

2023—2024

**Doshisha University, Center for Global Education / Center for Japanese Language and Culture**  
**Academic Calendar 2023**

Spring Semester (April – September)

Fall Semester (September – March)

**2023**

APR	1 (Sat)	Start of Spring Semester
	2 (Sun)	Orientation for New Students (including Course Registration)
	7 (Fri)	
	8 (Sat)	
	28 (Fri)	Final date of Tuition Payment
	29 (Sat)	Holidays (Golden Week)
MAY	5 (Fri)	
JUL	17 (Mon)	Marine Day (Classes held)
	28 (Fri)	Last Day of Classes
	29 (Sat)	Final Examinations begin
AUG	10 (Thu)	Final Examinations end
	11 (Fri)	Spare day of Final Examination/ Summer Recess begins
SEP	14 (Thu)	Summer Recess ends / End of Spring Semester

SEP	15 (Fri)	Start of Fall Semester
	16 (Sat)	Orientation for New Students (including Course Registration)
	22 (Fri)	
	25 (Mon)	
OCT	9 (Mon)	Sports Day (Classes held)
	31 (Tue)	Final date of Tuition Payment
NOV	3 (Fri)	Culture Day (Holiday)
	4 (Sat)	Doshisha Clover Festival
	5 (Sun)	
	5 (Sun)	Sports Festival
	23 (Thu)	Labor Thanksgiving Day (Holiday)
	26 (Sun)	Doshisha Eve (no classes)
	27 (Mon)	
	28 (Tue)	
	29 (Wed)	Anniversary of Establishment (University holiday)
DEC	23 (Sat)	Winter Recess begins
	25 (Mon)	Nativity (University holiday)

**2024**

JAN	8 (Mon)	Winter Recess ends
	8 (Mon)	Coming of Age Day (Holiday)
	9 (Tue)	Classes recommence
	23 (Tue)	Founder's Day
	29 (Mon)	Last Day of Classes
	30 (Tue)	Final Examinations begin
FEB	12 (Mon)	Makeup holiday (Examination day)
	17 (Sat)	Final Examinations end
MAR	31 (Sun)	End of Fall Semester