

## ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2016 – 2017

<b>FIRST SEMESTER</b>	
Monday 3 October, 2016	Inauguration of the Academic Year (1 <sup>st</sup> year students) Beginning of exam week (for 2 <sup>nd</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> year students)
Tuesday 4 October, 2016	Beginning of lessons 1 <sup>st</sup> year
Tuesday 4 October, 2016 – Thursday 15 December, 2016	FIRST SEMESTER
Thursday 15 December, 2016	First semester exhibition
Friday <b>16 December, 2016</b> – Sunday <b>8 January, 2017</b> CHRISTMAS BREAK	
Monday 9 January, 2017 – Friday 3 February, 2017	Anatomy course
<b>SECOND SEMESTER</b>	
Monday 6 February, 2017 – Friday 7 April, 2017	SECOND SEMESTER
Saturday <b>8 April, 2017</b> – Sunday <b>23 April, 2017</b> – EASTER BREAK	
Monday 24 April – Friday 28 May, 2017	Composition dedicated week
Monday 1 May – Friday 19 May, 2017	Anatomy course
Monday 22 May - Tuesday 13 June, 2017	Plein – air practice
Wednesday 14 June, 2017	Exhibition preparation day
Thursday 15 June, 2017	Full Academic year exhibition End of academic year

\*For third year (graduating) students: 1<sup>st</sup> of June – 30<sup>th</sup> of June, 2017 FINAL THESIS DEVELOPMENT (Diploma Work)

**IMPORTANT NOTE:**

All short-term courses/workshops and academic studies are suspended on the days of public holidays indicated in the calendar.

**Public holidays:**

**NOVEMBER**

1<sup>st</sup> November All saints Day

(31<sup>st</sup> October Academy is closed)

30<sup>th</sup> November Festa della Toscana

**DECEMBER**

8<sup>th</sup> December Feast of Immaculate Conception

**APRIL**

April 17 Easter Monday

April 25 Liberation day

(April 24 Academy is closed)

**MAY**

1<sup>st</sup> May Labor day

**JUNE**

2<sup>ND</sup> June Republic day

24<sup>th</sup> June The feast of St. John (Patron of Florence)