to Friday 16th April
Semester 2 Exams Start			Monday 19th April
Semester 2 Exams End		Thursday 6th May	
Autumn Exams		Tuesday 3rd August to Friday 13 August (9 days of exams)	
Holidays	Easter: Good Friday 26th March to Easter Monday 29th March 2027 Bank holidays: Monday 26th October 2026 / St Brigid's Day Monday 01st February 2027/ Tuesday 17th March 2027 / Monday 3rd May 2027/ Monday 07th June 2027/ Monday 2nd August 2027		
	<b>3MB</b>	<b>4MB</b>	<b>5MB</b>
<b>SEMESTER 1</b>			
Start of Teaching - End of Teaching	Monday 31st August - Friday 18th December 2026 (16 Weeks)		Monday 31st August-Friday 11th December 2026 (15 Weeks)
Semester 1 Exams Start - End	Monday 07 <sup>th</sup> December -Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026 (10 days exams)		Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> December-Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2026
Christmas Vacation	Saturday 19th December 2026 - Monday 04th January 2027		
<b>Semester 2</b>			
Start of Teaching	Monday 04th January 2027	Monday 04th January 2027	Monday 04th January 2027
End of Teaching	Friday 30th April 2027 (17 weeks of teaching)	Friday 23rd April 2027 (16 weeks of teaching)	Friday 02nd April 2027 (13 weeks of teaching)
Easter:	Good Friday 26th March to Easter Monday 29th March		
Semester 2 University Exams Start	April 19th 2027	April 19th 2027	April 7th 2027
Semester 2 University Exams End	May 21st (to include OSCEs & VIVAS)	Friday May 21st to include OSCEs & VIVAS)	April 30th 2027
<b>Term concludes End of May 2027 - students are expected to be available on campus for any assessments during that period.</b>			
Autumn Exams	Tuesday 3rd August to Friday 13 August (9 days of exams)	Tuesday 3rd August to Friday 13 August (9 days of exams)	Tuesday 3rd August to Friday 13 August (9 days of exams)
Holidays	Good Friday 26th March to Easter Monday 29th March. Bank Holidays: Monday 26th October 2026 / Monday 1st February 2027/ Wednesday 17th March 2027/Monday 3rd May 2027/ Monday 7th June 2027 / Monday 2nd August 2027		

\* Foundation year and 1<sup>st</sup> year start of term is yet to be confirmed

