



Academic Year Rules

- 1 (a) Subject to the following sub-sections of this clause the Council shall from time to time specify the periods of the calendar year that shall constitute the academic year for teaching, examinations and vacation periods. Such specifications may divide the calendar year into semesters or into three or more terms.
 - (b) For the clinical years of the medical, dental and nursing programs the Council may prescribe dates other than those of the normal academic year for the performance by undergraduates of part of their training and work in hospitals; provided that such undergraduates shall be enabled to have not less than eight weeks of vacation in any calendar year.
 - (c) For practical tuition in music within the degree program and all single subject tuition in the Elder Conservatorium of Music the Council may prescribe dates other than those of the normal academic year.
 - (d) For candidates proceeding to a degree of master or doctor the academic year shall be the same as a calendar year; provided that any such student may have a vacation period or periods aggregating four weeks in each full year of study and research.
 - (e) The Council shall have power to vary these dates to meet any special circumstances arising in any year.
- 2 A candidate shall enroll for the year's work not later than the date prescribed by the Council. An enrolment submitted after that date shall not necessarily be accepted, and if accepted shall incur such late enrolment fee as the Council may prescribe unless there be adequate reason why it had not been submitted by the prescribed date. Application for remission of the late enrolment fee must be made in writing.
- 3 (a) Subject to subsections (b) and (c) of this clause, all fees and charges in any academic year shall be paid at the time of enrolment.
 - (b) A student shall be liable for any increase, or entitled to refund of any decrease, in the total fee so paid that may arise through variation of enrolment during the year.
 - (c) An extension of time for payment of fees may be allowed. A student who fails to pay fees as prescribed in sub-section (a) of this clause or within such extended time as may have been allowed shall incur such additional fee as may be prescribed by the Council.

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