



Revised 2020 acad calendar to allow business continuity amidst COVID-19
Conventional academic calendar for 2021

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- Public holidays
- 2020/2021-01-01 New Year's day
 - 2020/2021-03-21 Human Rights day
 - 2020-04-10 Good Friday
 - 2020-04-13 Family day
 - 2020/2021-04-27 Freedom day
 - 2020/2021-05-01 Workers's day
 - 2020/2021-06-16 Youth day
 - 2020/2021-08-09 Women's day
 - 2020-08-10 Public holiday
 - 2020/2021-09-24 Heritage day
 - 2020/2021-12-16 Day of Reconciliation
 - 2020/2021-12-25 Christmas day
 - 2020/2021-12-26 Day of Goodwill
 - 2021-04-02 Good Friday
 - 2021-04-05 Family Day

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Post-COVID School terms

2020-01-15 to 2020-03-20

2020-03-31 to 2020-06-12

2020-07-07 to 2020-09-18

2020-09-29 to 2020-12-02

2021-01-27 to 2021-03-31

2021-04-13 to 2021-06-25

2021-07-13 to 2021-09-23

2021-10-05 to 2021-12-08

Notes 2020 CALENDAR:

- 1) Semester 1 progressed as per 2019 approved academic calendar until 17 March
- 2) Extended recess announced by Minister of Higher Education and Training until 15 April, as per National State of Disaster
- 3) Reconfigured academic calendar approved by SENEX for first semester as part of BCP; also approved by Council Exco on 17 June 2020 and ratified by Council on 28 July 2020
- 4) UMC considered for recommendation to SENEX a continuation of remote contingency learning for second semester

Notes 2021 CALENDAR:

- 1) Semester 1 commences on 15 Feb for returning students and 17 Mrch for first-year students.
2. Sem 1 has 13 full cycles for returning students, and 9 cycles for first-year students.
- 2) Semester 2 has 12 full cycles for returning students, and 9 cycles for first-year students.
- 3) Both 1st opp exam cycles have 18 days and exclude weekends
- 4) Both 2nd opp exam cycles have 8 days
- 5) Both mid-semester test weeks consist of 10 days and exclude weekends

Semester 1 commences on 17 March for first-year students

	Classes/Tuition
	University recess
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X	Distance learning examination
	Assessment
	Inter-campus sports day
X	Finalisation of Assessment Tasks
	Interchanges of days
	University opens and close