

ESSB Bachelor 1, 2 and 3		
Week	Academic year 2025 - 2026	
35	25 aug - 31 aug	Teaching Free week/prep/KMT
36	1 sep - 7 sep	Teaching week 1.1
37	8 sep - 14 sep	Teaching week 1.2
38	15 sep - 21 sep	Teaching week 1.3
39	22 sep - 28 sep	Teaching week 1.4
40	29 sep - 5 okt	Teaching week 1.5
41	6 okt - 12 okt	Teaching week 1.6
42	13 okt - 19 okt	Teaching week 1.7
43	20 okt - 26 okt	Teaching week 1.8
44	27 okt - 2 nov	Assessment week
45	3 nov - 9 nov	Teaching Free week
46	10 nov - 16 nov	Teaching week 2.1
47	17 nov - 23 nov	Teaching week 2.2
48	24 nov - 30 nov	Teaching week 2.3
49	1 dec - 7 dec	Teaching week 2.4
50	8 dec - 14 dec	Teaching week 2.5
51	15 dec - 21 dec	Teaching Free week
52	22 dec - 28 dec	Winter Recess
1	29 dec - 4 jan	Winter Recess
2	5 jan - 11 jan	Teaching week 2.6
3	12 jan - 18 jan	Teaching week 2.7
4	19 jan - 25 jan	Teaching week 2.8
5	26 jan - 1 feb	Assessment week
6	2 feb - 8 feb	Teaching Free & Resit week
7	9 feb - 15 feb	Teaching week 3.1
8	16 feb - 22 feb	Teaching week 3.2
9	23 feb - 1 mrt	Teaching week 3.3
10	2 mrt - 8 mrt	Teaching week 3.4
11	9 mrt - 15 mrt	Teaching week 3.5
12	16 mrt - 22 mrt	Teaching week 3.6
13	23 mrt - 29 mrt	Teaching week 3.7
14	30 mrt - 5 apr	Teaching week 3.8
15	6 apr - 12 apr	Assessment week
16	13 apr - 19 apr	Teaching Free & Resit week
17	20 apr - 26 apr	Teaching week 4.1
18	27 apr - 3 mel	Teaching week 4.2
19	4 mel - 10 mel	Teaching week 4.3
20	11 mel - 17 mel	Teaching week 4.4
21	18 mel - 24 mel	Teaching week 4.5
22	25 mel - 31 mel	Teaching week 4.6
23	1 jun - 7 jun	Teaching week 4.7
24	8 jun - 14 jun	Teaching week 4.8
25	15 jun - 21 jun	Assessment week
26	22 jun - 28 jun	Teaching Free & Resit week
27	29 jun - 5 jul	Resit week
28	6 jul - 12 jul	Resit week
29	13 jul - 19 jul	Teaching Free week
30	20 jul - 26 jul	Summer Recess
31	27 jul - 2 aug	Summer Recess
32	3 aug - 9 aug	Summer Recess
33	10 aug - 16 aug	Summer Recess
34	17 aug - 23 aug	Teaching Free week/prep/EUREKA
35	24 aug - 30 aug	Teaching Free week/prep/KMT

## Legenda

### Teaching week

## Definitions

Teaching week (Dutch: 'onderwijsweek'): week with scheduled curricular education activities including lectures, tutorials, seminars and mandatory thesis supervision. Weeks in which only exams and/or resits and/or an exam training are planned are not counted as teaching weeks. Weeks that provide a combination of exams and/or resits and scheduled mandatory curricular education activities count as teaching weeks.

### Teaching free week

Teaching-free week (Dutch: 'onderwijsvrije week'): week with no scheduled curricular education activities including lectures, tutorials, seminars, exams and resits. Activities that may take place in a teaching-free week concern extra-curricular activities, self-study, coaching/guidance/mentoring, check-ins, consultation moments for exams, group work including deadlines (e.g., for papers/assignments).

### Assessment week

### Resit

Assessment week/resit week: Week in which only exams and/or resits and/or exam training(s) are planned. In case scheduled curricular education activities are also planned in the same week, the week is counted as a teaching week.[1]  
[1] Exceptions: in cases when the exam board grants additional assessment opportunities (for individual students) the exams may be scheduled in a recess or a teaching-free week.

### Recess

Recess: a period with no scheduled curricular activities, no extra-curricular activities organised by the schools such as honours class meetings, no exams, resits or deadlines. Private time of staff and students is respected and in principle communication between students and staff (e.g., supervision, questions, announcements) is restricted. Recess can, where necessary and restricted to resits, still be used for correcting exams/assignments and thesis supervision.

## Holidays 2025-2026

25-Dec-2025	Christmas Day
26-Dec-2025	Boxing Day
1-Jan-2026	New Year's Day
3-Apr-2026	Good Friday
6-Apr-2026	Easter Monday
27-Apr-2026	King's Day
5-May-2026	Liberation Day
14-May-2026	Ascension Day
25-May-2026	Whit Monday