

Academic Calendar AY 2025-2026

[Weekend]

Fall Semester - Weekends

Date(s)	Event
August 22, 2025	Last Day of Registration
August 23, 2025	Start of Classes (One Week Drop and Add / Late Registration)
September 5, 2025	Prophet Muhammad's Birthday
October 18-19, 2025	Midterm Exam (Week 8 or 9)
December 1, 2025	Commemoration Day
December 2-3, 2025	UAE National Day
December 6-12, 2025	Final Examination
December 13, 2025	Last Day of Semester Grades Publication
December 14-16, 2025	Grade Appeal/Make-up Exams
December 13, 2025 - January 9, 2026	Students' Winter Break (4 Weeks)
December 22, 2025 - January 4, 2026	Faculty Member Winter Break (2 Weeks)

Spring Semester - Weekends

Date(s)	Event
January 7, 2026	Last Day of Registration
January 9, 2026	Late Registration
January 10, 2026	Start of Classes
January 11, 2026	Drop and Add
February 28 - March 1, 2026	Midterm Exam (Week 8)
March 14 to March 27, 2026	Spring Break (Eid incorporated in Spring Break)
May 9-15, 2026	Final Examination
May 16, 2026	Last Day of Semester Grades Publication
May 17-19, 2026	Grade Appeal/Make-up Exams

Summer Semester - Weekends

Date(s)	Event
May 25, 2026	Last day of Registration
May 30, 2026	Late Registration
June 06, 2026	Start of Classes
June 06 - 07, 2026	Drop and add
June 16, 2026	Islamic New Year 1448H
June 22-23, 2026	Midterm Exam (Week 4)
July 13-15, 2026	Final Examination period
July 16, 2026	Last Day of Semester Grades Publication
July 17-20, 2026	Grade Appeal and Make-up Exams period

Fall Semester - Weekends

Date(s)	Event
04 September 2026	Last day of Registration
05 September 2026	Begin of Classes
31 August 2026 to 06 September 2026	Add and drop / Late registration period (one week)
18 October 2026	Deadline to withdraw from courses - Grade(W)
24 to 25 October 2026	Midterm Examination Period
30 November 2026	Commemoration Day
02 to 03 December 2026	UAE National Day
12 December 2026	Last day of weekday classes
12 December 2026	Deadline to withdraw from courses - Grade(WF)
14 to 20 December 2026	Final Examination period
21 December 2026	Grade Publication
21 to 23 December 2026	Grade Appeal and Make-up Exams period
21 December 2026 to 01 January 2027	Students Winter Break