

WOMEN'S INTERNATIONAL MATCH CALENDAR 2026-2029**FIXED DATES FOR INTERNATIONAL "A" MATCHES**

Year	Dates	Match details/window type ¹	Max. number of matches
2026	January	-	-
	24 February – 7 March	Type II	3
	1-21 March	AFC Women's Asian Cup ²	
	7-18 April	Type II	3
	May	-	-
	1-9 June	Type I	2
	26 July – 16 August	CAF Women's Africa Cup of Nations ³	-
	September	-	-
	5-13 October	Type I	2
	24 November – 5 December	Type II	3

¹ **Type I:** release of players to representative teams: Monday to Tuesday night (following week).

Type II: release of players to representative teams: Tuesday to Saturday night (following week).

² Release period starts on Monday, 23 February 2026.

³ Release period starts on Monday, 20 July 2026.

Year	Dates	Match details/window type	Max. number of matches
2027	January	-	-
	23 February – 6 March	Type II	3
	13-24 April	Type II	3
	May	-	-
	7-15 June	Type I	2
	24 June – 25 July	FIFA Women's World Cup 2027™ ⁴	
	August	-	-
	September	-	-
	4-12 October	Type I	2
	23 November – 4 December	Type II	3

⁴ Release period starts on Monday, 14 June 2027.

Year	Dates	Match details/window type	Max. number of matches
2028	January	-	-
	21 February – 2 April	BLOCKED PERIOD Final competition of the championships for women's "A" representative teams of the confederations (including release period), except UEFA	
	22 February – 4 March	Type II	3
	23 February – 6 March	Final round of the OFC Women's Olympic Football Tournament – Oceania Qualifiers ⁵	
	4-15 April	Type II	3
	29 May – 6 June	Type I	2
	10-30 July	BLOCKED PERIOD Women's Olympic Football Tournament	
	August	-	-
	September	-	-
	2-10 October	Type I	2
	21 November – 2 December	Type II	3

⁵ Release period starts on Monday, 21 February 2028.

Year	Dates	Match details/window type	Max. number of matches
2029	22 January – 4 March	BLOCKED PERIOD Final competition of the championships for women's "A" representative teams of the confederations (including release period), except UEFA	
	20 February – 3 March	Type II	3
	10-21 April	Type II	3
	May	-	-
	June ⁶	Type I	2
	4 June – 29 July	BLOCKED PERIOD Final competition of the championships for women's "A" representative teams of the confederations (including release period)	
	August	-	-
	September	-	-
	15-23 October	Type I	2
	27 November – 8 December	Type II	3

⁶ Start of the international window to be determined following the confirmation of the dates of all final competitions of the championships for women's "A" representative teams of the confederations to be played within this blocked period. Dates to be announced via circular at least 18 months in advance.