

Zayed University Academic Calendar for 2023 - 2024

	Day	Date	Event
Preliminary	Mon	07 Aug 2023	New faculty report
	Mon - Fri	14-18 Aug 2023	Returning of Academic Administrators & Faculty. Faculty Professional Development Week. Deadline for incomplete grades and appeals
Fall Semester 2023	Mon	21 Aug 2023	Start of classes for continuing students.
	Mon-Fri	21-25 Aug 2023	Orientation for new students, assessments & placement exams
	Fri	25 Aug 2023	Last day to add/drop for continuing students
	Mon	28 Aug 2023	Start of classes for new students
	Fri	01 Sep 2023	Last day to add/drop for new students
	Fri	22 Sep 2023	Last day to suspend registration & last day to withdraw from full semester and Term A courses without failure.
	Tue	10 Oct 2023	Last day of Term A
	Wed	11 Oct 2023	First day of Term B for graduate programs,
	Wed	25 Oct 2023	Last day to withdraw from Term B courses without failure for graduate programs
	Mon	04 Dec 2023	Last day of classes
	Tue-Fri	05-15 Dec 2023	Final Exams
	Sun	17 Dec 2023	Deadline for submitting final grades
	Wed	20 Dec 2023	Grades Announcement
Fri	22 Dec 2023	Deadline for student's grade appeals	
Winter Break	Mon-Fri	18 - 29 Dec 2023	Winter break for faculty
	Mon-Fri	18 Dec - 05 Jan 2024	Winter break for students
Second Semester 2024	Tue	02 Jan 2024	New faculty report, Academic administrators & returning faculty
	Tue - Fri	02 - 05 Jan 2024	Faculty Professional Development Week. Deadline for incomplete grades and appeals
	Mon	08 Jan 2024	Start of classes for continuing students
	Mon- Fri	08-12 Jan 2024	Orientation for new students /assessments & placement exams
	Fri	12 Jan 2024	Last day to add/drop for continuing students
	Mon	15 Jan 2024	Start of classes for new students
	Fri	19 Jan 2024	Last day of Add/drop for new students
	Fri	09 Feb-2024	Last day to suspend registration & last day to withdraw from full semester & Term A courses without failure
	Wed	28 Feb 2024	Last day of Term A
	Thu	29 Feb 2024	First day of Term B for graduate programs
Fri	15 Mar 2024	Last day to withdraw from Term B courses without failure for graduate programs	
Spring Break	Mon - Fri	25-29 Mar 2024	Spring Break for students & faculty
Spring Semester 2024 continues...	Mon	01 April 2024	Classes resume after Spring break
	Fri	26 Apr 2024	Last day of classes
	Mon-Fri	29 Apr-10 May 2024	Final Exams
	Sun	12 May 2024	Deadline for submitting final grades
	Mon	13 May 2024	Start of Summer vacation for students
	Fri	17 May 2024	Grades Announcement
	Mon	20 May 2024	Deadline for students' grade appeals
	Mon	20 May 2024	Start of Summer vacation for faculty
Summer Semester 2024	Mon	20 May 2024	Start of Summer classes
	Tue	21 May 2024	Last day to add/drop
	Fri	31 May 2024	Last day to withdraw from course without failure
	Wed	26 Jun 2024	Last day of classes*
	Thu-Fri	27-28 Jun 2024	Final Exams
	Sun	30 Jun 2024	Deadline for submitting final grades
	Fri	05 Jul 2024	Grades Announcement
	Sun	07 Jul 2024	Deadline for grade appeals

* **Starting Fall 2023:** Internships must be for a minimum period of 16 weeks and begins one week after the start of semester

* **Summer School will run for 5 weeks**

* **Course file submission must be within 2 weeks after the deadline of grade submission at the end of each semester.**

Holidays: • **Prophet Birthday** Wednesday 27 Sep 2023
• **Martyr's Day** Friday 1 Dec 2023
• **National Day** Sat-Sun 2-3 Dec 2023

• **New Year** Monday 1 Jan 2024
• **Eid Al-Fitr** Tue-Fri 9-12 April 2024
• **Arafat Day** Sun 16 Jun 2024

• **Eid Al-Adha** Mon- Wed 17-19 June 2024
• **Islamic New Year** Wed 10 Jul 2024

Note: All national and religious holidays are subject to change

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