

Undergraduate Academic Calendar 2023–2024

Fall Semester 2023

June	15	Thursday	Early application deadline for Fall Semester 2023
July	20	Thursday	Admissions application deadline for Fall Semester 2023
August	13	Sunday	Registration for all continuing students ends, 5:00 p.m.
	18	Friday	Residential halls open
	20	Sunday	Welcome session for new students and parents
	21	Monday	New student orientation begins
	22–24	Tuesday–Thursday	Additional placement tests for new students Registration for new students
	28	Monday	First day of classes Late registration and add/drop period begins
	30	Wednesday	Late registration and add/drop period ends, 5:00 p.m.
September	21	Thursday	Applications for Fall Semester 2023 graduation are due
	27	Wednesday	No Classes (University Closed): Al Mawlid Al Nabawi Holiday*
November	9	Thursday	Honors Convocation
	13	Monday	Advising and early registration for Spring Semester 2024 begins
	23	Thursday	Deadline to withdraw from a course without a grade penalty, 5:00 p.m.
December	1–3	Friday–Sunday	No Classes (University closed): Commemoration Day and UAE National Day holiday
	6	Wednesday	Last day of classes
	7–18	Thursday–Monday	Study and examination period
	19	Tuesday	Make-up examination day
	21	Thursday	Admissions application deadline for Spring Semester 2024
	23	Saturday	Fall Semester 2023 Commencement**

Spring Semester 2024

January	11	Thursday	Registration for all continuing students ends, 5:00 p.m.
	12	Friday	Residential halls open
	14	Sunday	Welcome session for new students and parents
	15	Monday	New student orientation begins
	16–18	Tuesday–Thursday	Additional placement tests for new students Registration for new students
	22	Monday	First day of classes Late registration and add/drop period begins
	24	Wednesday	Late registration and add/drop period ends, 5:00 p.m.
February	15	Thursday	Applications for Spring Semester 2024 graduation are due
March	14	Thursday	Applications for Summer Term 2024 graduation due
April	1–4	Monday–Thursday	No classes: Spring Break
	8–13	Monday–Sunday	No classes (university closed): Eid Al Fitr holiday*
	15	Monday	Advising and early registration for Summer Term 2024 and Fall Semester 2024 begin
May	2	Thursday	Deadline to withdraw from a course without a grade penalty, 5:00 p.m.
	14	Tuesday	Last day of classes
	15–25	Wednesday–Saturday	Study and examination period
	16	Thursday	Admissions application deadline for Summer Term 2024
	26	Sunday	Make-up examination day
June	8	Saturday	Spring Semester 2024 Commencement**

Summer Term 2024

June	3–4	Monday–Tuesday	Registration for Summer Term 2024
	5	Wednesday	First day of classes Late registration and add/drop period begin
	6	Thursday	Late registration and add/drop period end, 3:00 p.m.
	15–20	Saturday–Thursday	No Classes (University Closed): Eid Al Adha holiday*
	20	Thursday	Early application deadline for Fall Semester 2024
July	4	Thursday	Deadline to withdraw from a course without a grade penalty, 3:00 p.m.
	8	Monday	No Classes (University Closed): Al Hijri New Year*
	17	Wednesday	Last day of classes
	18	Thursday	Admissions application deadline for Fall Semester 2024
	18–20	Thursday–Saturday	Examination period
	21	Sunday	Make-up examination day

* Islamic holidays are determined after sighting the moon and actual dates may not coincide with the dates in this calendar.

** Commencement dates are tentative and are subject to change.

Note 1: Loss of teaching days may result in make-up days.

Note 2: During Ramadan, Sunday morning sessions will replace the Wednesday evening session for undergraduate programs.

Note 3: The approved calendar will be followed if there are no unforeseen circumstances that require a review or change.