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## Important dates for 2001

Last day for receipt of re-enrolment forms for 2001 ----- Thursday 21 December 2000  
University offices open ----- Tuesday 2 January 2001  
Last day for payment of fees (GSF) by continuing students ----- Friday 9 February  
Pre-Enrolment Advice (Pea) Day ----- Monday 22 January  
Orientation Week begins ----- Monday 19 February  
Summer Session ends ----- Friday 23 February

### **First teaching period and First Semester begin ----- Monday 26 February**

Last day for enrolling in annual or First Semester units ----- Friday 9 March  
Canberra Day Holiday — no classes ----- Monday 12 March  
Due date for payment of tuition fees and up-front HECS ----- Friday 16 March  
HECS census date ----- Saturday 31 March  
Winter Session commences\* ----- Monday 2 April  
First teaching period ends ----- Thursday 12 April  
Good Friday ----- Friday 13 April  
Conferring of Degrees ----- Thursday 19 April and Friday 20 April  
ANZAC Day ----- Wednesday 25 April

### **Second teaching period begins ----- Monday 30 April**

Last day to withdraw without failure from First Semester units ----- Friday 18 May  
Second teaching period and First Semester end ----- Friday 8 June  
Queen's Birthday Holiday ----- Monday 11 June  
Five-week lecture break begins ----- Monday 11 June  
First Semester examinations between ----- 14 June and 27 June  
Last day for receipt of re-enrolment forms from students ----- Friday 29 June  
re-enrolling in Second Semester units only and for  
applications for admission for Second Semester

### **Third teaching period and Second Semester begin ----- Monday 16 July**

Last day for enrolling in Second Semester units ----- Friday 27 July  
Bush Week activities — no classes ----- Friday 27 July  
Due date for payment of tuition fees and up-front HECS ----- Friday 3 August  
Winter Session ends\* ----- Thursday 30 August  
HECS census date ----- Friday 31 August  
Canberra Tertiary Open Day ----- Saturday 1 September  
Last day to withdraw without failure from annual units ----- Friday 14 September  
Third teaching period ends ----- Friday 14 September  
Conferring of Degrees ----- Friday 28 September  
Last day for receipt of applications to enrol for 2002 through UAC without penalty ----- Friday 28 September  
Labour Day Holiday ----- Monday 1 October  
Fourth teaching period begins ----- Tuesday 2 October  
Last day to withdraw without failure from Second Semester units ----- Friday 5 October

### **Fourth teaching period and Second Semester end ----- Friday 26 October**

Examinations in annual and Second Semester units begin ----- Friday 2 November  
Examinations conclude ----- Wednesday 21 November  
Examination results published ----- Friday 7 December  
Summer Session commences\* ----- Monday 10 December  
Last day for re-enrolment for 2002 ----- Thursday 20 December 2001  
University offices closed (but mail received) ----- 25 December–1 January 2002 inclusive

For details of Institute of the Arts teaching periods, consult the Institute of the Arts Handbook.

\*Check Unit Authority for details of actual class commencement date.

## Academic calendar for 2002

### Dates of teaching periods which encompass teaching in both annual and semester units

First teaching period begins	Monday 4 March
First teaching period ends	Friday 19 April
2-week teaching break from Monday 22 April–Friday 3 May	
Second teaching period begins	Monday 6 May
Second teaching period ends	Friday 14 June
5-week teaching break from Monday 17 June–Friday 19 July	
Third teaching period begins	Monday 22 July
Third teaching period ends	Friday 20 September
2-week and one day teaching break from Monday 23 September–Monday 7 October	
Fourth teaching period begins	Tuesday 8 October
Fourth teaching period ends	Friday 1 November

### Standard Session Dates for 2002

First Semester — 4 March to 14 June  
Second Semester — 22 July to 1 November  
Summer Session — 10 December 2001 to 1 March 2002  
Winter Session — 1 April 2002 to 30 August 2002

### Teaching Breaks

2 weeks from Monday 22 April to Friday 3 May  
5 weeks from Monday 17 June to Friday 19 July  
2 weeks and one day from Monday 23 September to Friday 7 October

### Public Holidays

Canberra Day — 18 March 2002  
Easter Sunday — 31 March 2002  
ANZAC Day — Thursday 25 April 2002  
Queen's Birthday — Monday 10 June 2002  
Labour Day — Monday 7 October 2002

## Information Sources

### Academic Advisory Services

Faculty of Arts — (02) 6249 2898

Faculty of Asian Studies — (02) 6249 0515

Faculty of Economics & Commerce — (02) 6249 3807

Faculty of Engineering & Information Technology — (02) 6249 2809/2646

Faculty of Law — (02) 6249 3482/3483

Faculty of Science — (02) 6249 2809/2646

Academic Skills and Learning Centre — (02) 6249 2972  
(formerly Study Skills Centre)

Admissions Office — (02) 6249 3046/5594

Recorded Information Service — (02) 6249 5405

Careers Centre — (02) 6249 3593

Counselling Centre — (02) 6249 2442

Countrywide Scheme — (02) 6249 4893

Disability Liaison Officer — (02) 6249 5036

telephone Typewriter (TTY) — (02) 6249 3008

Institute of the Arts — (02) 6249 5711/5708

International Education Office (IEO) — (02) 6249 4643

Jabal Indigenous Australian Centre — (02) 6249 3520/2363

Student Administration — (02) 6249 3339

Student Employment Office — (02) 6249 3593

Student Recruitment —

URL — <http://www.anu.edu.au/psi/>

e-mail — [student.information@anu.edu.au](mailto:student.information@anu.edu.au)

Undergraduate Handbook Order Form Information — (02) 6249 3550

Institute of the Arts Handbook Order Form Information — (02) 6249 5846

University Accommodation Services — (02) 6243 3100

Undergraduate Scholarships and Prizes — (02) 6249 5595

If you are in doubt about who can best help you, telephone (02) 6249 5111 or write to —

Director, Student Administration and Support Services

The Australian National University

Canberra ACT 0200

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followed by the last four digits of the current number.**

## The Arms of the University granted in 1954

The motto 'Naturam Primum Cognoscere Rerum' is from the poem *De Rerum Natura* (III, 1072) by Lucretius, Roman poet, philosopher and scientist. It is translated by Cyril Bailey (1946) 'first to learn the nature of things'; an alternative, following Rolfe Humphries 1968 translation of *De Rerum Natura*, would be 'above all to find out the way things are'.



A careful reading of this Handbook will greatly assist a student.

The Australian National University Act and the Statutes, Rules and Regulations of the University, may be consulted in the University Library or on the web at

<http://www.anu.edu.au/foyer/policies.html>.

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### **Inquiries**

All inquiries should be addressed to —

Director, Student Administration and Support Services  
The Australian National University  
Canberra ACT 0200  
Fax (02) 6249 0751

The telephone number of the Student Administration Office is (02) 6249 3339.

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