

## AY2019 Academic Schedule for Graduate School of Science and Technology

Spring semester		Fall semester	
Date	Schedule	Date	Schedule
April	1 Spring semester starts /Spring break (until Apr. 3) 1 Period of tuition fee payment for spring semester (due Apr. 30) 4 Entrance ceremony (GSST entrance ceremony), Academic guidance 8 Spring semester lectures start Mid. Annual health check-up for students 19 Class registration deadline for spring semester 30 Submission deadline for "Personal Accident Insurance for students Pursuing Education and Research" (After the deadline, individual applications can be accepted.) 30 No lectures	October	1 Period of tuition fee payment for fall semester (due Oct. 31) 1 Entrance ceremony (GSST entrance ceremony), Academic guidance 2 Fall semester lectures start 14 Lecture day (Lectures are held although this date is a national holiday.) 15 Class registration deadline for fall semester 22 Lecture day (Lectures are held although this date is a national holiday.)
May	2 No lectures Late Application for Preliminary Thesis Review (For Sept. 2019 Doctoral course graduates)	November	1 Kumamoto University Foundation Day (No lectures) Early Kumamoto University Festival (No lectures on Nov.1 and 5) 27 Supplementary lecture day
June	4.5 Supplementary lecture day	December	Early Application for Preliminary Thesis Review (For Mar. 2020 Doctoral course graduates) 25 Winter break starts (until Jan. 6)
July	6 Entrance exam for Master's course (Recommendation) 15 Lecture day Mid. Application for Thesis Review (For Sept. 2019 Doctoral course graduates)	January	7 Lectures start 13 Lecture day 17 No lectures (Set up venues for National Center Test for University Admissions/ preliminary inspection) 18-19 National Center Test for University Admissions Mid. Application for Thesis Review (For Mar. 2020 Doctoral course graduates) 22 Entrance exam for Doctoral course-(2nd)Regular program April admission (General, Working adults, Advanced students) 23-24 Entrance exam for Master's course-(2nd)Regular program April admission (General, Working adults, International students) 23 Lecture day
August	Early Thesis Defense (For Sept. 2019 graduates) 7 Registration deadline for academic record of spring semester (For Sept. 2019 graduates) 8 Summer break starts (until Sept.30) 21 Entrance exam for Doctoral course-Regular program April admission (General, Working adults, Advanced students) October admission (General, Working adults, International students, Returnee students) 22-23 Entrance exam for Master's course-Regular program April admission (General, Working adults) October admission (Working adults, International students) 30 Registration deadline for academic record of spring semester (For Non-graduates)	February	Early Thesis Defense (For Mar. 2020 graduates) 14 Registration deadline for academic record of fall semester (For Mar. 2020 graduates) 19 Entrance exam for Master's course-Regular program April admission (3rd year KU undergraduate students) Entrance exam for Doctoral course-(3rd) Regular program April admission (General, Working adults, Advanced students) 28 Registration deadline for academic record of fall semester (For Non-graduates)
September	25 Graduation Ceremony, Degree Conferment Ceremony (For Sept. 2019 graduates) 30 Summer break ends	March	24 Graduation Ceremony, Degree Conferment Ceremony (For Mar. 2020 graduates) 31 Academic year ends