

# 2024-25 Hitotsubashi University Academic Calendar for Graduate Students

As of Nov 8, 2023

**April**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2◆	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	24	26	27
28	29	30				

\* Classes will be held on April 29, a national holiday.

**May**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2(Mon)	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25◇
26◇	27	28	29	30	31	

\* May 2 is a replacement day on which only Monday classes will be held.

**June**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30						

**July**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20◇
21◇	22◇	23◇	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

\* Classes will be held on July 15, a national holiday.

**August**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

**September**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

\* Classes will be held on September 16, a national holiday.

\* Classes will be held on September 23, a national holiday.

☐: No Classes

**<Intensive Course Period>**

Summer Intensive Course:	July 25- August 2
Winter Intensive Course I:	January 8 - 20
Winter Intensive Course II:	January 21 - 29
Winter Intensive Course III:	January 30 - February 5
Winter Intensive Course IV:	March 3 - 21

\*for international students

**October**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26◇
27◇	28	29	30	31		

\* Classes will be held on October 14, a national holiday.

**November**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18(Thu)	19(Fri)	20◆	21△	22△	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

\* Classes will be held on November 4, a national holiday.

\* November 18 is a replacement day on which only Thursday classes will be held.

\* November 19 is a replacement day on which only Friday classes will be held.

**December**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22◇	23	24	25	26◆◇	27◇	28◇
29	30	31				

**January**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

**February**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	

**March**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

**Legends**

- : National Holiday    △: Days off (no classes)
- ◆: English-language placement test dates for undergraduate students (Regular classes are not held.)
- ◇: Examination dates for online courses (Online examinations and in-class examinations for online courses are to be held. At the end of the Spring Quarter and Autumn Quarter, only online examinations are to be held. The detailed schedule will be posted separately. Also, regular classes are not held.)

**Class dates**

- Spring quarter (April 11 - May 31)
- Summer quarter (June 3 - July 23)
- Autumn quarter (September 16 - November 1)
- Winter quarter (November 4 - December 28)

**Spring quarter**

- 4/1 Start of quarter
- 4/7 Entrance Ceremony
- 4/11 First day of classes
- 4/29 Classes held on national holiday
- ◇ 5/25,26 Examination dates for online courses
- 5/31 End of quarter

**Summer quarter**

- 6/1 Start of quarter
- 6/3 First day of classes
- 6/8,9 KODAIRA Festival (planned)
- 7/15 Classes held on national holiday
- ◇ 7/20-23 Examination dates for online courses
- 9/13 End of quarter

**Autumn quarter**

- 9/14 Start of quarter
- 9/16 First day of classes
- 9/16 Classes held on national holiday
- 9/23 Classes held on national holiday
- 9/24 Anniversary of the university's founding
- 10/14 Classes held on national holiday
- ◇ 10/26,27 Examination dates for online courses
- 11/1 End of quarter

**Winter quarter**

- 11/2 Start of quarter
- 11/4 First day of classes
- 11/4 Classes held on national holiday
- △ 11/21,22 No classes (preparatory day for Ikkyo Festival, day of Ikkyo Festival)
- 11/22-24 Ikkyo Festival (planned)
- ◇ 12/22, 26-28 Examination dates for online courses
- 3/18 Degree-awarding ceremony (graduation ceremony)
- 3/31 End of quarter

**Others**

- 1/17 Preparatory day for Common Test for University Admissions
- 1/18,19 Common Test for University Admissions
- 2/25,26 Entrance examination (first sitting)
- 3/12 Entrance examination (second sitting)

**About the academic year calendar**

Major events are listed on this academic year calendar. Please take care not to overlook other events listed in various bulletins and communications.

**[Notes]**

- 1 Replacement days in each quarter are scheduled in order to make up the number of class days for each day of the week, so classes on the replaced day of the week are to be held.
- 2 In principle, classes other than those for "intensive courses" are not held during intensive course dates, but in some cases, classroom examinations for online courses other than intensive courses may be held in the first and second periods during intensive course dates.
- 3 In principle, only English-language placement tests (including additional tests) are held on English-language placement test dates, but in some cases, classroom examinations for online courses, etc., may also be held.
- 4 Even where classes are scheduled, all or some classes may be cancelled due to university events, festivals, etc., so please check bulletins etc. Also, classes, make-up classes, examinations, etc. may be held even on days scheduled as holidays in special circumstances.

**AY 2024 Hitotsubashi University Graduate School Academic Calendar** As of Feb 16, 2024

Classes and curriculum related events	
Orientation for new international students	Tue., March 26 - Fri., March 29 (* Held in person in principle)
Joint guidance for new students to Hitotsubashi Graduate Schools	* Held online (on-demand format)
New student orientation by school/department	* Held in person or online (on-demand format)
Entrance Ceremony	Sun., April 7
Course registration period (Spring-Summer Semester, Spring Quarter, Summer Quarter, Summer Intensive, Yearlong)	Wed., April 10 - Wed., April 17
Spring Quarter first day of classes	Thu., April 11
Course withdrawal period (Spring-Summer Semester, Spring Quarter, Summer Quarter, Summer Intensive, Yearlong)	Wed., April 24 - Tue., April 30
Change of course registration period (Summer Quarter, Summer Intensive)	Mon., May 13 - Tue., May 14
Examination dates for online courses (Spring Quarter)	Sat., May 25 - Sun., May 26
Summer Quarter first day of classes	Mon., June 3
Course withdrawal period (Summer Quarter, Summer Intensive)	Mon., June 17 - Sun., June 23
Announcement of Spring Quarter grades	Thu., June 20
Change of course registration period (Summer Intensive)	Thu., July 4 - Fri., July 5
Examination dates for online courses (Spring-Summer Semester, Summer Quarter)	Sat., July 20 - Tue., July 23
Summer Intensive course period	Thu., July 25 - Fri., August 2
Course withdrawal period (Summer Intensive)	Fri., July 26 - Mon., July 29
Announcement of Spring-Summer Semester, Summer Quarter, and Summer Intensive grades	Thu., August 29
Orientation for new international students	Tue., September 3 - Fri., September 6 (* Held in person in principle)
Course registration period (Autumn- Winter Semester, Autumn Quarter, Winter Quarter, and Winter Intensive)	Fri., September 13 - Fri., September 20
Autumn Quarter first day of classes	Mon., September 16
Anniversary of the university's founding	Tue., September 24
Course withdrawal period (Autumn- Winter Semester, Autumn Quarter, Winter Quarter, and Winter Intensive)	Mon., September 30 - Sun., October 6
Change of course registration period (Winter Quarter, Winter Intensive)	Fri., October 11 - Mon., October 14
Examination dates for online courses (Autumn Quarter)	Sat. October 26 - Sun. October 27
Winter Quarter first day of classes	Mon., November 4
No classes (preparatory day for Ikkyo Festival, day of Ikkyo Festival)	Thu., November 21 - Fri., November 22
Course withdrawal period (Winter Quarter, Winter Intensive)	Fri., November 22 - Thu., November 28
Announcement of Autumn Quarter grades	Wed., November 27
Change of course registration period(Winter Intensive)	Thu., December 12 - Fri., December 13
Examination dates for online courses (Autumn-Winter Semester, Winter Quarter)	Sun., December 22, Thu., December 26- Sat., December 28
Winter Intensive course period (1)	Wed., January 8 - Mon., January 20
Deadline for submission of master's thesis	Thu., January 9
Course withdrawal period (Winter Intensive (1))	Thu., January 9 - Fri., January 10
No classes (Preparatory day for Common Test for University Admissions)	Fri., January 17
Entrance examination (Common Test for University Admissions)	Sat., January 18 - Sun., January 19
Winter Intensive course period (2)	Tue., January 21 - Wed., January 29
Course withdrawal period (Winter Intensive (2))	Wed., January 22 - Thu., January 23
Winter Intensive course period (3)	Thu., January 30 - Wed., February 5
Course withdrawal period (Winter Intensive (3))	Thu., January 30 - Fri., January 31
Entrance examination (second-stage, Hitotsubashi University examination, first sitting)	Tue., February 25 - Wed., February 26
Winter Intensive course period (4)	Mon., March 3 - Fri., March 21
Announcement of Autumn- Winter Semester, Winter Quarter, Winter Intensive, and Yearlong course grades	Mon., March 10
Announcement of those who completed their program	Mon., March 10
Entrance examination (second-stage, Hitotsubashi University examination, second sitting)	Wed., March 12
Degree-awarding ceremony (graduation ceremony)	Tue., March 18
Events held by student groups	
KODAIRA Festival	Sat., June 8 - Sun., June 9 (planned)
Ikkyo Festival	Fri., November 22 - Sun., November 24 (planned)