



Birla Institute of Technology & Science, Pilani

Academic Calendar 2026-27

Semester I

July 3 (F)	Practice School II Registration
July 3 (F)	Practice School II begins
July 19 (Su)	Convocation 2026, Pilani campus
July 26 (Su)	Convocation 2026, Hyderabad Campus
July 28 (T) - 30 (Th)	Reporting for new semester
July 30 (Th)	Admissions and Parent interaction with leadership
July 31 (F)	Orientation Program I for new admissions
August 1 (S)	Semester I begins
August 1 (S)	Registration
August 2 (Su)	Orientation Program II for new admissions
August 3 (M)	Classwork begins
August 9 (Su)	Convocation 2026, Goa Campus
August 15 (S)	Independence Day (H)
August 17 (M)	Last date for substitution of courses
August 22 (S)	Orientation Program III for new admissions
August 26 (W)	Milad-un-Nabi (H)
August 28 (F)	Raksha Bandhan (H)
September 4 (F)	Janmashtami (H)
September 14 (M)	Ganesh Chaturthi (H)
September 21 (M)	Last day of withdrawal from courses (tentative)
October 2 (F)	Gandhi Jayanti (H)
October 5 (M)—October 10 (S)	Mid-semester Examinations (classwork suspended)
October 20 (T)	Dussehra (H)
October 28 (W)	Last date for returning evaluated answer scripts of Mid-Semester exams
October 31 (S)	Last date for declaring Mid-semester grading
November 7 (W)	Deepavali (H)
November 24 (T)	Guru Nanak Jayanti (H)
November 27 (F)	Last date for classwork
November 27 (F) - 28 (S)	Test/Interview for II Semester 2026-27 Ph.D. Admissions
November 30 (M)	Last date for display of pre-comprehensive marks
December 1 (T)	Comprehensive examinations begin
December 16 (W)	Practice School II ends
December 16 (W)	Comprehensive Examinations end
December 18 (F)	First Semester ends
December 19 (S)	Goa Liberation Day (H for Goa Campus)
December 20 (Su)—January 3 (Su)	Recess for students

December 25 (F)	Christmas (H)
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Semester II

January 4 (M)	Registration for Practice School II
January 4 (M)	Practice School II begins
January 6 (W)	Registration for all students
January 7 (Th)	Classwork begins
January 15 (F)	Makar Sankranti (H)
January 23 (S)	Last date for substitution of courses
January 26 (T)	Republic Day (H)
February 11 (Th)	Vasant Panchami and Founder's Day (H for Pilani Campus)
February 25 (Th)	Last date for withdrawal from courses (tentative)
March 6 (S)	Maha Sivaratri (H)
March 8 (M)—March 15 (M)	Mid-semester examinations (classwork suspended)
March 10 (W)	Id ul Fitr* (H)
March 22 (M)	Holi (H)
March 24 (W)	Last date of returning evaluated answer scripts of Mid-semester exams
March 26 (F)	Good Friday (H)
March 27 (S)	Last date for Mid-semester grading
April 7 (W)	Ugadi (H for Hyderabad Campus)
April 14 (W)	Ambedkar Jayanti (H)
April 15 (Th)	Ram Navami (H)
April 19 (M)	Mahavir Jayanti (H)
April 21 (W)	Registration for Practice School I
April 28 (W)	Last date for display of pre-comprehensive marks
April 29 (Th)	Last date for classwork
May 3 (M)	Comprehensive examinations begin
May 17 (M)	Id-ul-zuha * (H)
May 18 (T)	Comprehensive examinations end
May 18 (T)	Second semester ends
May 18 (T)—May 19 (W)	Test/Interview for I semester 2026-27 Ph.D. admissions
May 20 (Th)	Buddha Purnima (H)
May 20 (Th)	Summer vacation begins
May 24 (M)	Summer term begins
May 24 (M)	Practice School I begins
June 16 (W)	Muharram (H)
June 19 (S)	Practice School II ends
July 17 (S)	Practice School I Ends
July 18 (Su)	Summer term ends
July 18 (Su)	Summer vacation Ends

*Holiday subject to the sighting of the moon