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February						
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March						
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April						
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May						
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June						
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July						
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August						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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23	24	25	26	27	28	29
30	31					

September						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
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27	28	29	30			

October						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

November						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

December						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Classes
University recess
1st examination opportunity
2de examination opportunity
Distance learning examination
Assessment
Inter-campus sports day
Interchanges of days
University opens and close

School terms

2026-01-14 to 2026-03-27

2026-04-08 to 2026-06-26

2026-07-21 to 2026-09-23

2026-10-06 to 2026-12-09

Notes:

- Semester 1 has 12 full cycles
- Semester 2 has 12 full cycles
- Exam cycles for both semesters have 18 days excluding weekends
- Both semesters have second exam of 10 days
- Both semesters have a test series of 9 days

2026 Public and School holidays

1 January
New Year's day

21 March
Human Rights day

3 April
Good Friday

6 April
Family day

27 April
Freedom day

1 May
Workers's day

15 June
Special school holiday

16 June
Youth day

9 August
National Women's day

10 August
Public Holiday

24 September
Heritage day

16 December
Day of Reconciliation

25 December
Christmas day

26 December
Day of Goodwill

1st semester 60 class days

- 12 Mondays
- 12 Tuesdays
- 12 Wednesdays
- 12 Thursdays
- 12 Fridays
- 9 days tests
- 18 days first exam
- 10 days second exam

2nd semester: 6 60 class days

- 12 Mondays
- 12 Tuesdays
- 12 Wednesdays
- 12 Thursdays
- 12 Fridays
- 9 days tests
- 18 days first exam
- 10 days second exam

2 days interchange to make up for a Thursday and a Friday



2026 Draft framework for academic calendar

Semester 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
February							1
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	9 M1	10 Tu1	11 W1	12 Th1	13 F1	14	15
	16 M2	17 Tu2	18 W2	19 Th2	20 F2	21	22
	23 M3	24 Tu3	25 W3	26 Th3	27 F3	28	

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
March							1
	2 M4	3 Tu4	4 W4	5 Th4	6 F4	7	8
	9 M5	10 Tu5	11 W5	12 Th5	13 F5	14	15
	16 M6	17 Tu6	18 W6	19 Th6	20 F6	21	22
	23 M7	24 Tu7	25 W7	26 Th7	27 F7	28	29
	30	31					

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
April			1	2	3	4	5
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	13	14 Tu8	15 W8	16 Th8	17 F8	18	19
	20 M8	21 Tu9	22 W9	23 Th9	24 F9	25	26
	27	28	29	30			

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
May					1	2	3
	4 M9	5 Tu10	6 W10	7 Th10	8 F10	9	10
	11 M10	12 Tu11	13 W11	14 Th11	15 F11	16	17
	18 M11	19 Tu12	20 W12	21 Th12	22 F12	23	24
	25 M12	26	27	28	29	30	31

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
June							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28

1st semester 60 class days

12 Mondays
 12 Tuesdays
 13 Wednesdays
 13 Thursdays
 12 Fridays
 7 days tests
 18 days first exam
 2 days second exam
 8 days recess overlaps with school holidays



2026 Draft Framework for academic calendar

Semester 2

2nd semester: 60 class days

12 Mondays
 12 Tuesdays
 12 Wednesdays
 12 Thursdays
 12 Fridays
 9 days tests
 18 days first exam
 18 days second exam
 6 days distance learning examination
 8 recess days overlap with school holidays
 2 interchange of days

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
July			1	2	3	4	5
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	13 M1	14 Tu1	15 W1	16 Th1	17 F1	18	19
	20 M2	21 Tu2	22 W2	23 Th2	24 F2	25	26
	27 M3	28 Tu3	29 W3	30 Th3	31 F3		

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
August						1	2
	3 M4	4 Tu4	5 W4	6 Th4	7 F4	8	9
	10	11 Tu5	12 W5	13 Th5	14 F5	15	16
	17 M5	18 Tu6	19 W6	20 Th6	21 F6	22	23
	24 M6	25 Tu7	26 W7	27 Th7	28 F7	29	30
	31 M7						

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
September		1	2	3	4	5	6
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14 M8	15 Tu8	16 W8	17 Th8	18 F8	19	20
	21 Th9	22 Tu9	23 W9	24	25	26	27
	28	29	30				

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
October				1	2	3	4
	5 M9	6 Tu10	7 W10	8 Th10	9 F9	10	11
	12 M10	13 Tu11	14 W11	15 Th11	16 F10	17	18
	19 M11	20 F11	21 W12	22 Th12	23 F12	24	25
	26 M12	27 Tu12	28	29	30	31	

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
November							1
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
December		1	2	3	4	5	6
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	21	22	23	24 University closes	25	26	27
	28	29	30	31			