

Marks Calendar 2025/ 26

Activity	Responsible	Timeframe	Date 2025/26
Welcome Week			Mon 22nd to Fri 26th Sep 2025
Semester 1 (S1)			Mon 29th Sept to Sat 17th Jan 2026
Reading Week (if given)	Schools	S1 Wk 6	Mon 3 rd to 7 th Nov 2025
PAB (virtual for TWD)	PABs	By S1 Wk 6 Fri	By Fri 7 th Nov 2025
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by S2 Wk2 Thu 17:30	By Thu 5 th Feb 2026 @ 17:30
ODL – Distance Learning Block 1 Teaching Period (DL1)			Mon 8th Sept to Fri 24th Oct 2025
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by March exam boards	
ODL – Distance Learning Block 2 Teaching Period (DL2)			Mon 3rd Nov to Fri 19th Dec 2025
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by March exam boards	
Student Mobility and Employability MAB	MAB	Wk6 or Wk 7 TBC	Early Nov 2025 TBC
Winter vacation			Sat 13th Dec 2025 to Sun 4th Jan 2026

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Semester 1 assessment period A1		Mon 5th to Sat 17th Jan 2026	
A1 Submissions	School to set submission dates	Scheduled throughout A1	<u>Central dates, if used, 16:00: 5th, 8th, 12th and 15th January 2026</u>
<i>Student Exceptional Circumstances submission deadline (UG progression, UG finalist, and PGT)</i>	<i>Exceptional Circumstances</i>		<i>tbc @ midnight</i>
A1 marking (incl. feedback) A1 moderation (progression, finalist, and PGT)	Module Convenors Moderators	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School	
Inter-semester week		Mon 19 to Fri 23 Jan 2026	
Winter Graduation	Graduation Office		Weds 21 st Jan to Fri 23 Jan 2026
ODL – Distance Learning Block 3 Teaching Period (DL3)		Mon 12th Jan to Fri 28th Feb 2026	
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by July exam boards	
Semester 2 (S2)		Mon 26th Jan to Sat 30th May 2026	
Deadline for S1/A1 marks input (UG progression, finalist, and PGT)	Schools	S2 Wk3 Fri 17:30	Fri 13 th Feb 2026 @ 17:30
A1 marks publication (marks are provisional and subject to marks assurance) A1 feedback publication	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS Schools (SxD for e-submission)	A1 marks: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) A1 feedback: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) By S2 Wk4 Mon	By Mon 16 th Feb 2026 (Schools can agree an earlier date with Assessment & Examinations but not a Thurs or Fri)

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PAB (virtual for TWD)	PABs	By S2 Wk4 Mon	By Mon 16 th Feb 2026
Start of S1/A1 external moderation (UG finalist & progression)	External Examiners	A1 Wk2 Mon to S2 Wk6 Tue (Specific deadlines set by School)	Mon 12 th Jan to Tue 3 rd March 2026
Start of S1/A1 external moderation (PGT incl. resits)	External Examiners	A1 Wk2 Mon to S2 Wk7 Tue (Specific deadlines set by School)	Mon 12 th Jan to Tue 10 th March 2026
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (UG finalists)	Exceptional Circumstances	S2 Wk5 Thurs 17:30	TBC @ 17:30
End of S1/A1 external moderation (finalists & progression)			By Tuesday 3 rd March 2026
MAB (S1/A1 finalist and progression)	MABs	S2 Wk6 Tue 17:30	Tue 3 rd March 2026 @ 17:30
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (PGT resits only, and DL blocks 1&2, any eligible ODL students)	Exceptional Circumstances	S2 Wk6 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 5 th Mar 2026 @ 17:30
Misconduct Panel deadline (PGT resits and any eligible ODL students)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	S2 Wk7 Mon 17:30	Mon 9 th Mar 2026 @ 17:30
End of S1/A1 external moderation (PGT incl. Resits)	External examiners		By Tuesday 10 th March 2026
MAB (S1/A1 PGT inc resits, and DL blocks 1 & 2)	MABs	S2 Wk7 Tue 17:30	By Tue 10 th Mar 2026 @ 17:30
PAB (PGT resits only, and DL blocks 1 & 2)	PABs	S2 Wk7 Wed to Fri 17:30	Wed 11 th to Fri 13 th Mar 2026

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PGT award decisions published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	S2 Wk8 Thu	Thu 19 th Mar 2026 @ 12:00
ODL – Distance Learning Block 4 Teaching Period (DL4)			Mon 9th Mar to Fri 24th Apr 2026
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by July exam boards	
Spring Vacation			Sat 21 March to Sun 12 April 2026
ODL Spring Vacation			TO ADD
Resit assessment period 1 (DLYR) (DL blocks 1 & 2)			Mon 27 th Apr to Mon 11 th May 2026
CWK marking (inc feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback publication Send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by A2 Wk3 Fri	By Fri 29 th May 2026
ODL – Distance Learning Block 5 Teaching Period (DL5)			Mon 11th May to Fri 26th June 2026
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors Moderators Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by October exam boards	
Revision Week			Mon 4 May to Fri 8 May 2026
Semester 2 assessment period (A2)			Mon 11 May to Sat 30th May 2026

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PAB (virtual for TWD)	PABs	By A2 Wk1 - Mon	By Mon 11 th May 2026
A2 submissions (<i>finalist exams complete by 23rd May</i>)	School to set submission dates	Scheduled throughout A2	<u>Central dates, if used, 16:00:</u> Finalists: 11 th , 14 th , 18 th , 20 th May 2026 non-finalists: 19 th , 21 st , 27 th , 28 th May 2026
A2 marking (inc feedback) A2 moderation (progression, finalist, PGT)	Module Convenors Moderators	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School	
S2 external moderation (progression, finalist, PGT)	External Examiners	Specific deadlines set by School	
A2 external moderation (finalists)	External Examiners	A2 Wk2 Mon to VAC Wk2 Thu Specific deadlines set by School	Mon 18 th May to Thu 11 th June 2026
A2 external moderation (progression)	External Examiners	A2 Wk3 Tues (Mon is Bank Holiday) to VAC Wk4 Thu (Specific deadlines set by School)	Tue 26 th May to Thu 25 th June 2026
A2 external moderation (PGT)	External Examiners	A2 Wk3 Tues (Mon is Bank Holiday) to VAC Wk5 Thu (Specific deadlines set by School)	Tue 26 th May to Thurs 2 nd July 2026
<i>Student Exceptional Circumstances submission deadline (UG finalist)</i>	<i>Exceptional Circumstances</i>		<i>midnight TBC</i>
Deadline for all S2 CWK marks to School Office for input (finalist, progression and PGT)	Module Convenors	A2 Wk3 Fri 17:30	by Fri 29 th May 2026 @ 17:30
Summer Vacation (VAC)			Sun 31st May 2026 to Sun 20th Sep 2026
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (finalists)	Exceptional Circumstances	VAC Wk2 Tue 17:30	Tue 9 th June 2026 @ 17:30

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Deadline for finalist S2/A2 marks input (changes possible following external moderation)	Schools	VAC Wk2 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 11 th June 2026 @ 17:30
Misconduct Panel decisions deadline (finalists)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	VAC Wk2 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 11 th June 2026 @ 17:30
MAB (S1 and S2 finalist modules)	MABs	VAC Wk2 Mon	Mon 8 th June 2026
PAB pre-meetings (finalist)	PABs	VAC Wk2 Mon to Wed	Mon 8 th to Wed 10 th June 2026
<i>Student Exceptional Circumstances submission deadline (UG progression and PGT)</i>	<i>Exceptional Circumstances</i>		<i>tbc @ midnight</i>
PAB (finalist)	PABs	VAC Wk2 Wed or Thu	Wed 10 th or Thu 11 th June 2026
Deadline for progression S2/A2 marks input (changes possible following external moderation)	School	VAC Wk3 Tue 17:30	Tue 16 th June 2026 @ 17:30
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (progression)	Exceptional Circumstances	VAC Wk3 Tue 17:30	tbc@ 17:30
Finalist classification and module results published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	VAC Wk3 Wed 12:00	Wed 17 th June 2026 @ 12:00
Misconduct Panel decisions deadline (progression)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	VAC Wk3 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 18 th June 2026 @ 17:30
MAB (S1 and S2 progression modules)	MABs	VAC Wk4 Mon	Mon 22 nd June 2026
PAB pre-meetings (progression)	PABs	VAC Wk4 Mon to Wed	Mon 22 nd to Wed 24 th June 2026
PAB (progression)	PABs	VAC Wk4 Wed or Thu	Wed 24 th or Thurs 25 th June 2026
ODL – Distance Learning Block 6 Teaching Period (DL6)			Mon 06th July to Fri 21st Aug 2026
CWK marking (incl. feedback) CWK moderation	Module Convenors Moderators	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School	

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CWK marks and feedback published Conflate and send CWK marks	Module Convenors/School Module Convenors	Marks publication: set by School (normally within 3 weeks) On-going by October exam boards	
Deadline for PGT S2/A2 marks input (changes possible following external moderation)	Schools	VAC Wk5 Mon 17:30	Mon 29 th June 2026 @ 17:30
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (PGT, and DL blocks 3 & 4 Any eligible ODL students)	Exceptional Circumstances	VAC Wk5 Tue 17:30	Tue 30 th June 2026 @ 17:30
Misconduct Panel decisions deadline (PGT & any eligible ODL students)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	VAC Wk5 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 2 nd July 2026 @ 17:30
Progression results published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	Stage 3: VAC Wk6 Mon - 08:00 Stage 2: VAC Wk6 Mon - 10:00 Stage 0/1: VAC Wk6 Mon - 12:00	Mon 6 th July 2026 @ 08:00 Mon 6 th July 2026 @ 10:00 Mon 6 th July 2026 @ 12:00
MAB (S1 and S2 PGT modules, and DL blocks 3 & 4)	MABs	VAC Wk6 Mon	Mon 6 th July 2026
PAB pre-meetings (PGT, and DL blocks 3 & 4)	PABs	VAC Wk6 Mon to Wed	Mon 6 th July to Wed 8 th July 2026
PAB (PGT for S1 + S2 modules, and DL blocks 3 & 4)	PABs	VAC Wk6 Wed or Thu	Wed 8 th or Thu 9 th July 2026
PGT results published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	VAC Wk7 Wed 14:00	Wed 15 th July 2026 @ 14:00
Summer Graduation	Graduation Office	VAC Wk8 Mon to Fri	Mon 20 th Jul to Fri 24 th July 2026
Resit assessment period (A3 for all modules)			Mon 10th Aug to Sat 22nd Aug 2026
Resit assessment period 2 (DLYR) (DL blocks 3 & 4)		Mon 24 th Aug 2026 10:00 UK time to Mon 7 th Sept 2026 10:00 UK time	

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UG S1 + S2 Resit Submissions	School to set submission dates	Scheduled throughout A3	
PG S1 + S2 Resit Submissions	School to set submission dates	Scheduled throughout A3	
PGT Project/Dissertation Submissions	School to set submission dates	Usually in A3	
A3 marking (incl. feedback) (progression, finalist, PGT) A3 moderation	Module Convenors Moderators	Marking deadline: set by School Moderation deadline: set by School	
A3 external moderation (finalist/progression)	External Examiners	VAC Wk13 Mon to VAC Wk14 Mon	Mon 24 th Aug to Mon 31 st Aug 2026 (NB 31 st is a Bank Holiday)
<i>Student Exceptional Circumstances submission deadline (UG Progression, UG finalist)</i>	<i>Exceptional Circumstances</i>		<i>tbc @ midnight</i>
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (Resits)	Exceptional Circumstances	VAC Wk13 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 27 th Aug 2026 @ 17:30
Misconduct Panel decisions (Resits)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	VAC Wk13 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 27 th Aug 2026 @ 17:30
Deadline for all UG A3 marks input	Schools	VAC Wk13 Thurs 17:30	Thurs 27 th Aug 2026 @ 17:30
MAB (UG Resits)	MABs	VAC Wk14 Tue (due to Bank Holiday)	Tue 1 st Sept 2026
PAB pre-meetings (Resit)	PABs	VAC Wk14 Tue to Wed	Tue 1 st to Wed 2 nd Sept 2026
A3 external moderation (PGT)	External Examiners	VAC Wk14 Tue to S1 Wk2 Thu	Tue 1 st Sep to Thurs 8 th Oct 2026
PAB (UG Resit)	PAB	VAC Wk14 Wed or Thu	Wed 2 nd or Thurs 3 rd Sept 2026
UG Resit results published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	VAC Wk15 Thu 08:00	Thu 10 th Sept 2026 @ 08:00
<i>Student Exceptional Circumstances submission deadline (PGT)</i>	<i>Exceptional Circumstances</i>		<i>tbc @ midnight</i>

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AY dates for 2026/27			
Welcome week			Mon 21st Sept to Fri 25th Sept 2026
Semester 1			Mon 28th Sept to Sat 31st Jan 2027 (tbc)
ODL Distance Learning Block 1 Teaching Period (DL1)			Mon 7th Sept to Fri 23rd Oct 2026
Deadline for all PGT A3 marks input (changes possible following external moderation) (Any eligible ODL students – August resits)	Schools	S1 Wk2 Mon	Mon 5 th Oct 2026
Final Exceptional Circumstances decisions deadline (usually PGT A3) (DL blocks 5 & 6) (Any eligible ODL students)	(PGT A3) Exceptional Circumstances	S1 Wk2 Thu 17:30	tbc 17.30
Misconduct Panel decisions deadline (PGT A3, and any eligible ODL students)	Academic Services - STUDENT ADMINISTRATION	S1 Wk2 Thu 17:30	Thurs 8 th Oct 2026 17.30
MAB (PGT A3 modules, and DL blocks 5 & 6 & August resits)	MABs	S1 Wk3 Mon (normally)	Mon 12 th Oct 2026
PAB (PGT Main, and DL blocks 5 & 6 & August resits)	PABs	S1 Wk3 Wed or Thu (normally)	Wed 14 th or Thurs 15 th Oct 2026
PGT results published	Academic Services - ASSESSMENT AND EXAMINATIONS	S1 Wk4 Wed 14:00	Wed 21 st Oct 2026 14.00
ODL Distance Learning Block 2 Teaching Period (DL2)			Mon 2nd Nov to Fri 18th Dec 2026
Winter Graduation	Graduation Office		Mon 20 th – Fri 22 nd Jan 2027

Notes

- Schools have discretion as to whether or not to schedule a **reading week** which may be in week 6 of Semester 1 only. This ensures that students on joint degrees and electives taken outside their School only have one reading week. Schools must inform students of modules that do, and do not, have a reading week and provide a clear rationale for the purpose of the reading week, ensuring that an element of directed learning is provided.
- **Submission deadlines:**
 - must be staggered throughout the teaching and assessment period (including A3), to ensure deadlines are staggered.
 - Finalist deadlines in A2 should be staggered towards the start of the assessment period to allow time for marking and moderation and for marking of late submissions.
 - Staggering of deadline times (not days) may be undertaken centrally where there are multiple submission deadlines at the same time on the same day, to reduce impact on the service.
- **Exams** will be scheduled during the assessment periods and may be scheduled on the same day as a submission deadline. The University will endeavour to not schedule more than one exam on a single day for an individual student, where this is possible.
- **Resits** for all modules will take place in A3. Exams will be scheduled over the two weeks to provide an improved exam schedule (not necessarily Semester 1 exams in week 1 and Semester 2 exams in week 2).
- **Take Away Papers (TAPs)**
(24h TAPs will no longer be centrally timetabled if they are set in the assessment periods (A1/A2/A3)). Schools can schedule TAPs using the dates below and submission deadlines for the cohort must be set by the School within the following parameters to avoid a clash with an exam:
 - the 'work time' and submission deadline should not normally fall on a weekend or bank holiday
 - the week after Semester 1 week 11 (TAPs to be released on Monday 08/12/25 and submitted on: Tuesday 9/12/25 (24h) or Wed 10/12/25 (48hr)
 - A1: The week before the start of A1 2026 (TAPs to be released Thursday 01/01/26 and submitted on: Friday 02/01/26 (24h); or Saturday 03/01/26 (48hr) (inform students early to ensure they are available)
 - A2: week before A2 assessment period (w/c 11/05/26)
 - A3: TAPs to be scheduled as per principles applied to A1 and A2 periods: following publication of the exam timetable TAPs may be slotted in, or set at a date prior/ post the assessment period, with care taken to avoid clashes
 - Care should be taken in scheduling a TAP on an elective, since a student may have more than one TAP.
 - TAPs should have a release and submission time of 10am to allow for students with Reasonable Adjustments to submit on the same day.

Online Distance Learning Marks Calendar 2025/26
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Summer School Marks Calendar 2025/ 26
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