



REPUBLIC OF TÜRKİYE  
ANKARA YILDIRIM BEYAZIT UNIVERSITY  
ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE 2025–2026 GRADUATE PROGRAMS

Start and End Dates of the Academic Semester	Fall Semester (September 22 2025 - January 02, 2026)	Spring Semester (February 09 - May 22, 2026)
Application Period for Graduate Programs	June 10 - July 04, 2025	December 29, 2025 - January 07, 2026
Application for Lateral Transfer	August 25-28, 2025	January 19-21, 2026
Application Dates for Freezing Registration	September 01-17, 2025	January 26 - February 05, 2026
Announcement of the Result of Lateral Transfer	September 02, 2025	January 23, 2026
Registration Period for the Students admitted via Lateral Transfer	September 04-05, 2025	January 26-27, 2026
Date of the Turkish Language Proficiency Exams	September 09, 2025	January 19, 2026
Assessment in General English (AGE)	September 10-11-12, 2025	January 20-21-22, 2026
Course Selection Dates for Students in the Student Affairs Information System	September 11-17, 2025	January 29 - February 04, 2026
Advisor Approval Dates for Student Course Selections in the Student Affairs Information System	September 11-18, 2025	January 29 - February 04, 2026
Deadline for Tuition Fee Payment	September 17, 2025	February 04, 2026
<b>Start of the Courses</b>	<b>September 22, 2025 (Monday)</b>	<b>February 09 2026 (Monday)</b>
Student Add/Drop Dates in the Student Affairs Information System	September 27-30, 2025	February 14-17, 2026
Advisor Approval Dates for Add/Drop Requests on the Student Affairs Information System	September 27 - October 01, 2025	February 14-18, 2026
Period for Ph.D. Proficiency Examinations	November 03 - December 31, 2025	March 30 - May 22, 2026
<b>End of the Courses</b>	<b>January 02, 2026 (Friday)</b>	<b>May 22, 2026 (Friday)</b>
Midterm/Final Examinations	January 05-09, 2026	June 01-05, 2026
Announcement of the Grades on Student Affairs Information System	Within 5(five) days after the related course's examination date	Within 5(five) days after the related course's examination date
Registration Period of the Resit Examinations	January 15-16, 2026	June 11-12, 2026
Start and End Dates of the Resit Examinations	January 19-23, 2026	June 15-19, 2026
Announcement of the Midterm/Final Examination Results on Student Affairs Information System	Within 5(five) days after the related course's examination date	Within 5(five) days after the related course's examination date
<b>Semester Holiday</b>	<b>January 26 - February 06, 2026</b>	
Deadline for the Submission of Projects to the Graduate School in Master's Programs without Thesis	January 23, 2026	September 01, 2026
Deadline for Defending Master's Theses/Ph.D. Dissertations	January 23, 2026	August 21, 2026
<b>IMPORTANT NOTES</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>The students who are in the process of Proficiency/Thesis are supposed to update their phases and renew their registration via paying the tuition fee.</li><li>The students who are going to renew their registration are supposed to pay their tuition fee in order to take course and get advisor approval.</li><li>The students may change the courses they select during the registration during add and drop period.</li><li>The announcement concerning the application for Ph. D. Proficiency Examination are going to be announced by related graduate school.</li><li>The academic advisor is in charge of the determination of thesis monitoring committee after Ph.D. Proficiency Exam within the period indicated on Directorate for Ankara Yıldırım Beyazıt University Graduate Education and the organization of Thesis Proposal Presentation Exam.</li><li>If a student who is decided to so correction hs/her thesis after the dissertation, h/she needs to do course registration and pay for the tuition fee on condition that his/her dissertation date is included in the coming semester. The student who does not do course registration or do not pay the tuition fee, cannot do dissertation.</li><li>The student who succeeds in his/her dissertation has to do course registration and pay for the tuition fee on condition that submission of the thesis date is included in the coming semester</li></ol>	
<b>OFFICIAL HOLIDAYS</b>	Republic Holiday 28-29 October 2025 (1,5 Days) New Year Holiday January 1, 2026	Ramadan Holiday March 19-22 2026 (3,5 Days) National Sovereignty and Children's Day April 23, 2026 Labor and Solidarity Day May 1, 2026 The Commemoration of Atatürk Youth and Sports Day May 19, 2026 Feast of the Sacrifice Holiday May 26 - 30, 2026 (4,5 Days) Democracy and National Unity Day July 15, 2026