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## **UBC Ritsumeikan Academic Calendar 2018/19**

### **August**

- 15 Rits Early Arrival Students go to Whistler
- 29 Rits Cohort Arrive to UBC Campus/check-in to Residences
- 30 Group Welcome - Isabel McInnes Room – Walter Gage Residence
- 31 Goal Workshops location Multipurpose Room 2012 Ponderosa Commons

### **September**

- 1 First Day Check in to UBC Residences for all UBC Students
- 3 Labor Day, (UBC closed)
- 4 Term One begins for Rits 28 courses
- 5 Last Day to pay Student Fees Term 1
- 18 Last Day to Change Courses in Term One

### **Meet the Counselor Sessions - Rits Flex Space**

Session 1 – Sept 17, 10:30 to 12:00

Session 2 – Sept 17, 12:30 to 2:00

Session 3 – Sept 24, 10:30 to 12:00

Session 4 – Sept 24, 12:30 to 2:00

### **October**

- 01 Library Orientation - Room #3018 Orchard Commons
- 08 Thanksgiving Day Holiday (UBC closed)

### **November**

- 12 Holiday in Lieu of Remembrance Day (UBC closed)
- 17 ITP\TOEFL exam **all AEP Students take exam (Tentative Date)**
- 30 Last Day of Classes**

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## December

- Dec 4– 19      Final Exams Term One
- 21              Last Day of Winter Session Housing
- 25              Christmas Day, Holiday (UBC closed)
- 26              Boxing Day, (UBC closed)

## January, 2019

- 1              New Year Day (UBC closed)
- 1              Student Housing Re-opens
- 2              Start of Winter Session Term 2
- 13             Seijinshiki – Coming of Age Day (not yet confirmed)

## February

- 9              Optional TOEIC Exam for AEP Students (**not yet confirmed**)
- 11             Family Day (holiday, UBC closed) Tentative
- 18 - 22       Reading Week Break

## March

- TBA            Final Exit ITP\TOEFL for AEP Students (**not yet confirmed**)

## April

- 4              Last Day of Classes
- 5              **Farewell Event for Rits 28** (**all Rits students must attend the event**) location TBA
- 8 – 26        Final Exams UBC  
**Students taking UBC electives should not make travel arrangements during this period.**
- 19             Good Friday, Holiday (UBC closed)
- 22             Easter Monday, Holiday (UBC closed)
- XXX            Departure of students to Japan (**not yet confirmed**)