

ZAYED UNIVERSITY ACADEMIC CALENDAR

for 2019-2020

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Preliminary	Day	Date	Event
	Wed	14 Aug 2019	New faculty report
	Sun	18 Aug 2019	Return of Academic Administrators & Returning faculty report
	Sun-Thu	18-22 Aug 2019	New students Orientation / Assessments and placement exams / Faculty Professional Development Week / Colleges grade appeal decisions

Fall Semester 2019	Day	Date	Event
	Sun	25 Aug 2019	Start of classes
	Thu	29 Aug 2019	Last day to add /Drop
	Thu	05 Sep 2019	Last day to suspend registration & Last day to withdraw from Course without failure for Full semester and Term A courses
	Thu	17 Oct 2019	Last day of Term A*
	Sun	20 Oct 2019	First day of Term B
	Thu	31 Oct 2019	Last day to withdraw from Term B Course without failure
	Wed	11 Dec 2019	Last day of classes*
	Thu – Thu	12-19 Dec 2019	Final Exams
	Wed	25 Dec 2019	Grades Announcement
	Mon	30 Dec 2019	Deadline for students grade appeals

Winter Break	Day	Date	Event
	Sun-Thu	22 Dec- 09 Jan 2020	Winter break for students
Sun-Thu	22 Dec- 02 Jan 2020	Winter break for faculty	

Second Semester 2020	Day	Date	Event
	Thu	02 Jan 2020	New faculty report
	Sun	05 Jan 2020	Return of Academic Administrators & Returning faculty report
	Sun-Thu	05-09 Jan 2020	New students Orientation / Assessments and placement exams / Faculty Professional Development Week/ Colleges grade appeal decisions
	Sun	12 Jan 2020	Start of classes
	Thu	16 Jan 2020	Last day to add/drop
	Thu	23 Jan 2020	Last day to suspend registration & last day to withdraw from a full semester and Term A courses without failure
	Thu	27 Feb 2020	Last day of Term A*
	Sun	01 Mar 2020	First day of Term B
Thu	12 Mar 2020	Last day to withdraw from Term B Course without failure	

Spring Break	Day	Date	Event
	Sun-Thu	29 Mar-09 April 2020	Spring break for students
Sun-Thu	29 Mar-09April 2020	Spring break for faculty	

Spring Semester 2020 continues ...	Day	Date	Event
	Sun	12 April 2020	Classes resume after Spring break
	Thu	07 May 2020	Last day of classes*
	Sat-Sat	09-16 May 2020	Final Exams
	Sun	17 May 2020	Start of summer vacation for students
	Thu	21 May 2020	Grades Announcement
Thu	28 May 2020	Deadline for grade appeals	

Summer Semester 2020	Day	Date	Event
	Sun	31 May 2020	Start of summer classes
	Mon	01 June 2020	Last day to add/drop
	Thu	04 June 2020	Last day to withdraw from course without Failure
	Thu	02 Jul 2020	Last day of classes*
	Sat - Sun	04 - 05 Jul 2020	Final Exams
	Sun	12 Jul 2020	Grades announcement
	Wed	15 Jul 2020	Deadline for grade appeals

Summer School will run for 5 weeks

*Course file submission must be within 2 weeks of the end of term/semester undergraduate courses.

Holidays:

- Arafat Day Sat 10 Aug 2019
- Islamic New Year Sat 31 Aug 2019
- National Day Mon 2 – Tue 3 Dec 2019
- Eid Al-Adha Sun 11 – Tue 13 Aug 2019
- Martyr's Day Sun 1 Dec 2019
- Eid Al-Fitr Sun 24 – Tue 26 May 2020

Note: All National and Religious Holidays are subject to change.