

(FEBRUARY) MARCH

24	M	T1 Orientation week (T1 Prepare Week 17–21 February)
25	T	
26	W	
27	T	
28	F	
1	S	
2	S	
3	M	Week 1 Teaching period begins
4	T	
5	W	
6	T	
7	F	
8	S	
9	S	
10	M	Week 2 Labour Day – Uni closed
11	T	
12	W	
13	T	
14	F	
15	S	
16	S	
17	M	Week 3
18	T	
19	W	
20	T	
21	F	
22	S	
23	S	
24	M	Week 4
25	T	
26	W	
27	T	Trimester 3 2024 results released
28	F	
29	S	
30	S	
31	M	Week 5 T1 Census date*

APRIL

1	T	
2	W	
3	T	
4	F	
5	S	
6	S	
7	M	Week 6
8	T	
9	W	
10	T	
11	F	
12	S	
13	S	
14	M	Week 7
15	T	
16	W	
17	T	
18	F	Intra-trimester break (18–25 April) Good Friday – Uni closed
19	S	Saturday of Easter weekend – Uni closed
20	S	Easter Sunday – Uni closed
21	M	Easter Monday – Uni closed
22	T	Easter Tuesday – Uni closed
23	W	
24	T	
25	F	ANZAC Day – Uni closed
26	S	
27	S	
28	M	Week 8
29	T	
30	W	

MAY

1	T	
2	F	
3	S	
4	S	
5	M	Week 9
6	T	
7	W	
8	T	
9	F	
10	S	
11	S	
12	M	Week 10
13	T	
14	W	
15	T	
16	F	
17	S	
18	S	
19	M	Week 11
20	T	
21	W	
22	T	
23	F	Teaching period ends
24	S	
25	S	
26	M	T1 study period
27	T	
28	W	
29	T	
30	F	
31	S	

JUNE

1	S	
2	M	End-of-unit assessment and exam period begins
3	T	
4	W	
5	T	
6	F	
7	S	
8	S	
9	M	King's Birthday – Uni closed
10	T	
11	W	
12	T	
13	F	End-of-unit assessment and exam period ends
14	S	
15	S	
16	M	Inter-trimester break (16 June–4 July)
17	T	
18	W	
19	T	
20	F	
21	S	
22	S	
23	M	T2 Prepare week (23–27 June)
24	T	
25	W	
26	T	
27	F	
28	S	
29	S	
30	M	T2 Orientation week

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2025 TRIMESTER 1 PLANNER

2025 TRIMESTER 2 PLANNER

JULY

1	T	T2 Orientation 30 June–4 July
2	W	
3	T	Trimester 1 2025 results released
4	F	
5	S	
6	S	
7	M	Week 1 Teaching period begins
8	T	
9	W	
10	T	
11	F	
12	S	
13	S	
14	M	Week 2
15	T	
16	W	
17	T	
18	F	
19	S	
20	S	
21	M	Week 3
22	T	
23	W	
24	T	
25	F	
26	S	
27	S	
28	M	Week 4
29	T	
30	W	
31	T	

AUGUST

1	F	
2	S	
3	S	
4	M	Week 5
5	T	
6	W	
7	T	
8	F	
9	S	
10	S	
11	M	Intra-trimester break (11–15 August)
12	T	
13	W	
14	T	
15	F	T2 Census date*
16	S	
17	S	
18	M	Week 6
19	T	
20	W	
21	T	
22	F	
23	S	
24	S	
25	M	Week 7
26	T	
27	W	
28	T	
29	F	
30	S	
31	S	

SEPTEMBER

1	M	Week 8
2	T	
3	W	
4	T	
5	F	
6	S	
7	S	
8	M	Week 9
9	T	
10	W	
11	T	
12	F	
13	S	
14	S	
15	M	Week 10
16	T	
17	W	
18	T	
19	F	
20	S	
21	S	
22	M	Week 11
23	T	
24	W	
25	T	Teaching period ends (subject to AFL Grand Final fixture)
26	F	AFL Grand Final Eve – Uni closed (TBC)
27	S	
28	S	
29	M	T2 Study period
30	T	

OCTOBER

1	W	
2	T	
3	F	
4	S	
5	S	
6	M	End-of-unit assessment and exam period begins
7	T	
8	W	
9	T	
10	F	
11	S	
12	S	
13	M	
14	T	
15	W	
16	T	
17	F	End-of-unit assessment and exam period ends
18	S	
19	S	
20	M	Inter-trimester break (20–31 October)
21	T	
22	W	
23	T	
24	F	
25	S	
26	S	
27	M	T3 Orientation Week
28	T	
29	W	
30	T	
31	F	Trimester 2 2025 results released

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NOVEMBER

1	S	
2	S	
3	M	Week 1 Teaching period begins
4	T	Melbourne Cup – Uni closed
5	W	
6	T	
7	F	
8	S	
9	S	
10	M	Week 2
11	T	
12	W	
13	T	
14	F	
15	S	
16	S	
17	M	Week 3
18	T	
19	W	
20	T	
21	F	
22	S	
23	S	
24	M	Week 4
25	T	
26	W	
27	T	
28	F	
29	S	
30	S	

DECEMBER

1	M	Week 5
2	T	
3	W	
4	T	
5	F	
6	S	
7	S	
8	M	Week 6
9	T	
10	W	
11	T	
12	F	
13	S	
14	S	
15	M	Week 7 T3 Census date*
16	T	
17	W	
18	T	
19	F	
20	S	
21	S	
22	M	Intra-trimester break (22 December–4 January)
23	T	
24	W	Uni closed (24 December–4 January)
25	T	Christmas Day – Uni closed
26	F	Boxing Day – Uni closed
27	S	Uni closed
28	S	Uni closed
29	M	Uni closed
30	T	Uni closed
31	W	Uni closed

JANUARY 2026

1	T	New Year's Day – Uni closed
2	F	Uni closed
3	S	Uni closed
4	S	Uni closed
5	M	Week 8
6	T	
7	W	
8	T	
9	F	
10	S	
11	S	
12	M	Week 9
13	T	
14	W	
15	T	
16	F	
17	S	
18	S	
19	M	Week 10
20	T	
21	W	
22	T	
23	F	
24	S	
25	S	
26	M	Week 11 Australia Day – Uni closed
27	T	
28	W	
29	T	
30	F	Teaching period ends
31	S	

FEBRUARY 2026

1	S	
2	M	T3 Study period
3	T	
4	W	
5	T	End-of-unit assessment and exam period begins
6	F	
7	S	
8	S	
9	M	
10	T	
11	W	
12	T	
13	F	End-of-unit assessment and exam period ends
14	S	
15	S	
16	M	Inter-trimester break (16–27 February)
17	T	
18	W	
19	T	
20	F	
21	S	
22	S	
23	M	
24	T	
25	W	
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28	S	

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2025 TRIMESTER 3 PLANNER

Weekly Planner

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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
7 am							
8 am							
9 am							
10 am							
11 am							
12 pm							
1 pm							
2 pm							
3 pm							
4 pm							
5 pm							
6 pm							
7 pm							
8 pm							
9 pm							

Weekly Planner

Using a weekly planner to manage your time

On the weekly planner enter:

- scheduled classes, seminars etc.
- an hour for preview and an hour for review for each one of these university commitments (ideally these should be scheduled immediately before and immediately after classes, seminars and the like).

If your scheduled classes, seminars etc. remain the same for a number of weeks, photocopy your planner (make a number of copies!) before adding anything else. Then, at the start of each week, add:

- paid work obligations
- meal times
- sporting/recreational commitments
- online time
- family commitments
- social events
- 'me' time.

There should be some white squares left! What are you going to do with them?

Firstly, you have to decide how many hours you need per area of study – and block them in! Remember, some weeks you may have a commitment all day Sunday and so are unable to allow any study time; in other weeks you might nominate Sunday to be full of study commitments – that's why you complete a new planner each week.

How much study time should you allow per unit?

It is generally recommended you allow **10 hours per unit per week** which includes classes and seminar time. However, some areas of study require more than this.

If you haven't got enough time for everything then prioritising what you need to do is the key.

Weekly planners are just one way of organising your time effectively – you also need a **trimester** planner for entering exam dates and assignment deadlines to give you an overview of the months ahead.

A **daily list** is needed too – what exactly do you intend to do in that two hours you blocked in on your weekly planner for example? Remember to be **specific** with your list:

- read McDonald chapters 3 & 4 (NOT 'do reading'!)
- analyse assignment question 2 & make a draft plan (NOT 'start assignment'!)