



Undergraduate Academic Calendar

2016-17

Fall 2016

Thursday, September 1	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New student enrollment deadline, 5:00 pm• Course add/drop period opens, 5:00 pm
Saturday, September 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fall 2016 term dorm move-in day• New undergraduate student orientation
Sunday, September 4	First day of classes
Monday, September 5	Final day to add courses, 5:00 pm
Monday, September 12 – Thursday, September 15 (pending formal announcement)	Eid Al-Adha break, no classes, campus closed
Thursday, September 22	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Final day to drop courses, 5:00 pm• Leave of absence and withdrawal deadline (no financial liability for term), 5:00 pm• New sponsorship contract deadline, 5:00 pm
Sunday, September 25	Term financial invoicing begins (financial liability locked for term), 5:00 pm
Sunday, October 2	Islamic New Year, no classes, campus closed
Tuesday, October 11	Ashura, one day holiday, campus closed
Sunday, October 23	Winter 2017 schedule submission deadline by departments
Thursday, October 27	Final day to withdraw from courses (W on transcript), 5:00 pm
Sunday, October 30	Winter 2017 term advising and registration opens
Thursday, November 10	Final day to withdraw from courses (WF on transcript), 5:00 pm
Sunday, November 13	Spring 2017 schedule submission deadline by departments
Sunday, November 20 – Thursday, November 24	Advising period for Spring 2017 term
Monday, December 12	Prophet Mohammed's Birthday Holiday, campus closed
Tuesday, December 13	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Final day of classes• Application to graduate in fall term deadline, 5:00 pm
Wednesday, December 14 – Thursday, December 15	Reading period
Friday, December 16 – Wednesday, December 21	Final exams
Friday, December 23	Final grades due in TopSchool, 5:00 pm

Winter 2017

Monday, January 2	First day of classes
Thursday, January 5	Final day to drop a course
Sunday, January 8 – Thursday, January 12	Spring 2017 online registration



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Thursday, January 12	Final day to withdraw from courses (W), 5:00 pm
Thursday, January 19	Final day to withdraw from courses (WF), 5:00 pm
Saturday, January 28	Final day of classes
Sunday, January 29	Final grades due, 12:00 pm

Spring 2017

Thursday, February 2, 2017	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• New student enrollment deadline, 5:00 pm• Course add/drop period opens, 5:00 pm
Saturday, February 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Spring 2017 term dorm move-in day• New undergraduate student orientation
Sunday, February 5	First day of classes
Monday, February 6	Final day to add courses, 5:00 pm
Thursday, February 16	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Final day to drop courses, 5:00 pm• Leave of absence and withdrawal deadline (no financial liability for term), 5:00pm• New sponsorship contract deadline, 5:00 pm
Sunday, February 19	Term financial invoicing begins
Wednesday, March 8	The Fifth Annual Sulaimani Forum / no classes Classes will be made up on Sunday, May 14.
Sunday, March 19 – Thursday, March 23	Nawroz / Spring Break, no classes, campus closed
Sunday, March 26	Summer 2017 schedule submission deadline by departments
Thursday, March 30	Final day to withdraw from courses (W on transcript), 5:00 pm
Sunday, April 2	Summer 2017 term advising and registration opens
Sunday, April 9	Application to graduate in spring term deadline, 5:00 pm
Thursday, April 13	Final day to withdraw from courses (WF on transcript), 5:00 pm
Sunday, April 16	Fall 2017 schedule submission deadline by departments
Sunday, April 23 – Thursday, April 27	Advising period for Fall 2017 term
Monday, May 1	Iraqi Labor Day, no classes, campus closed. Classes will be made up on Monday, May 15.
Monday, May 15	Final day of classes
Tuesday, May 16 – Thursday, May 18	Reading period
Friday, May 19 – Wednesday, May 24	Final exams
Tuesday, May 23	Senior grades due in TopSchool, 5:00 pm
Thursday, May 25	The Sixth Annual Commencement Ceremony
Saturday, May 27	Final grades due in TopSchool, 12:00 pm



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Summer 2017 Term A

Sunday, May 28	First day of classes
Thursday, June 1	Final day to drop courses, 5:00 pm
Thursday, June 8	Final day to withdraw from courses (W on transcript), 5:00 pm
Sunday, June 11	Fall 2017 online registration
Thursday, June 15	Final day to withdraw from courses (WF on transcript), 5:00 pm
Thursday, June 22	Final day of classes
Sunday, June 25	Final grades due in TopSchool, 12:00 pm

Summer 2017 Term B

Sunday, July 30	First day of classes
Thursday, August 3	Final day to drop courses, 5:00 pm
Thursday, August 10	Final day to withdraw from courses (W on transcript), 5:00 pm
Thursday, August 17	Final day to withdraw from courses (WF on transcript), 5:00 pm
Thursday, August 24	Final day of classes
Sunday, August 27	Final grades due in TopSchool, 12:00 pm

Two full terms per year: Fall and Spring

* 13 Instruction weeks

Three short terms: Winter, Summer A, Summer B

* 4 Instruction weeks