

Academic Calendar 2024-2025

(School of Design/Graduate School of Design, Kyushu University)

2024/3/8

	Events	Date	Notes	
First Semester (Apr 1, 2024 - Sep 30, 2024)	First Semester begins	April 1, 2024		
	Spring Vacation	April 1 to April 8		
	Orientation for new students	April 1 to April 8		
	Spring Entrance Ceremony	April 3		
	Guidance Session for current students	April 3 and April 4	[for 2nd Year Undergraduate Students] April 4, 9am~ [for 3rd Year Undergraduate Students] April 4, 1pm~ [for 4th Year Undergraduate Students] April 3, 1pm~ [for New Doctoral Students] April 3, 2pm~ [for New Master's Students] April 3, 3pm~	
	Entrance Ceremony (for New Transfer Students)	April 4		
	Guidance Session (KIKAN Education)	April 4	[for 1st Year Undergraduate Students]	
	Annual Medical Health Check-up for Students	[for 1st Year Undergraduate Students] : from April 2 to April 26 [for 2nd - 4th Year Undergraduate Students, All Master's Students and Doctoral Students](Ohashi Campus) : from April 15 to April 16	Make a reservation through the website.	
	Faculty Information Session	April 5	[for 1st Year Undergraduate Students]	
	(First Semester/Spring Quarter) Classes begin	April 9	Classes in KIKAN education also begin on April 9.	
	TOEFL-ITP Test	April 13, 14(for 1st Year Students) April 20, 21(for 2nd Year Students) May 11(for 1st Year Students and 2nd Year Students)		
	Anniversary of the University's Founding	May 11		
	Term to Withdraw the Registration for Spring Quarter	May 13 to May 17		
	Spring Quarter ends	June 9	Examinations for Quarter Classes will be arranged separately.	
	Summer Quarter	Summer Quarter begins	June 10	
		Design Experiences (University Open House)	June 15	
		Grades Submission Deadline (for Spring Quarter)	June 21	
		Entrance Examination for Master's Program (Personal)	July 6	
		Entrance Examination for Doctoral Program (for October 2023 Admission/Second Call, April 2024 Admission/First Term to Withdraw the Registration for First Semester Classes and Summer Quarter Classes	Around July	
		Final Examinations (First Semester Classes)	July 30 to August 5	Examinations for Quarter Classes will be arranged separately.
Open Campus at Ohashi Campus		August 3		
Mid-term Presentation of Master's Research (Poster Presentation) for October Admission for Design Practice		August 6		
Summer Quarter ends		August 7		
Summer Vacation		August 8 to September 30		
Grades Submission Deadline (for First Semester and Summer Quarter)		August 19		
Entrance Examination for Master's Program (General Entrance Examination)		August 30		
Fall Commencement		September 25		
First Semester ends		September 30		
Second Semester (Oct 1, 2024 - Mar 31, 2025)		Fall Quarter	Second Semester begins	October 1
	Fall Entrance Ceremony		October 1	
	(Second Semester / Fall Quarter) Classes begin		October 2	Classes in KIKAN education also begin on October 2.
	Entrance Examination for Transfer Students (Undergraduate School)		October 5	
	Make-up Day for Monday Classes		October 10	
	Kyushu University Festival (Geiko Festival)		November 3 to November 6	No Classes on Nov 3 and 6 for the Festival
	Term to Withdraw the Registration for Fall Quarter Classes		November 7 to November 13	
	School Recommendation Selection (Design Futures)		December 2	
	Entrance Examination for Doctoral Program (for April 2024 Admission/Second Call, October 2024 Admission/First Call)		Around the mid of December to the end of December	
	Fall Quarter ends	December 4	Examinations for Quarter Classes will be arranged separately.	
	Winter Quarter	Winter Quarter begins	December 3	
		Grades Submission Deadline (for Fall Quarter)	December 23	
		Winter Vacation	December 27 to January 6, 2025	
		Extra holiday (No classes)	January 17	Due to National Center Test for University Admissions preparation
		National Center Test for University Admissions	January 18 and January 19	
Term to Withdraw the Registration for Second Semester Classes and Winter Quarter Classes		January 16 to January 22		
Comprehensive selection (The 2nd round selection)		January 25 or February 1		
School Recommendation Selection (Industrial Design Course)		January 25 or February 1		
Final Examinations (Second Semester Classes)		February 3 to 7	Examinations for Quarter Classes will be arranged separately.	
Winter Quarter ends		February 12		
Graduate Exhibition	February 14 to February 16			
Grades Submission Deadline (for Second Semester and Winter Quarter)	February 17	Final Year: 4th Year Undergraduate Students 2nd Year Master Students 3rd Year Doctoral Students		
Mid-term Presentation of Master's Research (Poster Presentation) for Design Practice	February 18			
Entrance Examination (Undergraduate School)	February 25 and February 26			
Entrance Examination for Privately-funded International Students etc.	February 27			
Grades Submission Deadline (for Second Semester and Winter Quarter)	February 28	1st-3rd Year Undergraduate Students 1st Year Master's Students 1st-2nd Year Doctoral Students		
Spring Commencement Ceremony	March 25			
Second Semester ends	March 31			