

# End-of-Term Reviews and Exams

## Fall Term (December 2025)

	Week 12 Nov. 17 - 21		Week 13 Nov. 24 - 28					Penultimate week Week 14 Dec. 1 - 5					Last Week of Classes Week 15 Dec. 8 - 12					Final Exam week Dec. 15 - 19 (No assignments due)						
	Th 20	F 21	M 24	T 25	W 26	Th 27	F 28	M 1	T 2	W 3	Th 4	F 5	M 8	T 9	W 10	Th 11	F 12	M 15	T 16	W 17	Th 18	F 19		
A Grad & UG Final Studio Reviews							Thanksgiving Break	(No presentations or assignments due)					Core 1	Core 3	Options	Reading Period (nothing may be scheduled!)		Undergraduate studio reviews scheduled						
B Workshop Final Reviews (applies to 4.18x subjects)	Final Reviews Allowed							(No presentations or assignments due)							Reading Period (nothing may be scheduled!)		Final Reviews Allowed - Scheduled as Final Exam							
C MArch Final Thesis Reviews																		MArch						
DSMArchS Thesis Reviews																		SMArchS Proposal Reviews						
March required non-studio subjects (applies to subjects included on this chart)	Final Assignments Due							(No presentations or assignments due)										Final exams scheduled						
F1 Classes <b>without</b> Institute scheduled final exam/presentation: last paper/presentation/assignment due (except req. MArch classes)								Final assignments, papers, quizzes & presentations due (except required MArch courses)							Reading Period (nothing may be scheduled!)		No finals							
F2 Classes <b>with</b> Institute scheduled final exam/presentation: may have last paper/presentation due (except req. MArch classes)								Final assignments, papers, quizzes & presentations due			(No assignments due)					Institute Scheduled final exams/presentations								
G Important EOT Dates: Grade Deadlines, Grades Meeting, etc.													Last day of classes		Reading Period (nothing may be scheduled!)				Faculty Grades mtg.		Grades due for subjects without finals			
H GSD													GSD Final Studio Reviews		GSD Option Studio Reviews		Final Exams			Thesis Reviews				

- For a February MIT degree, the department deadline for all theses frontmatter is 9am on January 5, 2026. The FULL BOOK is due at 9am on Wednesday, January 14, 2026 at 9am.

**\* Grades deadlines for classes *with* finals is January 7, 2026.**

A. The Department will schedule graduate studio reviews during the final week of classes. Undergraduate studio reviews will be scheduled by the Institute during final exam week.

B. Workshop reviews (for all subjects 4.18x) fall during class time either before the Tuesday of the penultimate week or scheduled through the Institute as a final presentation/exam during final exam week.

C. MArch final thesis reviews Thursday, Dec 18, 2025.

D. SMArchS thesis proposal presentations are held during reading period - Thursday, Dec 11, 2025.

E. Required MArch subjects (not including studio) may schedule a final exam/presentation during final exam week. They may not require a final test, presentation or assignment after the penultimate week. Free elective Course 4 subjects that have MArch students enrolled follow Institute rules below, but instructors are encouraged to work directly with MArch students to adjust work schedules and credit load to avoid conflict with final reviews. This applies to all subjects included on this chart: <https://archfac.mit.edu/files/2025/02/26fa-march-required-chart.xlsx>

F. Institute term regulations dictate that presentations, papers, and/or quizzes must fall due or be held by the last class unless a final exam is scheduled. Subjects that schedule a final exam during final exam week may have no assignments fall due after the end of the penultimate week.

o *No subject may require a class meeting, exercises or assignments of any kind after the last regularly scheduled class in a subject.*

o *An extension may be given to an individual student if requested, but blanket extensions may not be given to the entire class.*

H. GSD final studio reviews, final exams and thesis reviews are not coordinated with MIT's schedule. They are listed FYI.

**Faculty grades and awards meetings will be held on Friday, December 12th. Faculty who instruct MArch studios and required classes and MArch advisors are required to attend.**