



2010 Academic Calendar (Higher Education)

The University of Ballarat operates from Monday 4 January to Friday, 24 December 2010.

Block mode and other teaching/learning activities e.g. vacation schools and weekend schools that fall outside identified semester periods may be conducted at any time throughout the calendar year.

SEMESTER ONE – 2010		
Mon 1 March - Mon 28 June		
	No. of Weeks	Dates
Orientation Week		Monday 22 February – Friday 26 February
First lecture period <i>(Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks) [includes Labour Day 8 March]</i>	5	Monday 1 March – Thursday 1 April
Lecture break <i>(includes Easter break 2-6 April)</i>	(2)	Friday 2 April – Friday 16 April
Second lecture period <i>(Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks) [includes Anzac Day 'observed' 26 April]</i>	7	Monday 19 April – Friday 4 June
Swot Vac period <i>(Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week)</i>	1	Monday 7 June – Friday 11 June
Semester 1 Examinations <i>(Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during these weeks).</i>	2	Tuesday 15 June – Monday 28 June

LECTURE BREAK: Mon 28 June - Fri 23 July (4 weeks)*

SEMESTER TWO – 2010		
Mon 26 July - Fri 19 November		
	No. of Weeks	Dates
First lecture period <i>(Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks)</i>	8	Monday 26 July – Friday 17 September
Lecture break	(2)	Monday 20 September – Friday 1 October
Second lecture period <i>(Continuous teaching, learning and assessment weeks)</i>	4	Monday 4 October – Friday 29 October
Swot Vac period <i>(Preparation week for final assessment. No tests or examinations to be scheduled in this week)</i>	1	Monday 1 November – Friday 5 November
Semester 2 Examinations <i>(Final assessment weeks. Centrally administered examinations will be scheduled during these weeks)</i>	2	Monday 8 November – Friday 19 November

* Lecture breaks do not exclude the possibility of learning experiences such as excursions, consultation and research.

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS: 2010			
New Year's Day	Frid	1	January
Australia Day	Tues	26	January
Labour Day	Mon	8	March
Good Friday	Fri	2	April
Easter Monday	Mon	5	April
Easter Tuesday	Tue	6	April
Anzac Day	Sun	25	April
Anzac Day observed	Mon	26	April
Queen's Birthday	Mon	14	June
Christmas Day	Sat	25	December
Boxing Day	Sun	26	December
Xmas Day Holiday	Mon	27	December
Boxing Day Holiday	Tues	28	December

AVCC COMMON VACATION DATES: 2010

Week beginning Mon 5 April
 Week beginning Mon 5 July
 Week beginning Mon 27 September

SCHOOL TERM DATES: 2010

Term 1: Wed 27 Jan – Fri 26 March
 Term 2: Mon 12 April – Fri 25 June
 Term 3: Mon 12 July – Fri 17 Sept
 Term 4: Mon 4 Oct – Fri 17 Dec

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS: 2010

Mon 29 March – Fri 9 April
 Mon 28 June – Fri 9 July
 Mon 20 Sept – Fri 1 Oct