

ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS BOLOGNA

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027

FIRST SEMESTER	LESSONS: October 12 th 2026 – January 30 th 2027 ART CITY: February 3 rd - 7 th 2027
	EXAMS: February 8 th - February 27 th 2027 (Two calls each session)
SECOND SEMESTER	LESSONS: March 8 th – June 19 th 2027 Including OPENTOUR (final exhibitions and events): June 14 th - 19 th 2027
	EXAMS: June 21 nd - July 10 th 2027 (Two calls each session)

Public holidays

All Saints' Day	November 1 st 2026 (Sunday)
Immaculate Conception	December 7 th and 8 th 2026 (Monday and Tuesday)
Christmas Holidays	from the 24 th of December 2026 to the 6 th of January 2027 (included) Lessons from January 7th!
Easter Holidays	from the 25 th to the 30 th of March 2027 Lessons from March 31st (Wednesday)!
Liberation Day	April 25 th 2027 (Sunday)
International Workers' Day	May 1 st 2027 (Saturday)
Republic Day	June 2 nd 2026 (Wednesday)

Information about the Calendar / Academic Year 2026-2027

The academic year is divided in two terms (Semesters) of around five months each, the First Semester (it's the Winter one), and the Second Semester (it's the Summer one); each of them after the end of the lessons includes an exam session, usually lasting around three weeks for the two different sessions.

Some courses in the First Semester only, some others in the Second Semester only, and annual classes.

At the Fine Arts Academy of Bologna classes are held from Monday to Saturday.