



## Academic calendar 2017-2018

Each academic year consists of two semesters, followed by an examination period.

Winter semester			
Courses begin	18 Sept. 2017	Courses end	22 Dec. 2017
Examination period starts	8 Jan. 2018	Examination period ends	31 Jan. 2018
Winter holiday	23 Dec. 2017 – 7 Jan. 2018		
Summer semester			
Courses begin	5 Feb. 2018	Courses end	18 May 2018
Examination period starts	28 May 2018	Examination period ends	29 June 2018

Official Holidays 2017-2018	
3 March	National Holiday /Bulgaria's Liberation from the Ottoman Empire/
6 April -9 April	<b>Easter Holidays-</b> Good Friday, Holy Saturday, Easter Sunday and Monday/ according to the Orthodox calendar
1 May	Labour and International Worker's Solidarity Day
6 May	Gergyovden (St. George's Day), and the Bulgarian Army's Day
24 May	Bulgarian Education and Culture, and Slavic Script Day
6 September	Unification Day
22 September	Independence Day
1 November	Day of the Bulgarian Enlighteners (Day off for all the educational institutions)
24-26 December	Christmas

