

The University of Hong Kong
Department of Law

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Calendar of Activities
Academic Year 2023-2024

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PRE-TERM

August						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

4	Orientation for JD Students
9	First day of Induction Period for JD1 Students
18	Orientation for First Year LLB Students
25	Orientation for MCL Students
TBC	Orientation for LLM Students
31	Orientation for Exchange and Visiting Students
31	Opening Ceremony for First Year LLB Students

FIRST SEMESTER

LLB Teaching Period: 1 September 2023 - 30 November 2023 (12 teaching weeks excluding reading week)

LLM Teaching Period: 8 September 2023 - 30 November 2023 (11 teaching weeks excluding reading week)

September						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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October						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	[23]	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

November						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30		

December						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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24	[25]	[26]	27	28	29	30
31						

1	First day of teaching of LLAW/JDOC1xxx, LLAW/JDOC2xxx, and LLAW/JDOC3xxx courses*
5	Welcome Reception for JD Students
8	First day of teaching of LLAW/JDOC6xxx courses*
8	First day of tutorials^
14	Add-drop Deadline (LLAW/JDOC1xxx, LLAW/JDOC2xxx, and LLAW/JDOC3xxx courses)**
21	Add-drop Deadline (LLAW/JDOC6xxx courses)**
30	Public Holiday (The day following Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival)
2	Public Holiday (National Day observed)
16-21	Reading Week***
23	Public Holiday (Chung Yeung Festival)
28	HKU Information Day for Undergraduate Admissions
23	Last day of LLB Lectures
30	Last day of teaching
1	TPG Graduation Ceremony of Class of 2022
1-7	Revision period
8-23	Assessment Period
25	Public Holiday (Christmas Day)
26	Public Holiday (The first weekday after Christmas Day)

Notes:

* Unless otherwise specified by the course teachers.

^ This is applicable to courses which are offered in the mixture of lectures and tutorials, unless otherwise specified by course teachers.

** Except intensive courses. The add-drop deadline for the intensive courses is between the first two classes of the course.

*** No class will be scheduled on reading week unless otherwise specified by course teachers.

SECOND SEMESTER**LLB Teaching Period: 15 January 2024 - 27 April 2024 (13 teaching weeks excluding reading week and class suspension period for LNY)****LLM Teaching Period: 22 January 2024 - 27 April 2024 (12 teaching weeks excluding reading week and class suspension period for LNY)**

January						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31			

February						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29		

March						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	[29]	[30]
31						

April						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		[1]	2	3	[4]	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			

May						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			[1]	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	[15]	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

1	Public Holiday (The day after the first day of January)
2-14	"January Semester" (Refer to timetable for details)
15	First day of teaching of LLAW/JDOC1xxx, LLAW/JDOC2xxx, and LLAW/JDOC3xxx courses*
22	First day of teaching of LLAW/JDOC6xxx courses*
22	First day of tutorials^
29	Add-drop Deadline (LLAW/JDOC1xxx, LLAW/JDOC2xxx, and LLAW/JDOC3xxx courses)**
Jan 29 - Feb 2	Compulsory Moots: General Round^^
4	Add-drop Deadline (LLAW/JDOC6xxx courses)**
9	University Holiday (Lunar New Year Eve; afternoon only)
10-13	Public Holidays (Lunar New Year)
10-16	Class suspension period for Lunar New Year
4-9	Reading Week***
11	Compulsory Moots: Semi-final
16	University Holiday (University Foundation Day)
29-31 - Apr 1	Public holidays (Easter)
4	Public holidays (Ching Ming Festival)
19	Compulsory Moots: Grand Final
20	Last day of LLB Lectures
27	Last day of teaching
Apr 29 - May 4	Revision period
1	Public holiday (Labour Day)
6-21	Assessment Period
15	Public Holiday (The Birthday of the Buddha)

Notes:

- * Unless otherwise specified by the course teachers.
- ^ This is applicable to courses which are offered in the mixture of lectures and tutorials, unless otherwise specified by course teachers.
- ^^ LLB3 and Double-Degree 4 students are required to participate in Compulsory Moot as part of their degree's requirement.
- ** Except intensive courses. The add-drop deadline for the intensive courses is between the first two classes of the course.
- *** No class will be scheduled on reading week unless otherwise specified by course teachers.

SUMMER SEMESTER

Teaching and assessment of LLAW/JDOC6xxx courses will take place during 31 May 2024 - 31 July 2024.

[Please refer ARSC for course schedule and details.](#)