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# 2024 AURC Key Dates

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## Revision History

Revision	Description	Date
Version 1.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Initial Release</li></ul>	6/11/2023
Version 2.0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Rules and PR1 moved to 28<sup>th</sup> November.</li><li>Registration moved to 11<sup>th</sup> December.</li><li>Added Rocket Specifications document.</li><li>Rocket fee moved to 6<sup>th</sup> May.</li><li>Competitor fee added.</li><li>Launch site location and dates added.</li></ul>	28/11/2023
Version 2.1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Added University Declaration and Academic Advisor Waiver due date.</li></ul>	11/12/2023

## Purpose and Scope

This document outlines the timeline of the 2024 Australian Universities Rocket Competition (AURC) and does not include information pertaining to the list of payments due, assessable items, submission instructions, penalties and judging. Subsequent information is available in the "2024 AURC Rules" document. Please contact an AURC representative for further queries either by email at [aurc@ayaa.com.au](mailto:aurc@ayaa.com.au) or through the AURC 2024 Slack channel.

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This schedule is tentative and **may be subject to change** in which case competing teams will be notified. The most recent version will always be maintained on the AURC website. Student teams should always verify they are working with the correct version by checking the version number and date and ensuring it matches the document on the website.

Date (2023)	Items
<b>22 August</b>	Team's expression of interest applications opens.
<b>25 September</b>	AURC subcommittee information pack and applications open.
<b>6 November</b>	Team's slack channel opens. Competition key dates published.
<b>13 November</b>	Judge's information pack released and signups open.
<b>20 November</b>	Launch site and festival details announcement.
<b>28 November</b>	AURC rules document published. Progress report 1 details published.
<b>11- 31 December</b>	Competition registration and acceptance.
<b>18 December</b>	Safety reviewer's information pack released and signups open. AURC rocket specifications document published.

Date (2024)	Items
<b>1 January</b>	Competition starts. Propellant order information published. Propellant applications open. Progress report 2 and technical report details published.
<b>22 January</b>	University Declaration and Academic Advisor Waiver due. Registration fee due. Progress report 1 due.
<b>29 January</b>	Propellant payment due.
<b>26 February</b>	Range SOP and launch infrastructure published. Festival Schedule published. In-person assessment rubrics published.

<b>1 March</b>	Festival registration opens.
<b>29 April</b>	Team progress report 2 due.
<b>6 May</b>	Rocket fee due.
<b>30 June</b>	Last chance for festival registration early-bird price.
<b>5 August</b>	Team technical report due.
<b>12 August</b>	Competitor fees due.
<b>19 August</b>	Festival fees due.
<b>September 19-22</b>	AURC at Williams Wildfire Westernationals rocket launch festival.