

## Academic Calendar 2026-27 - PG Theatre Programmes

The Academic Calendar is subject to change if there is unexpected disruption.

Students must be in attendance during **Enrolment/Induction**, **Teaching** and **Assessment** weeks as marked on the calendar. Assessment schedules will be published in advance of assessment weeks.

Attendance is not generally required during **Reading** and **Vacation** weeks however make-up teaching and deferred assessments may be scheduled during these periods. If this is the case, students will be consulted in advance.

Academic staff development and Module/Programme Boards are for staff only.

| Week commencing Monday |    |         | SITS Weeks | Celcat week number | Trimester | Teaching week number | MA Theatre programmes               |
|------------------------|----|---------|------------|--------------------|-----------|----------------------|-------------------------------------|
| August                 | 17 | 2026    | 3          | 1                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 24 |         | 4          | 2                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 31 | BH Mon  | 5          | 3                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation (BH Mon)            |
| September              | 7  |         | 6          | 4                  |           |                      | Academic staff development          |
|                        | 14 |         | 7          | 5                  |           |                      | Enrolment & induction               |
|                        | 21 |         | 8          | 6                  | 1         |                      | Week 1                              |
|                        | 28 |         | 9          | 7                  |           |                      | Week 2                              |
| October                | 5  |         | 10         | 8                  |           |                      | Week 3                              |
|                        | 12 |         | 11         | 9                  |           |                      | Week 4                              |
|                        | 19 |         | 12         | 10                 |           |                      | Week 5                              |
|                        | 26 |         | 13         | 11                 |           |                      | Week 6 R&D WEEK                     |
| November               | 2  |         | 14         | 12                 |           |                      | Reading Week                        |
|                        | 9  |         | 15         | 13                 |           |                      | Week 7                              |
|                        | 16 |         | 16         | 14                 |           |                      | Week 8                              |
|                        | 23 |         | 17         | 15                 |           |                      | Week 9                              |
|                        | 30 |         | 18         | 16                 |           |                      | Week 10                             |
| December               | 7  |         | 19         | 17                 |           |                      | Week 11                             |
|                        | 14 |         | 20         | 18                 |           |                      | Christmas Vacation                  |
|                        | 21 | BH BH   | 21         | 19                 |           |                      | Christmas Vacation / CLOSURE        |
| December               | 28 | BH 2027 | 22         | 20                 |           |                      | Christmas Vacation / CLOSURE        |
| January                | 4  |         | 23         | 21                 | 2         |                      | Week 12                             |
|                        | 11 |         | 24         | 22                 |           |                      | Week 13                             |
|                        | 18 |         | 25         | 23                 |           |                      | Week 14                             |
|                        | 25 |         | 26         | 24                 |           |                      | Week 15                             |
| February               | 1  |         | 27         | 25                 |           |                      | Week 16                             |
|                        | 8  |         | 28         | 26                 |           |                      | Reading Week                        |
|                        | 15 |         | 29         | 27                 |           |                      | Week 17 R&D WEEK                    |
|                        | 22 |         | 30         | 28                 |           |                      | Week 18                             |
| March                  | 1  |         | 31         | 29                 |           |                      | Week 19                             |
|                        | 8  |         | 32         | 30                 |           |                      | Week 20                             |
|                        | 15 |         | 33         | 31                 |           |                      | Week 21                             |
|                        | 22 | BH Fri  | 34         | 32                 |           |                      | Week 22 (BH Fri)                    |
| March                  | 29 | BH Mon  | 35         | 33                 |           |                      | Easter Vacation                     |
| April                  | 5  |         | 36         | 34                 |           |                      | Easter Vacation                     |
|                        | 12 |         | 37         | 35                 |           |                      | Week 23                             |
|                        | 19 |         | 38         | 36                 |           |                      | Week 24                             |
|                        | 26 |         | 39         | 37                 | 3         |                      | Week 25                             |
| May                    | 3  | BH Mon  | 40         | 38                 |           |                      | Week 26 (BH Mon)                    |
|                        | 10 |         | 41         | 39                 |           |                      | Week 27                             |
|                        | 17 |         | 42         | 40                 |           |                      | Week 28                             |
|                        | 24 |         | 43         | 41                 |           |                      | Week 29                             |
|                        | 31 | BH Mon  | 44         | 42                 |           |                      | Reading Week (BH Mon)               |
| June                   | 7  |         | 45         | 43                 |           |                      | Week 30                             |
|                        | 14 |         | 46         | 44                 |           |                      | Week 31                             |
|                        | 21 |         | 47         | 45                 |           |                      | Week 32                             |
| June                   | 28 |         | 48         | 46                 |           |                      | Week 33                             |
| July                   | 5  |         | 49         | 47                 |           |                      | Major Project                       |
|                        | 12 |         | 50         | 48                 |           |                      | Major Project                       |
|                        | 19 |         | 51         | 49                 |           |                      | Major Project                       |
|                        | 26 |         | 52         | 50                 |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
| August                 | 2  |         | 1          | 51                 |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 9  |         | 2          | 52                 |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 16 |         | 3          | 1                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 23 |         | 4          | 2                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation                     |
|                        | 30 | BH Mon  | 5          | 3                  |           |                      | Summer Vacation (BH Mon)            |
| September              | 6  |         | 6          | 4                  |           |                      | Academic staff development          |
|                        | 13 |         | 7          | 5                  |           |                      | Enrolment & induction (2027 cohort) |

Trimester 1: 21st September 2026 - 3rd January 2027

Trimester 2: 4th January 2027 - 25th April 2027

Trimester 3: 26th April 2027 - 25th July 2027