



**ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-2026, *CONTINUING*  
*STUDENTS* IN ALL ACADEMIC PROGRAMS (EXCEPT CMHS INTAKE 2)**

1. The Calendar for Academic Year 2025-2026 applies to **ALL UR continuing students** in **ALL Undergraduate and Postgraduate academic programs** (Except those in CMHS Intake 2).
2. The Academic Year 2025-2026 shall officially **start on 15<sup>th</sup> September 2025**, and **end on 26<sup>th</sup> June 2026**.
3. The Academic Year 2025-2026 shall run on a Semester Basis for all Colleges.
4. The Online Registration Period is planned from 01<sup>st</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025;
5. Each Semester shall include the following key academic activities and duration:
  - i. **Teaching and Learning:** 15 working weeks for Semester 1 and 15 working weeks for Semester 2;
  - ii. **Revision:** One (1) working week;
  - iii. **Examinations:** Two (2) working weeks;
  - iv. **Special Examinations, Processing of Marks:** three (3) working weeks for Semester 1 and three (3) working weeks for Semester 2;
6. **Short Break and End of Year Holidays:** The Semester 1 Short break of two (2) working weeks is planned from **25<sup>th</sup> December 2025 to 04<sup>th</sup> January 2026**, and the **Summer break** is planned from **27<sup>th</sup> June 2026**.

**DETAILED ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES\_ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR  
CONTINUING STUDENTS, ACADEMIC YEAR 2025-2026**

**A. ROADMAP FOR REGISTRATION OF CONTINUING STUDENTS**

START DATE	END DATE	WORKING WEEKS	EVENTS
01 September 2025	14 September 2025	2	Registration Period

**B. ROADMAP FOR TEACHING, LEARNING, AND ASSESSMENT ACTIVITIES**

START DATE	END DATE	WORKING WEEKS	EVENTS
<b>SEMESTER 1:</b> 15 September 2025 to 23 January 2026			
20 August 2025	15 September 2025	4	Process & Release of Admission Letters for Graduate and

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			Postgraduate candidates, September 2025 Intake
15 September	15 October 2025	4	Registration for Graduate and Postgraduate students, September 2025 Intake
<b>15 September 2025</b>	<b>24 December 2025</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Semester 1: Teaching and Learning</b>
01 December 2025	15 January 2026	7	Applications for PhD and Identified Master's Programs, April 2026 Intake
<b>25 December 2025</b>	<b>04 January 2026</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>Semester 1: Short Break</b>
05 January 2026	09 January 2026	1	Semester 1: Revision Week
12 January 2026	23 January 2026	2	Semester 1: Examination Period
16 January 2026	30 March 2026	10	Process & Release of Admission Letters for Graduate and Postgraduate candidates, April Intake 2026
26 January 2026	13 February 2026	3	Semester 1: Special Examinations, Marking and Processing of Marks
<b>SEMESTER 2: 02 February 2026 to 26 June 2026</b>			
16 February 2026	06 March 2026	3	Department/School Council meetings to approve the 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Examination results and Appeals on the 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Examination results
09 March 2026	11 March 2026	-	College Academic Council meetings to approve the 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Examination results
12 March 2026	13 March 2026	-	Senate meeting to approve the 1 <sup>st</sup> Semester Examination reports
<b>02 February 2026</b>	<b>15 May 2026</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>Semester 2: Teaching and Learning</b>
01 April 2026	15 April 2026	2	Registration for Graduate and Postgraduate students, April 2026 Intake
01 May 2026	22 May 2026	3	Thesis Submission (Graduate and Postgraduate students)
18 May 2026	22 May 2026	1	Semester 2: Revision week
25 May 2026	05 June 2026	2	Semester 2: Examination Period
23 May 2026	12 June 2026	3	External Examinations for Thesis Submitted by Graduate and Postgraduate students





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01 June 2026	30 June 2026	4	Applications for Graduate and Postgraduate candidates, September 2026 Intake
08 June 2026	26 June 2026	3	Semester 2: Special Examinations, Marking and Processing of Marks
12 June 2026	30 June 2026	3	Thesis Defense for Graduate and Postgraduate students
19 June 2026	17 July 2026	4	Department/School Council meetings to approve end-of-year Examination results and appeals on the 2nd-semester examination results and the Graduation List
26 June 2026	24 July 2026	4	College Academic Council meetings to approve the end-of-year Examination results and the Graduation List
01 July 2026	29 July 2026	4	Senate meeting to approve the end-of-year Examination results and the Graduation List
01 October 2026	31 October 2026	GRADUATION PERIOD [Exact Date to be Announced]	

*Note: CMHS Intake 2 Academic Programs shall have a special Academic Calendar*

Done on...28/08... 2025

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