

**FACULTY OF DENTAL MEDICINE – SOFIA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS**

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**Schedule of Preclinical practical classes in Orthodontics  
for Foreign Students 5<sup>th</sup> year,  
9<sup>th</sup> winter semester, 2023 - 2024**

- 25.09.-29.09.2023** - Patient registration. Case history, clinical evaluation, impressions.  
**02.10.-06.10.2023** - Patient registration. Bite registration, study cast trimming and analysis.  
**09.10.-13.10.2023** - Bite registration. Analysis discussion. Follow-up appointments.  
**16.10.-20.10.2023** - Bite registration. Analysis discussion. Follow-up appointments.  
**23.10.-27.10.2023** - Construction bite. Analysis and treatment plan discussion. Follow-up appointments.  
**30.10.-03.11.2023** - Patient registration. Construction bite. Analysis and treatment plan discussion. Follow-up appointments.  
**06.11.-10.11.2023** - **Presentation and discussion** – Facial growth. Growth patterns, centers and sites. Growth spurt and growth cessation.  
Patient registration. Construction bite. Follow-up appointments.  
**13.11.-17.11.2023** - **Colloquium** – Functional appliances : indications, construction, biomechanics.  
**20.11.-24.11.2023** - Analysis discussion. Follow-up appointments. Appliance fitting.  
**27.11.-01.12.2023** - **Written exam**. Fixed appliances (edgewise and straight wire).  
Analysis and treatment plan discussion. Construction bite. Follow-up appointments. Appliance fitting.  
**04.12.-08.12.2023** - Appliance fitting, case presentation. Follow-up appointments.  
**11.12.-15.12.2023** - **Presentation and discussion** – Extraoral appliances.  
Appliance fitting, case presentation. Follow-up appointments.  
**18.12.-22.12.2023** - Follow-up appointments. Charts and casts handing over.  
**01.01.-05.01.2024** - Charts and casts handing over.  
**08.01.-12.01.2024** - Charts and casts handing over. **Signature.**

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