



Pontificio Istituto
di Musica Sacra

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027

October 1-31	AUTUMN EXAM SESSION
October 5	ANGELUS WITH THE ENTIRE ACADEMIC COMMUNITY, 12:00 PM - <i>start of classes</i>
October 8	HOLY MASS FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR WITH POPE LEO XIV (PONTIFICAL UNIVERSITIES), 6:00 PM, St. Peter's Basilica.
October 9	MEETING OF THE CANDIDATES FOR THE PROPAEDEUTIC PROGRAM, 10:30 AM
October 27	HOLY MASS FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR, 12:00 PM
November 1	ALL SAINTS' DAY - <i>holiday</i>
November 2	COMMEMORATION OF THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED - <i>holiday</i>
November 14	18TH MEETING OF DOCTORAL STUDENTS
November 24	HOLY MASS (ST. CECILIA) - GRADUATION CEREMONY, 10:30 AM
December 8	IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF THE B. V. MARY - <i>holiday</i>
December 21	BEGINNING OF CHRISTMAS VACATION
January 11	RESUMPTION OF CLASSES
February 8-19	WINTER EXAM SESSION - BREAK (February 15-19)
February 11	LATERAN PACTS - <i>holiday</i>
February 15-22	ADMISSION EXAMS
February 15-19	FIRST SEMINAR FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS
March 19	ST. JOSEPH - <i>holiday</i>
March 22	BEGINNING OF EASTER VACATION
April 5	RESUMPTION OF CLASSES
May 1	ST. JOSEPH THE WORKER - <i>holiday</i>
May 6	ASCENSION OF THE LORD - <i>holiday</i>
May 8	ANNIVERSARY OF THE ELECTION OF HIS HOLINESS - <i>holiday</i>
May 27	CORPUS CHRISTI - <i>holiday</i>
May 28	END OF CLASSES
May 31	HOLY MASS AT THE END OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR, 12:00 PM
June 1 - July 9	SUMMER EXAM SESSION - BREAK
June 18	DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF ADMISSION APPLICATIONS
June 29	SS. PETER AND PAUL - <i>holiday</i>
June 30	ADMISSION EXAMS (LICENSE)
July 2, 5, 6	ADMISSION EXAMS (COMPOSITION)
July 7-8	ADMISSION EXAMS (BACHELOR)
July 9	END OF SUMMER EXAM SESSION
September 17	NAME DAY OF THE HOLY FATHER - <i>holiday</i>
September 20-24	SECOND SEMINAR FOR DOCTORAL STUDENTS