

MEIKAI UNIVERSITY
2022 ACADEMIC CALENDAR (GRADUATE SCHOOL)

First Semester

April 1 – September 14

Start of Academic Year	April 1	Friday
Orientation	March 26	Saturday
Course Registration Period	March 29 – April 1	Tue – Fri
Research Guidance Notification Form Submission Period	March 29 – April 1	Tue – Fri
September Completion Request Notification Form Submission Period	March 29 – April 1	Tue – Fri
Course-related Matters Report Submission Period	March 29 – April 1	Tue – Fri
Matriculation Ceremony	April 4	Monday
First Day of Classes	April 5	Tuesday
Health Examination	April 11 – 15	Mon – Fri
Classes Held on National holiday [Showa Day]	April 29	Friday
Payment Due Date for First Semester	April 30	Saturday
Substitute Holidays (University Closed)	May 6 · 7	Fri · Sat
Classes Held on Holiday [Anniversary of the University's Founding]	May 17	Tuesday
Deadline for Submitting a Master's Thesis Title Notification Form	May 31	Tuesday
Deadline for Submitting a Doctoral Dissertation (September Graduating Students)	June 17	Friday
Classes Held on Holiday [Marine Day]	July 18	Monday
Last Day of Classes	July 23	Saturday
Final Examination Period	July 25 – 30	Mon – Sat
Summer Vacation	August 1 – September 14	Mon – Wed
Substitute Holidays (University Closed)	August 6	Saturday
Deadline for Submitting a Master's Thesis (September Graduating Students)	August 8	Monday
Substitute Holidays (University Closed)	August 20 · 27 · September 3	Saturday
Announcement of September Graduating Students	September 5	Monday
Announcement of First Semester Grades	September 5	Monday
Substitute Holiday (University Closed)	September 10	Saturday
Graduation Ceremony (September Graduates)	September 14	Wednesday

Second Semester

September 15 – March 31

First Day of Classes	September 15	Thursday
Classes Held on National Holiday [Respect for the Aged Day]	September 19	Monday
Classes Held on National Holiday [Autumnal Equinox Day]	September 23	Friday
Classes Held on National Holiday [Sports Day]	October 10	Monday
Deadline for Submitting a Doctoral Dissertation Title Notification Form	October 31	Monday
Payment Due Date for Second Semester	October 31	Monday
Meikai Festival (No Class days)	November 11 – 14	Fri – Mon
Classes Held on National Holiday [Labor Thanksgiving Day]	November 23	Wednesday
Deadline for Submitting a Doctoral Dissertation	December 9	Friday
Winter Vacation	December 26 – January 7, 2023	Mon – Sat
Substitute Holiday (University Closed)	December 28	Wednesday
Supplementary Lecture Period	January 10 – 12	Tue – Thu
No Class Days	January 10 – 12	Tue – Thu
Preparation Day for Common Test for University Admissions (No Class Day)	January 13	Friday
Common Test for University Admissions (University Closed to Students)	January 14 · 15	Sat · Sun
Restart of Second Semester Classes	January 16	Monday
Last Day of Classes	January 23	Monday
Deadline for Submitting a Master's Thesis	January 23	Monday
Final Examination Period	January 24 – 30	Tue – Mon
Start of Spring Vacation	January 31	Tuesday
Substitute Holidays (University Closed)	February 4 · 18 · 25	Saturday
Announcement of Graduating Students	March 1	Wednesday
Announcement of Second Semester Grades (for Graduating Students)	March 1	Wednesday
Substitute Holiday (University Closed)	March 4	Saturday
Announcement of Second Semester Grades (for 1st year Master's Course Students, 1st and 2nd year Doctoral Course Students)	March 15	Wednesday
Graduation Ceremony	March 15	Wednesday
End of Academic Year	March 31	Friday