

2016/17

- Term starts/stops
 - Teaching starts/stops
 - Exams
 - Degree ceremonies
 - University closed
- Closes at 12.30pm on 13 April

2016 – 2017 Session

21 September 2016 to 16 June 2017

Term 1: 26 September – 9 December 2016

Semester 1 teaching starts 26 Sep, ends 9 Dec

Term 2: 9 January – 24 March 2017

Semester 2 teaching starts 23 Jan, ends 5 May

Term 3: 24 April – 16 June 2017

2017 – 18 Session

20 September 2017 to 15 June 2018

Term 1: 25 September – 8 December 2017

Semester 1 teaching starts 25 Sep, ends 8 Dec

Term 2: 8 January – 16 March 2018

Semester 2 teaching starts 22 Jan, ends 4 May

Term 3: 16 April – 15 June 2018

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September 2016						
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October 2016						
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November 2016						
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December 2016						
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May 2017						
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June 2017						
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July 2017						
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August 2017						
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2016/17

The Equality Policy Unit and Leeds University Union have identified a selection of key holy days and festivals during which some staff and students may wish not to participate in University activities. Some festivals are linked to the lunar cycle and may be subject to change of date. Different traditions may use alternative dates from those shown here.

Bahá'í

13 November	Birth of the Báb
14 November	Birth of Bahá'u'lláh
25–28 February	Intercalary Days
1–19 March	The Nineteen Day Fast
20 March	Naw Ruz (New year)
20 April	First day of Ridván
28 April	Ninth day of Ridván
1 May	12th day of Ridván
23 May	Declaration of the Báb
28 May	Ascension of the Báb
9 July	Martyrdom of the Báb

Buddhism

8 December	Bodhi Day
29 January	New Year
15 February	Nirvana Day
12 March	Magha Puja Day
11–14 April	Theravadin New Year
10 May	Visakha Puja/Buddha Day
9 July	Asalha Puja Day/Dharma Day

Christianity

25 December	Christmas Day
14 April	Good Friday
16 April	Easter Day

Hinduism

5 September	Ganesh Charurthi
1–11 October	Navaratri
30th October	Diwali
1 February	Vasant Panchami – Saraswati Puja
25 February	Maha Shivaratri
13–14 March	Holi
31 March	Hanuman Jayanti
5 April	Ramanavami
25 June	Ratha Yatra
7 August	Raksha Bandhan
15 August	Krishna Janmashtami
25 August	Ganesh Charurthi

Further information (including guidance on responding to requests from staff and students for flexibility on grounds of religion or belief) is available from the Equality Policy Unit.

Islam

11 September	Eid-al-Adha
2 October	Al-Hijra – Islamic New Year
11 October	Ashura
25 May–25 June	Ramadan
25 June	Eid-al-Fitr

Judaism

2–4 October	Rosh Hashanah
12 October	Yom Kippur
16–23 October	Sukkot
23–25 October	Shemini Atzeret/Simchat Torah
24 December–1 January	Hanukkah/Chanukah
12 March	Purim
10–18 April	Passover (Pesach)
30 May–1 June	Shavuot
31 July–1 August	Ninth of Av

Sikhism

30 October	Diwali
14 November	Birthday of Guru Nanak
24 November	Martyrdom of Guru Tegh Bahdur
5 January	Birth of Guru Gobind Singh
13 March	Hola Mohalla
14 April	Baisakhi/Vaisakhi
16 June	Martyrdom of Guru Arjan Dev

