

Academic Calendar for Year 2025-2026

Fall Semester 2025	Week	Day	Date	Month
Course registration Period	Week 0	Monday-Friday	08-16	September
First Day of Classes	Week 1	Monday	22	September
Final Exam of Summer 2025 Retake	Week 1	Monday - Friday	22 - 26	September
Add Period – Drop Period – Full Tuition Refund (Week 1,2)	Week1 - Week2	Monday - Friday	22 - 03	Sep - Oct
Course Withdrawal 75% refund	Week 3	Monday - Friday	06 - 10	October
Course Withdrawal 50% refund	Week 4	Monday - Friday	13 - 17	October
Course Withdrawal 25% refund	Week 5	Monday - Friday	20 - 24	October
Course Withdraw Period – No Refund	Week 6 – Week 13	Monday - Friday	27 - 19	Oct - Dec
Midterm Examinations Period (no classes suspension)	Week 7 – Week 8	Monday - Friday	03 - 14	November
*Holiday, UAE Martyrs' Day		Monday	01	December
*Holiday, National Day		Tuesday Wednesday	02 - 03	December
Make up Exam Period for Mid Term Exams week 12	Week 12	Monday - Friday	08 - 12	December
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course – No Refund	Week 13	Friday	19	December
Winter Break		Monday - Friday	22 - 02	Dec - Jan
Graduation Ceremony	Week 14	Saturday	10	Jan
Last Day of Classes	Week 15	Friday	16	January
Final Examinations Period	Week 16 -17	Monday - Friday	19 - 30	January
Final Grades Announcement		Friday	06	February
Grade Appeal		Friday - Friday	06 - 13	February
Spring Semester 2026		Day	Date	Month
Course registration Period	Week 0	Friday - Sunday	06-08	February
First Day of Classes	Week 1	Monday	09	February
Final Exam of Fall 2025 Retake	Week 1	Monday - Friday	09 -13	February
Add Period – Drop Period – Full Tuition Refund (Week 1,2)	Week1 - Week2	Monday - Friday	09 - 20	February
Course Withdrawal 75% refund	Week 3	Monday - Friday	23 - 27	February
Course Withdrawal 50% refund	Week 4	Monday - Friday	02 - 06	March
Course Withdrawal 25% refund	Week 5	Monday - Friday	09 - 13	March
Course Withdraw Period – No Refund	Week 6 – Week 13	Monday - Friday	16 - 22	March - May
Spring Break – Eid Al-Fitr Public Holiday		Monday - Friday	23 - 03	March - April
Midterm Examinations Period (no classes suspension)	Week 7 – Week 8	Monday - Friday	06 - 17	April
Make up Exam Period for Mid Term week 12	Week 12	Monday - Friday	11 - 15	May
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course – No Refund	Week 13	Friday	22	May
Eid Al Adha Public Holiday		Tuesday - Friday	26 - 29	May
Last Day of Classes	Week 15	Friday	05	June
Final Examinations Period	Week 16 – Week 17	Monday - Friday	08 - 19	June
Final Grades Announcement		Friday	26	June
Grade Appeal		Friday - Friday	26 - 03	June - July
Summer Semester 2026		Day	Date	Month
Course registration Period	Week 0	Friday - Sunday	26-28	June
First Day of Classes	Week 1	Monday	29	June
Final Exam of Spring 2026 Retake	Week 1	Monday - Friday	29 - 03	June - July
Add ONLY Period	Week 1	Monday - Tuesday	29 - 30	June
Midterm Examinations Period	Week 3	Thursday - Friday	16 - 17	July
Last Day to Withdraw from a Course with 0% refund	Week 4	Friday	24	July
Make up Exam Period for Mid Term week 5	Week 5	Wednesday – Thursday	29-30	August
Last Day of Classes	Week 6	Friday	07	August
Final Examinations Period	Week 7	Monday - Wednesday	10 - 12	August
Final Grades Announcement		Tuesday	18	August

Grade Appeal		Tuesday - Friday	18 - 21	August
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*Make up classes are scheduled within the Problem-Based Learning sessions detailed in the Course plan.

**Date subject to change in accordance with Islamic Calendar.

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