



2026 Semesterly Academic Calendar

SEMESTER ONE	
NICA Orientation (Compulsory)	Monday 19 - Friday 23 January
NICA classes start	Tuesday 27 January
Collarts Classes Start	Monday 2 March
NICA census date	Friday 6 March
Labour Day Holiday (Closed)	Monday 9 March
Collarts Census Date	Friday 20 March
Collarts Mid Semester Break/Consolidation week	Monday 13 April to Friday 17 April
Easter Holidays (Closed)	Friday 3 April to Monday 6 April
ANZAC Day (Closed)	Saturday 25 April
Collarts & NICA Graduation Ceremony	Wednesday 22 April
Collarts Last Day of Classes	Friday 29 May
Monarch's Official Birthday (Closed)	Monday 9 June
NICA Sem 1 last day of Classes	Friday 19 June
NICA Curriculum Day	Wednesday 17 June
NICA/Collarts Last day to submit results	Wednesday 24 June
NICA Results review committee (internal)	Wednesday 1 July
Collarts/NICA Results Committee Meetings	Monday 6 July
Collarts & NICA Publication of Results	Friday 10 July
SEMESTER TWO	
NICA S2 teaching starts	Monday 13 July
Collarts Classes Start	Monday 3 August
NICA Census Date	Friday 14 August
Collarts Census date	Friday 21 August
Collarts Mid Semester Break /Consolidation Week	Monday 14 September to Friday 18 September
Friday before the AFL Grand Final (Closed)	Friday 25 September (TBC)
Melbourne Cup Day (Closed)	Tuesday 3 November
Collarts Last Day of Classes	Friday 30 October
NICA Curriculum day	Wednesday 2 December
NICA Last day of classes	Friday 4 December
NICA Results Due	Wednesday 9 December
NICA Results review Committee (internal)	Thursday 10 December
Collarts/NICA Results Committee Meetings	Monday 14 December
Collarts/NICA Results publication	Friday 18 December
Collarts & NICA Closed for Christmas/New Year Period 2026/27	TBC
2027 Collarts & NICA Campuses Re-Open	TBC