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INFORMATION

**For students of Hungarian University of Agriculture and Life Sciences
about start of autumn semester in the academic year 2026/27**

Dear Student,

I kindly inform you that the academic calendar of 2026/27 academic year is available on the website of MATE educational directorate. <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/academic-calendar>

Information on two-factor authentication is available at:: <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/documents/d/mate-directorate-of-education/setting-up-and-using-two-factor-authentication-in-the-mate-neptun-system-2024-04-04-pdf-6-pdf>

1. Enrolment/registration

According to the academic calendar the autumn semester **registration period** in the NEPTUN SYS starts as **listed below**:

Campus	Program	Start of registration in Neptun system
Szent István Campus (Gödöllő)	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 8.00 am
Budai Campus (Budapest)	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 10.00 am
Kaposvári Campus (Kaposvár)	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Georgikon Campus (Keszthely)	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Károly Róbert Campus (Gyöngyös)	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Szarvas Training Location	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Csíkszereda	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Komarno	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Székeludvarhely	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon
Zenta	all programs	26 August 2026 (Wednesday) 12.00 noon

The semester registration period closes on 4th September 2026 at 2:00 pm (14:00).

We kindly inform you that you may find several info at the website of Educational Directorate about enrolment, Neptun System, Academic Calendar, etc. <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/>

The newly admitted students may also find information about enrolment and registration on the website of: <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/> Study information. (Change the language to EN)

We would like to draw your attention to the fact that **filling in the enrolment sheet** (and for self-financed students filling in the **study contract**, too) **is very important**. Please **attend the enrolment appointments on the given dates and times**, because you may **get some information about your study and academic rules**.

2. Subject registration

The the subjejt registration and deregistration (dropping) starts on 4th September and closes on 13th September 2026. On the 9th and 10th September (course control period), university

administrators are going to check and cancel those optional subjects, which had number of registered students under the quota. Subject registration **will be available** during the course control period!

Please note that you cannot have an active semester without subject registration and cannot register subjects without active status.

You cannot activate your status and register your subjects if you have any unpaid liabilities in Neptun system.

After completed subject registration, students can check their schedule on Neptun (Menu/Calendar submenu.)

For FAO, Stipendium Hungaricum, SCYP, and MISP scholarship holders: Please note that, in order to maintain your scholarship status, you are required to **complete at least 18 credits per semester** on average, with a minimum of 36 credits per academic year (calculated over two active semesters).

Please also note that your **academic performance and semester results may affect both your scholarship status and your eligibility for dormitory accommodation.**

For first-year scholarship holders: Please note that **Hungarian as a Foreign Language I and Hungarian as a Foreign Language II are mandatory subjects** during the first academic year. Failure to complete these courses may result in a **reduction of your scholarship.**

For all students enrolled in Bachelor's programmes: **Physical Education is a compulsory subject** in four semesters. Completion of all required Physical Education courses is a prerequisite for obtaining your degree.

3. Tuition fee payment

For self-financed students, another information letter is going to be published about tuition fee payment and related requests. However, **the deadline** for payment (and related request's submission) is going to be **14 September 2026**. Senior students might submit discount or instalment requests in Neptun system. (see <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/tuition-fee-discounts>)

4. Access of regulation

Some of the regulations of the Student Requirements and their annexes (Study and Examination Regulation, Student Fees and Benefits, Admission Regulation) can be found on the University website: <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/rules-regulation1>

Useful contacts for international students: <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/> (select **CONTACT DETAILS** or <https://telefonkonyv.uni-mate.hu/index.php?lang=en>, or <https://ed.uni-mate.hu/departement-of-education>)

5. Information about MATE ID, Neptun code, password and webmail

At the Hungarian University of Agriculture and Life Sciences (henceforward MATE) the access to informatic systems happens with a unified user ID. It is called MATE ID and in case of students it is the same as Neptun ID.

The MATE/Neptun ID and the joint webmail box are automatically generated by the activated student status. However, the mailbox is inactive and cannot be used until activation.

You may activate your MATE ID at the <https://joker.szie.hu> website, the initial password is **Ne** and your birth date in format of **YYYYMMDD** (ex.: **Ne20020229**) To activate your ID, you have to change your password.

The information about information system and mailing is available here: <https://en.uni-mate.hu/mate-authentication-wifi-e-learning-email-> and <https://it.uni-mate.hu/en/levelezes>

With activation of your MATE ID, you activate your e-learning access as well.

Please, note that, when you activated your MATE ID at joker website, it is not influencing your password you had set in Neptun system. Therefore, you have got two entry with the same login name (neptun code) but maybe with different passwords.

Gödöllő, 19 August 2026

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