

2026 UNIST Academic Calendar

		Schedule	Details
Fall 2025	2025 December	29 (Mon) – January 9 (Fri), 2026	[G] Application for Spring 2026 Program Change
	2026 January	1 (Thu)	Holiday – New Year's Day
		5 (Mon)	Confirmation of Fall 2025 Grading
	February	5 (Mon) – 16 (Fri)	Application for Spring 2026 Leave of Absence/Return (1st)
		5 (Thu) – 6 (Fri)	Course Registration for Spring 2026
		9 (Mon)	Due Date for Winter Session Grading
		9 (Mon) – 20 (Fri)	Application for Spring 2026 Leave of Absence/Return (2nd)
		16 (Mon) – 18 (Wed)	Holiday – Lunar New Year's Day
		23 (Mon)	Conferral of Degrees (Fall 2025) Commencement Ceremony
		24 (Tue)	2026 Undergraduate Matriculation Ceremony
24 (Tue) – 26 (Thu)		Tuition Fee Payment (Spring 2026)	
Spring 2026	March	1 (Sun)	Holiday – Independence Movement Day First Day of the Spring Semester 2026
		2 (Mon)	Holiday – Independence Movement Day (Observed)
		3 (Tue) – 6 (Fri)	Course Changes and Confirmation Spring Application for Graduation & Early Graduation
		27 (Fri)	End of the First Quarter of the Semester Course Drop Deadline
	April	20 (Mon) – 24 (Fri)	Mid-term Exams
		24 (Fri)	End of the Second Quarter of the Semester Leave of Absence Application Deadline (General)
	May	1 (Fri)	Holiday – Labor Day
		5 (Tue)	Holiday – Children's Day
		11 (Mon) – 15 (Fri)	Application for Return from Absence (Summer Session)
		22 (Fri)	End of the Third Quarter of the Semester [G] Thesis Committee Nomination Deadline
		24 (Sun)	Holiday – Buddha's Birthday
		25 (Mon)	Holiday – Buddha's Birthday (Observed)
		26 (Tue) – 29 (Fri)	[UG] Fall 2026 Major Application & Change Period
		28 (Thu) – 29 (Fri)	Course Registration for the Summer Session
	June	3 (Wed)	Temporary Holiday – Nationwide Local Elections
		6 (Sat)	Holiday – Memorial Day
		15 (Mon) – 19 (Fri)	Final Exams
		19 (Fri)	End of the Spring Semester
		20 (Sat) – August 30 (Sun)	Summer Vacation
		22 (Mon) – July 31 (Fri)	Summer Session
		29 (Mon) – July 10 (Fri)	[G] Application for Fall 2026 Program Change
	July	6 (Mon)	Confirmation of Spring 2026 Grading
		6 (Mon) – 17 (Fri)	Application for Fall 2026 Leave of Absence/Return (1st)
August	6 (Thu) – 7 (Fri)	Course Registration for Fall 2026	

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Fall 2026		10 (Mon)	Confirmation of Summer 2026 Grading
		10 (Mon) – 21 (Fri)	Application for Fall 2026 Leave of Absence/Return (2nd)
		15 (Sat)	Holiday – National Liberation Day
		17 (Mon)	Holiday – National Liberation Day (Observed)
		21 (Fri)	Conferral of Degrees (Spring 2026)
		25 (Tue) – 27 (Thu)	Tuition Fee Payment (Fall 2026)
		31 (Mon)	First Day of the Fall Semester 2026
		31 (Mon) – September 4 (Fri)	Course Changes and Confirmation Fall Application for Graduation & Early Graduation
	September	24 (Thu) – 26 (Sat)	Holiday – Chuseok (Korean Thanksgiving Day)
		25 (Fri)	End of the First Quarter of the Semester Course Drop Deadline
		28 (Mon)	Holiday – UNIST Foundation Day
	October	3 (Sat)	Holiday – National Foundation Day
		5 (Mon)	Holiday – National Foundation Day (Observed)
		9 (Fri)	Holiday – Hangeul Proclamation Day
		19 (Mon) – 23 (Fri)	Mid-term Exams
		23 (Fri)	End of the Second Quarter of the Semester Leave of Absence Application Deadline (General)
	November	9 (Mon) – 13 (Fri)	Application for Return from Absence (Winter Session)
		20 (Fri)	End of the Third Quarter of the Semester [G] Thesis Committee Nomination Deadline
		23 (Mon) – 27 (Fri)	[UG] Spring 2027 Major Application & Change Period
		26 (Thu) – 27 (Fri)	Course Registration for the Winter Session
	December	14 (Mon) – 18 (Fri)	Final Exams
		18 (Fri)	End of the Fall Semester
		19 (Sat) – February 28 (Sun), 2027	Winter Vacation
		21 (Mon) – January 29 (Fri), 2027	Winter Session
		25 (Fri)	Holiday – Christmas
		28 (Mon) – January 8 (Fri), 2027	[G] Application for Spring 2027 Program Change
	2027 January	1 (Fri)	Holiday – New Year's Day
		4 (Mon)	Confirmation of Fall 2026 Grading
		4 (Mon) – 15 (Fri)	Application for Spring 2027 Leave of Absence/Return (1st)
	February	4 (Thu) – 5 (Fri)	Course Registration for Spring 2027 Semester
		6 (Sat) – 8 (Mon)	Holiday – Lunar New Year's Day
		9 (Tue)	Holiday – Lunar New Year's Day (Observed)
10 (Wed)		Due Date for Winter Session Grading	
10 (Wed) – 19 (Fri)		Application for Spring 2027 Leave of Absence/Return (2nd)	
19 (Fri)		Conferral of Degrees (Fall 2026) Commencement Ceremony	
22 (Mon)		2027 Undergraduate Matriculation Ceremony	
23 (Tue) – 25 (Thu)		Tuition Fee Payment (Spring 2027)	

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