

Organization of the academic year

The academic year is divided into 3 quadrimesters (four-month periods).
(See specific terms for each subject area in each Apparitorat (student affairs office))

One year of university is primarily made up of periods of :

- teaching, training and learning activities
- revision sessions, tests or exams
- free time and holidays

You will need to be organized, and manage and use your time efficiently in order to make progress in your work while remaining motivated and well-balanced : health, leisure, well-being.

Academic schedule 2012-2013

QUADRIMESTERS

- **1st quadrimester :**
 - **teaching activities :** from Monday 17th September to Saturday 22nd December 2012
 - **holidays :** from Monday 24th December 2012 to Saturday 5th January 2013
 - **session :** from Monday 7th January to Saturday 26th January 2013
 - **leave :** from Monday 28th January to Saturday 2nd February 2013
- **2nd quadrimester :**
 - **teaching activities :** from Monday 4th February to Saturday 18th May 2013
 - **holidays :** from Monday 1st April to Saturday 13th April 2013
 - **session :** from Monday 20th May to Saturday 29th June 2013
- **3rd quadrimester :**
 - **holidays :** from Monday 1st July to Monday 15th August 2013
 - **session :** from Tuesday 16th August to Saturday 14th September 2013

LEAVE

University activities are suspended :

- on Sundays
- on Thursday 27th September 2012 (French Community Day)
- on Thursday 1st and Friday 2nd November 2012 (All Saints' Day and following day)
- on Monday 11th and on Tuesday 12th February 2013 (Shrove Monday and Tuesday), in accordance with tradition
- on Monday 1st April (Easter Monday)
- on Wednesday 1st May 2013 (Labour Day)
- on Thursday 9th May 2013 (Ascension Day)
- on Monday 20th May 2013 (Whit Monday)
- on Thursday 15th August 2013 (Assumption Day)