ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024-2025 SEMESTER 1

Pre-sessional English commence on August 14th (pending student names arriving)

Registration: Year 2,3,4 August 25th

Registration: Year 1 August 31st & September 1st. Repeat exams August 24th – September 1st

Term 1: 26th of August to January 17th

Monday of each week	WEEK	MIEC (FUZHOU)	DATE (WEEK)	MAYNOOTH UNIVERSITY
August 26 th	1	Year 2, 3 and 4 commence lectures		
SEPTEMBER 2 nd	2			
SEPTEMBER 9 th	3	Military Training Year 1 – no classes		
September 16 th	4	Military Training Year 1 – no classes Sep 15 th – 17 th Mid-Autumn Festival		
September 23rd	5	Year 1 Lectures start + English starts for all years	1	Lectures start in MU
September 30 th	6	Oct 1 -7 NATIONAL HOLIDAY	2	
OCTOBER 7 th	7		3	
OCTOBER 14 th	8		4	
OCTOBER 21st	9		5	
OCTOBER 28 th	10		6	STUDY WEEK
NOVEMBER 4 th	11	7 th to 9 th of November Sports Day	7	
NOVEMBER 11 th	12		8	
NOVEMBER 18 th	13		9	
NOVEMBER 25 th	14		10	
DECEMBER 2 nd	15		11	
DECEMBER 9 th	16	Final week of lectures yr2,3,4	12	
DECEMBER 16 th	17	, , ,	13	Last week of lectures
DECEMBER 23 rd	18			CHRISTMAS VACATION
December 30 th	19	New Year Holiday January 1st		CHRISTMAS VACATION
January 6 th	20	Final Week of lectures Year 1		Study week
January 13th	21st	Semester 1 Exams January 11 th to 17 th (end of term)		EXAMS in MU
January 20 th		Winter Holidays January 18 th to February 23rd		EXAMS in MU
January 27th				

NOTE(1) MIEC exams may be scheduled once lectures are complete. The lecturer arranges the schedule with FZU administrator.

Exam dates to be confirmed.

NOTE(2) Holidays impacting the lecture timetable will be confirmed by the FZU administrative team in advance. It is usual that a replacement date for lectures is provided.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2024-2025 SEMESTER 2

Term 2 : 24th of February to July 4th

DATE	WEEK	MIEC (FUZHOU)	DATE (WEEK)	MAYNOOTH UNIVERSITY
28-Jan – 4 th of Feb		Spring Festival		
FEBRUARY 3 rd		Jan. 28 - Feb. 3 – Official Chinese New Year Holiday	1	START OF LECTURES
FEBRUARY 10 th	1	CHINESE NEW YEAR	2	
FEBRUARY 17 th	2	CHINESE NEW YEAR	3	
FEBRAURY 24 th	3 1	LECTURES COMMENCE	4	
MARCH 3 rd	4 2		5	
MARCH 10 th	5 3		6	
MARCH 17 th	6 4		7	STUDY WEEK
MARCH 24 th	7 5		8	
MARCH 31st	8 6	April 4 - 6 – Qingming Festival Holiday	9	
APRIL 7 th	9 7	4 th -6 th QingMing Festival	10	
APRIL 14 th	10 8		11	
APRIL 21st	11 9	Year 4 exams start (To be confirmed)	12	EASTER HOLIDAYS
APRIL 28 th	12 10	LABOUR DAY HÔLIDAY May 1 - 5 27 th of Apr replacement date	13	
MAY 5 th	13 11	Year 4 exam boards To be confirmed	14	FINAL WEEK OF LECTURES
MAY 12 th	14 12		15	STUDY WEEK
MAY 19 th	15 13		16	EXAMS
MAY 26 th	16 14	May 31st – June 2nd– Dragon Boat Festival Holiday	17	EXAMS
JUNE 2 nd	17 15			
JUNE 9 th	18 16	FINAL WEEK OF LECTURES (CHECK)		
JUNE 16 th	19 17			
JUNE 23 rd	20 18	EXAMINATIONS June 28 th to 4 th of July		
JUNE 30 th	19	5 th of July to August 31 st Summer holidays		