

Fee Payment Guide for Graduate Students Fall 2026

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For Inquiries and Payments by Installments

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Payment of AUS Fees

E-Payment	Students can log in to the banner system using their AUS username and password and complete the following steps: 1. Login into banner.aus.edu We recommend using desktop/laptop and Google Chrome as browser 2. Select Student Services 3. Student records 4. E-payment 5. Make payment 6. Enter the amount you want to pay in the box (press on add), then continue. 7. Put your card details and complete the payment • This system accepts both debit and credit card												
Direct Cash Deposits at Al Ansari Exchange	• Deposits can be made at any branch of Al Ansari Exchange; where available all over UAE. • Deposits are accepted in the form of cash only. • The student's name and AUS ID number must be mentioned on the deposit instructions. • Scan the deposit confirmation and email to studentaccounts@aus.edu												
Direct Bank Transfer and/or Bank Deposits	<table border="1"> <tr> <td>Bank:</td><td>Sharjah Islamic Bank</td></tr> <tr> <td>Account Name:</td><td>American University of Sharjah</td></tr> <tr> <td>Account Number:</td><td>0011-200170-001</td></tr> <tr> <td>Branch:</td><td>University City - Sharjah Branch</td></tr> <tr> <td>Swift:</td><td>NBSHAEAS</td></tr> <tr> <td>IBAN:</td><td>AE02 0410 0000 11200170 001</td></tr> </table> • The student's name and ID number should be mentioned on the transfer instructions. • Scan the transfer confirmation and email to studentaccounts@aus.edu Deposits can be made at any Sharjah Islamic Bank branch or at the cash deposit machines where available.	Bank:	Sharjah Islamic Bank	Account Name:	American University of Sharjah	Account Number:	0011-200170-001	Branch:	University City - Sharjah Branch	Swift:	NBSHAEAS	IBAN:	AE02 0410 0000 11200170 001
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Deadlines for Settlement of Tuition and Fees for the Current Semester

Semester Payment	Payment Deadline
Fall 2026 Graduate Students	August 31, 2026

- If payment is not completed by the deadline, late fees of AED 500 plus 5% VAT will be charged.
- Failure to attend a course (no show) does not result in a refund for courses registered. Students must drop excess credits before the add/drop deadline in order to receive a refund.
- Payment can be made any time before registration.

Payment by Installments

If full fees cannot be paid immediately, installments can be arranged with Student Accounts as follows:

Due Dates	August 31, 2026 (4 p.m.)	50% of full fees (net of scholarship amount)
	September 30, 2026	25% of full fees (net of scholarship amount)
	October 31, 2026	25% of full fees (net of scholarship amount)

How to pay by Installment:

1. Login into banner.aus.edu We recommend using desktop/laptop and Google Chrome as browser
 2. Select Student Services
 3. Student records
 4. E-payment
 5. Enroll in a payment plan
 6. Choose the term and the available payment plan, then continue
 7. Put your card details and agree to the term and conditions
 8. The system will automatically charge your card on each due date
- Enrollment in the online payment plan should be completed **before 4 p.m. on August 31, 2026**.
 - Deferred credit card payments rejected/not authorized on the date of withdrawal will be subject to AED 500 + 5% VAT charges per transaction.
 - The second and the third installments are due dates not deadlines; therefore, if you are enrolled in a plan and you wish to pay by bank transfer or cash deposit, you should pay three working days before the due date to avoid any fines.
 - Failure to attend a course (no show) does not result in a refund of charges. Students not planning to attend must drop their registration during the drop/add period. Students reported as "no show" in class will be withdrawn from the class without a refund. These students shall be placed on a drop/delete hold and will not be able to register in future semesters unless the fees are paid in full in advance.
 - If the online payment plan for the first installment is returned for insufficient funds, then the remaining installments shall be reversed, and the student shall be requested to complete the full payment in cash. The student, in this case, will no longer have the privilege of paying in installments.

Withdrawals and Refunds

Withdrawal from the university is subject to the following refund policy:

Before 4 p.m. on August 27, 2026	Full tuition refund
After 4 p.m. on August 27 to 4 p.m. on September 03	50% of the tuition
After 4 p.m. on September 03 to 4 p.m. on September 10	25% of the tuition
After 4 p.m. on September 10 onwards	0%

Graduate Tuition for Academic Year 2026-2027

Graduate Courses		Per Credit Hour
College of Architecture, Art, and Design		AED 5,480.00
College of Arts and Sciences		
PhD		AED 5,480.00
Masters		AED 4,371.00
College of Engineering (including PhD. programs)		AED 5,480.00
School of Business Administration (including PhD. programs)		AED 5,480.00
Optional		
Health Insurance (either/or)	Plan I AUS-Sponsored Students (Al Buhaira Medical Insurance coverage) and Students who don't have private medical insurance - <i>Sharjah, Dubai or the Northern Emirates visa holders</i>	AED 763 + 5% VAT (per semester)
	Plan II For all students who are not on Plan I (University Health Services Coverage at AUS campus)	AED 300.00 (per semester)
	Hospital Charge For all Students on Plan II – Medical Services at University Hospital Sharjah's Primary Care Clinic & Emergency Room	AED 112.50+ 5% VAT (per semester)

	Plan III AUS-Sponsored Students (Al Buhaira Medical Insurance coverage) and Students who don't have private medical insurance – <i>Abu Dhabi visa holders</i>	AED 878 +5% VAT (per semester)
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Conditional		
Lab/Technology Fee A	Applies for each registered course that has a fee A attached as per AUS catalog	AED 1,552.00
Lab/Technology Fee B	Applies for each registered course that has a fee B attached as per AUS catalog	AED 1,700.00
Activity Fee	Applies to all graduate students	100.00 + 5% VAT
Industry Credentials & Skills Fee*	Applies to all graduate students	70.00 + 5% VAT
Thesis or Project Extension Fee	Applies to students who require this option	200.00
Thesis Processing Fee	Applies to students who require this service	1,000.00
Thesis Binding Fee	Applies to students who require this service	350

*This fee provides all enrolled students with unlimited, discounted access to an industry-recognized third-party platform to earn professional certifications, badges, and micro-credentials that boost post-graduation employability. Beyond boosting post-graduation employability, immediate access to the platform allows students to supplement their current coursework with real-world technical skills, secure competitive internships by building a standout resume, and explore niche subjects outside their major at no major additional cost

Student Housing		
Utilities Service Fee	Fee automatically added to any residential hall room reserved (except summer)	AED 290 + 5% VAT
Refundable Dorm Deposit	One-time fee applied when students first register for residential hall rooms – refundable after cancelation	AED 1,000
Type	Description	Fees
Private	Single occupancy with private bath and kitchenette	AED 15,000
Semiprivate	Single occupancy with a shared bath and kitchenette	AED 11,000
Sharing	Double occupancy with a shared bath and kitchenette	AED 7,000

Fines/Charges (if applicable)	
Late Payment Fee (initial charge if fees are not settled by the first due date)	AED 500 + 5% VAT
Declined Credit Card Fee (per transaction for deferred payments if credit card is declined)	AED 500 + 5% VAT