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2026/2027 KEY DATES

DATE	DESCRIPTION
1-3 Sept	Re-orientation for Years 2-4
7-11 Sept	Placement Preparation: Year 2 Social Care
7 Sept	Semester 1 Classes commence for Years 2-4 Classes commence for postgraduates
27-30 Oct	Reading Week
4 Dec	Last Day of Classes (Semester 1)
7-16 Dec	Semester 1 Examinations
23 Dec - 3 Jan	Christmas Break (College Closed)
11-15 Jan	Placement Preparation: Year 3 Social Care
18 Jan	Semester 2 Classes commence for All Years
15-19 Feb	Reading Week
26 Mar - 4 Apr	Easter Break (College Closed)
23 Apr	Last Day of Classes (Semester 2)
26-30 Apr	Reading Week
4-14 May	Semester 2 Examinations
29 July - 6 Aug	Autumn Examinations



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