

**Dire-Dawa University 2017/2018(2010E.C)**  
**Academic Calendar for 1<sup>st</sup> year Regular Post Graduate Students (Revised 3)**

Gregorian Day	Ethiopian Day	Major Events
<b>First Semester</b>		
16-Aug	10-Nehasie	Last date of graduate program announcement to the public
21-25 Aug	15-19 Nehasie	Admission Application period
30- Aug	24- Nehassie	Registrar dispatches legible PG applicants to SGS and concerned colleges
8-Sep	3-pagume	Last date for DGCs to report list of applicants legible for PG study to SGS via respective college
29-Sep	19-Meskerem	PG Entrance Exam period (includes applicants in CEP )
4- Oct	25 Meskerem	Last date for DGCs to report list of students legible to PG study to SGS via respective college
Oct 6-7	26-27 Meskerem	Accepted PG applicants collect acceptance letter from SGS via respective college SGS coordinator
9-Oct	መስከረም 29	First Semester Registration
10-Oct	መስከረም 30	First Semester Registration with penalty
11-Oct	ጥቅምት 1	First semester class begins
6-Dec	28-Tahisas	End of first semester class
15-27 Jan	7-19 Tir	First semester Final Exam period
6-Feb	29-Tir	Last date of grade submission to Registrar
February 5-20	ጥር 28-የካቲት13	First Semester Break
16-Feb	9-Yekatit	Colleges report academic status of PG Students to SGS and Registrar
<b>Second Semester</b>		
19-Feb	12- Yekatit	Second Semester Registration
20-Feb	13- Yekatit	Second Semester Registration with penalty
21-Feb	14- Yekatit	Second semester class begins
1-Jun	24-Ginbot	End of second semester class
4-15 June	27Ginbot-8 sene	Second semester final exam period
20-June	13-Sene	Last date of grade submission to Registrar
26-June	19-Sene	Colleges report academic status of PG Students to SGS and Registrar

**Dire-Dawa University 2017/2018(2010E.C)**  
**Academic Calendar for 2<sup>nd</sup> year and above Regular Post Graduate Students**  
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Gregorian Day	Ethiopian Day	Major Events
<b>First Semester</b>		
12 July-21 July	05-14 Hamile	Students submit thesis title with short synopsis to the respective DCGs
29 Jul-12 Sept	22 Hamile-02 Meskerem	DGCs notify approved title and assigned advisors to respective Students
22 Sep	12-Meskerem	Last date for DGCs to report list of students with approved thesis title and name of advisors to SGS via respective college
27-29 Sep	17-19 Meskerem	Reporting list of students with approved thesis title and assigned advisor to registrar via SGS
4-Oct	መስከረም 24	First Semester Registration
5-Oct	መስከረም 25	First Semester Registration with penalty
6-Oct	መስከረም 26	First semester class begins (if any)
16-20 Oct	6-10 Tikemet	Title change period and DGCs. colleges and SGS update formerly former titles
18-24 Dec	09-15 Tahisas	Thesis proposal defense period
6-Jan	28-Tahisas	End of first semester class (if any)
15-27 Jan	7-19 Tir	First semester Final Exam period (if any)
6-Feb	29-Tir	Last date of grade submission to Registrar (if any)
16-Feb	9-Yekatit	Colleges report academic status and proposal defense progress of PG Students to SGS
<b>Second Semester</b>		
19-Feb	12-Yekatit	Second Semester Registration
20-Feb	13- Yekatit	Second Semester Registration with penalty
21-Feb	14- Yekatit	Second semester class begins (if any)
31-May	23-Ginbot	Last date of thesis submission
1-Jun	24- Ginbot	End of second semester class (if any)
4-15 June	27 Ginbot-8 Sene	Second semester final exam period (if any)
15-Jun	8-Sene	Last date of Thesis defense (no defense allowed after this date)
19-Jun	12-Sene	Colleges report list of prospective graduates to SGS and registrar

**Dire Dawa University 2016/17 (2009-2010)**  
**Academic Calendar for 1<sup>st</sup> year Post Graduate Summer Students**

<b>Gregorian Day</b>	<b>Ethiopian Day</b>	<b>Major Events</b>
July 14	ሐምሌ 7	Entrance Exam
July 18	ሐምሌ 11	Registration
July 19	ሐምሌ 12	Registration With Penalty
July 19	ሐምሌ 12	Class Beginning
July 20	ሐምሌ 13	Last date of late registration (No Student Shall register after this date )
August 16	ነሐሴ 10	EARAD Releases Final Examination Schedule
August 26	ነሐሴ 20	Summer Class end
August 29-Sept5	ነሐሴ 23-30	Final Examination Period
September 17	መስከረም 7	Last date of Exam grad Submission
September 30	መስከረም 20	Student Status determination for summer graduating class
October 3	መስከረም 23	Senate Regular Meeting

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**Academic Calendar for 1<sup>st</sup> year CEP (Extension) Post Graduate Students**  
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16-Aug	10-Nehasie	Last date of graduate program announcement to the public
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12-Oct	ጥቅምት 2	First semester class begins
6-Jan	28-Tahisas	End of first semester class
22 Jan-4 Feb	14-27 Tir	First semester Final Exam period
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