Confirmation of 2027 Holiday Periods for International Students

This letter confirms the official holiday periods for international students enrolled at, or completing their studies with, Swinburne University of Technology in 2026 and 2027.

International students who hold a student visa must comply with visa work conditions outlined by the Department of Home Affairs.

Details can be found at:

https://immi.homeaffairs.gov.au/visas/already-have-a-visa/check-visa-details-and-conditions/overview

Work Rights Summary

- Students may only begin working once their course has officially commenced.
- Students may work up to 48 hours per fortnight while their course is in session.
- Students are permitted to work unlimited hours when their course is not in session.
- A course is considered not in session following the end of an assessment period, even if the student does not have any scheduled exams.
- For students enrolled in packaged courses, the time between courses is considered a course break at the end of an assessment period of the first course, and before the commencement of the second.

Swinburne 2026 Teaching Period Dates:

TEACHING PERIOD	START DATE	END OF ASSESSMENT PERIOD
Quarter 3	6th July	11th September
Quarter 4	28th September	4th December
Semester 2	3rd August	21st November
Pathways Teaching 2	22nd June	25th September
Pathways Teaching 3	19th October	29th January

Swinburne 2027 Teaching Period Dates:

TEACHING PERIOD	START DATE	END OF ASSESSMENT PERIOD
Summer	4th January	20th February
Semester 1	1st March	19th June
Winter	21st June	31st July
Semester 2	2nd August	20th November
Quarter 1	18th January	26th March
Quarter 2	12th April	18th June
Quarter 3	5th July	10th September
Quarter 4	27th September	3rd December
Pathways Teaching 1	22nd February	28th May
Pathways Teaching 2	21st June	23rd September
Pathways Teaching 3	18th October	28th January

For detailed information on official teaching period and assessment period end dates, please refer to Swinburne's Academic Calendar:

https://www.swinburne.edu.au/student-administration/calendar/

Additional key dates specific to Health Science courses are available at the below:

https://www.swinburne.edu.au/courses/enrolling/key-timetable-dates/

Proof of Enrolment:

International students can verify their enrolment at Swinburne by providing an official Enrolment Statement, which must be submitted alongside this document.



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