



ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024-2025

Opening hours

During semesters, the AUC Academic Building is open:

- Monday – Thursday: 08.00-22.00
- Friday: 08.00-19.00
- Saturday – Sunday: 12.00-18.00

Please note that during class-free weeks (i.e. reading weeks, proper break weeks and wrap-up weeks) the AUC building is open from Monday to Friday from 08.00 to 18.00. During the weekend that follows a class-free week, the building will be closed.

Semester 1 (Autumn)

Weeks

36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5
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- Teaching weeks
- Reading/wrap-up week
- Proper break or holiday break

16-week period:

Monday, 2 September 2024 – Friday, 20 December 2024

4-week period:

Monday, 6 January 2025 – Friday, 31 January 2025

Class-free weeks:

Each 16-week period includes three class-free weeks. AUC differentiates between a proper break, a reading week and a wrap-up week. During these weeks, no classes take place and the AUC building is open according to an adjusted schedule (Monday to Friday, 08.00 to 18.00).

- Reading week: 21 October 2024 – 25 October 2024 (Week 43)
- Proper break week: 28 October 2024 – 1 November 2024 (Week 44)
- Wrap-up week: 16 December 2024 – 20 December 2024 (Week 51)

The AUC building is closed on:

- Saturday, 26 October 2024 & Sunday, 27 October 2024
- Saturday, 2 November 2024 & Sunday, 3 November 2024
- Saturday, 21 December 2024 – Sunday, 5 January 2025*

The university, including UvA and VU, is closed (and there are no services):




- Wednesday, 25 December 2024 to Wednesday, 1 January 2025

**Please note that AUC staff will be working remotely and can only be reached digitally on 23 and 24 December 2024, and on 2 and 3 January 2025.*

Semester 2 (Spring)

Weeks

6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
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	Teaching weeks
	Reading/wrap-up week
	Proper break or holiday break

16-week period:

Monday, 3 February 2025 – Wednesday, 28 May 2025

4-week period:

Monday, 2 June 2025 – Friday, 27 June 2025

Class-free weeks:

Each 16-week period includes three class-free weeks. AUC differentiates between a proper break, a reading week and a wrap-up week. During these weeks, no classes take place and the AUC building is open according to an adjusted schedule (Monday to Friday, 08.00 to 18.00).

- Proper break week: 3 February 2025 – 7 February 2025 (Week 6)
- Reading week: 28 April 2025 – 2 May 2025 (Week 18)
- Wrap-up week: 26 May 2025 – 30 May 2025 (Week 22)

The AUC building is closed on:

- Saturday, 8 February & Sunday, 9 February 2025
- Friday, 18 April – Monday, 21 April 2025 (Easter)
- Saturday, 26 April & Sunday, 27 April 2025 (King's Day celebrated on 26 April)
- Saturday, 3 May – Monday, 5 May 2025 (Liberation Day)
- Thursday, 29 May – Sunday, 1 June 2025 (Ascension Day on 29 May)
- Saturday, 7 June – Monday, 9 June 2025 (Whit Monday)
- Saturday, 28 June & Sunday, 29 June 2025

From 30 June 2025 there will be adjusted opening hours for the summer recess. The details will be announced in June 2025 on the AUC website.