



Academic Calendar 2025/2026 FALL SEMSTER

Day	Date	Description
Monday	18 Aug 2025	Return of Academic Staff
Monday - Sunday	18-31 Aug 2025	Course registration for continuing students
		Application for credit transfer
		Admission Exams for new students
Monday - Friday	18 - 21 Aug 2025	New Students Orientation Week
Monday - Friday	25 - 29 Aug 2025	Course registration for new students
Friday	29 Aug 2025	Last date for Incomplete Examinations
		Last date for changing major
Monday	25 Aug 2025	Classes begin
Monday - Friday	25 - 29 Aug 2025	Add and drop period
Friday	29 Aug 2025	Last date for adding and dropping courses
		Last date for dropping courses or suspending registration with 100% refund
Friday	5 Sep 2025	Last date for suspension of registration with 50% refund
Monday	6 Oct 2025	Early admission period for Spring Semester 2025-2026
Monday - Thursday	6 - 16 Oct 2025	Midterm exams
Thursday	13 Nov 2025	Last Date for Withdrawal
Monday - Thursday	10-20 Nov 2025	Early Registration for Spring Semester 2025-2026
Monday - Friday	27 Oct - 07 Nov 2025	Period for Course and Advisor Evaluation
Monday	1 Dec 2025	Martyr's Day
Tuesday - Wednesday	2-3 Dec 2025	UAE National Day
Thursday	20 Nov 2025	Classes end
Friday - Sunday	21 - 30 Nov 2025	Final exams
Monday	8 Dec 2025	Announcement of Results
Monday - Sunday	8 Dec 2025 - 4 Jan 2026	Fall break for Students

SPRING SEMSTER

Day	Date	Description
Monday	29 December 2025	Return of Academic Staff
Friday - Friday	26 Dec 2025 - 9 Jan 2026	Course registration for continuing students
		Application for credit transfer
		Admission Exams for new students
Monday - Thursday	05 - 8 Jan 2026	New Students Orientation Week
Tuesday - Friday	06 - 9 Jan 2026	Course registration for new students
Friday	9 Jan 2026	Last date for Incomplete Examinations
		Last date for changing major
Monday	5 Jan 2026	Classes begin
Monday - Friday	5 - 9 Jan 2026	Add and drop period
Friday	9 Jan 2026	Last date for adding and dropping courses
		Last date for dropping courses or suspending registration with 100% refund
Friday	23 Jan 2026	Last date for suspension of registration with 50% refund
Monday	9 Feb 2026	Early admission period for Fall Semester 2026-2027
Monday - Thursday	23 Feb - 5 Mar 2026	Midterm exams
Monday - Friday	23 Mar - 1 Mar 2026	Early registration for summer Semester 2025-2026
Thursday - Sunday	16 - 29 Mar 2026	Spring break
Thursday - Sunday	19 - 22 Mar 2026	Eid Al-Fitr holiday from 29 Ramadan to 03 Shawal
Thursday	23 Apr 2026	Last date for withdrawal
Monday - Friday	20 April - 1 May 2026	Period for Course and Advisor Evaluation
		Period for early registration for Summer Semester 2025- 2026
Thursday	30 Apr 2026	classes end
Friday - Wednesday	1 - 13 May 2026	Final exams
Friday	15 May 2026	Grades announced
		Summer Break for Students* (*only students who are not registered in summer courses)

SUMMER SEMSTER

Day	Date	Description
Saturday - Wednesday	9-20 May 2026	Period for course registration
Tuesday - Sunday	26-31 May 2026	Arafat Day, Eid Al-Adha holiday
Monday	18 May 2026	classes begin
Monday - Wednesday	18-20 May 2026	Add and drop courses period
Tuesday	20 May 2026	Last dates for adding and dropping courses
Monday - Friday	8-26 June 2026	Period for early registration for Fall Semester 2026 - 2027
Thursday	4 Jun 2026	Proposed Graduation Commencement Date
Monday - Tuesday	8-11 Jun 2026	Midterm exams
Friday	19 Jun 2026	Last date for withdrawal
Tuesday - Monday	23 - 29 June 2026	Period for Course and Advisor Evaluation
Thursday	25 Jun 2026	classes end
Sunday - Monday	28-29 Jun 2026	Final exams
Friday	3 Jul 2026	Announcement of Results
Saturday	11 Jul 2026	Summer break for Academic Staff
Monday	17 Aug 2026	Return of Academic Staff

-Islamic holidays are tentative and are subject to moon sighting.
 -Me dates and items in this calendar may be modified according to any future directives by the Ministry of Education.
 -Theoretical courses of three credit hours are taught from Monday to Wednesday at a rate of two hours per day.