

Academic Calendar 2025-2026

July 2025	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	5: Ashura*	2: Second Comprehensive Exam for postgraduate applicants for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 1-9: Registration for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 for undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate studies programs (current students only)
	7	8	9	10	11	12	13		8: Deadline for Course Withdrawal 10: Deadline to settle 2nd and final installment for the Summer Session 2024-2025 11: Application of the financial penalty 11: USEK Entrance Exam for undergraduate programs (except for Engineering)
	14	15	16	17	18	19	20		14: Deadline to submit a request for readmission for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 15: <u>Deadline to apply as transfer for the Fall Semester 2025-2026</u> 17: Deadline for Term Withdrawal 17: End of classes for the Summer Session 2024-2025 17: USEK Entrance Exam for graduate programs 18: USEK Entrance Exam for Engineering programs
	21	22	23	24	25	26	27		21-22: Final exams for the Summer Session 2024-2025 24: Deadline to submit the final grades for the Summer Session 2024-2025 25: USEK Entrance Exam for undergraduate programs (except for Engineering)
	28	29	30	31	1	2	3		28: Deadline to submit a request to review a final grade for the Summer Session 2024-2025 29: Deadline to sit for a make-up final exam for the Summer Session 2024-2025 31: Deadline to complete grades (I) for the Summer Session 2024-2025
August 2025	28	29	30	31	1	2	3		
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	4-15: Summer Break 15: Assumption	
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		18: Deactivation of the online application for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 18: Start of the submission period of the siblings' allowance request Siblings' Allowance Application Academic Year 2025-2026 18: Start of the submission period for third-party agreement discount requests Third-Party Agreements Fall Semester 2025-2026 20-21: Orientation sessions and registration of new students 20-22: Registration for new (including freshman), readmitted, exchange, and transfer students for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 21: USEK Entrance Exam for all undergraduate programs
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31		25-27: Registration Verification and Validation Process (RVVP) for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 28: Drop of registered courses (if no confirmation of registration is performed)
September 2025	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		1: Start of classes for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 1-5: Add/Drop - Late Registration for the Fall Semester 2025-2026. Late registration penalty will apply. 1: Start of the Financial Aid Application submission period for active students
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14		12: Deadline to submit the siblings' allowance request 12: Deadline to submit third-party agreement discount requests
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21		
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28		24: Basic Moodle Session for Faculty members 28: Deadline to apply for the International Students Scholarship Program (ISSP) for the Spring Semester 2025-2026
	29	30							30: Deadline to submit the Financial Aid Application for active students
	29	30	1	2	3	4	5		1: Activation of the online application for the Spring Semester 2025-2026

January 2026	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	<p>6: Epiphany and Armenian Christmas</p> <p>6: Deactivation of the online application for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 7: Deadline to submit a request to review a final grade for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 (online) 9: Deadline to sit for a make-up final exam for the Fall Semester 2025-2026</p>
	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	<p>17: Saint Anthony the Great</p> <p>12: Start of the submission period for the siblings' allowance request Siblings' Allowance Application Academic Year 2025-2026 12: Start of the submission period for third-party agreement discount requests Third-Party Agreements Fall Semester 2025-2026 13: Deadline to complete grades (I), final-year projects, and Master theses for the Fall Semester 2025-2026 14-15: Orientation sessions and registration of new students 14-16: Registration for new (including freshman and foundation students), readmitted, exchange, and transfer students for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 (1st payment to be settled 48 hours prior the registration)</p>
	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	<p>19: USEK Entrance Exam for all undergraduate programs 19: Start of the Financial Aid Application submission period for active students 19: Generative AI Masterclass workshop for Faculty members 19-21: Registration Verification and Validation Process (RVVP) for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 (1st payment to be settled 48 hours prior the RVVP) 21: Generative AI Masterclass workshop for Faculty members 22: Generative AI Masterclass workshop for Faculty members 22: Drop of registered courses (if no confirmation of registration is performed)</p>
	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	<p>26: Start of classes for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 26-30: Add/Drop - Late registration for the Spring Semester 2025-2026. Late registration penalty will apply 30: Activation of the Online Application for the Fall Semester 2026-2027</p>
26	27	28	29	30	31	1		
February 2026	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	<p>4: Generative AI Masterclass 4: Onboarding Moodle session for new faculty members 6: Deadline to submit the siblings' allowance request 6: Deadline to submit the third-party agreement discount requests</p>
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	<p>9: Saint Maron 14: Assassination of former PM Rafic Hariri</p> <p>10: Activation of the Shadowing activity 13: Deadline to submit the Financial Aid Application for active students</p>
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	<p>18: Generative AI Masterclass</p>
	23	24	25	26	27	28	1	<p>27: Deadline for submission of NSSF papers (or equivalent)</p>
23	24	25	26	27	28	1		
March 2026	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	<p>10: Deadline to settle the 2nd installment of tuition fees for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 11: Application of the financial penalty 9-13: Midterm exams (without class suspension) for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 13: Deadline for submission of postgraduate files for the Fall Semester 2026-2027 14: USEK Entrance Exam for admissions with scholarship 15: Deadline to submit the Study Abroad application for the Fall Semester 2025-2026</p>
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	<p>20-21: Eid Al-Fitr*</p>
	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	<p>25: Annunciation</p> <p>23: Deadline to submit a request for a double degree, double major, academic minor, and change of campus for the Fall Semester 2026-2027 (admission test(s) may be required) 28: USEK Entrance Exam for Undergraduate Programs (Regular Admission)</p>

	30	31	1	2	3	4	5		30-1: Advising for the Summer Session 2025-2026
April 2026	31	31	1	2	3	4	5	2-6: Catholic Easter	
	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	10-13: Orthodox Easter	10: Deadline to settle the 3 rd installment of tuition fees for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 11: Application of the financial penalty 7-15: Registration for the Summer Session 2025-2026 for undergraduate, graduate, and postgraduate studies programs
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		17: Open Day in Zahle RUC 18: USEK Entrance Exam for Undergraduate Programs (Regular Admission)
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26		20: Deadline for course Withdrawal (W) 20: Deadline to apply for the Shadowing activity 25: USEK Entrance Exam for admissions with scholarship
	27	28	29	30	1	2	3		29: Deadline to apply for admissions with scholarship 29: First Comprehensive Exam for postgraduate applicants for the Fall Semester 2026-2027
May 2026	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	1: Labor Day	
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		4-8: Make-up sessions 4-8: Doctoral Studies Days - MENA Region 8: Deadline for Term Withdrawal 8: End of classes for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 9: USEK Entrance Exam for admissions with scholarship 10: Deadline to settle the 4 th installment of tuition fees for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 11: Application of the financial penalty
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17		11-20: Final exams for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 11: Deadline to submit a readmission request for undergraduate studies for the Summer Session 2025-2026 15: Deadline to submit a readmission request for graduate studies for the Fall Semester 2026-2027
	18	19	20	21	22	23	24		21: Early orientation session and registration for new students 22: USEK Entrance Exam for regular admission 22: Deadline to submit the final grades for the Spring Semester 2025-2026
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	25: Pentecost 25: Resistance and Liberation Day 27-28: Eid Al-Adha*	26: Deadline to submit a request to review a final grade for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 (online)
June 2026	1	2	3	4	5	6	7		1: Deadline to sit for a make-up final exam for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 2: USEK Entrance Exam for graduate programs 3: Deadline to complete grades (I), final-year projects, and Master theses for the Spring Semester 2025-2026 4: USEK Entrance Exam for Engineering programs 5: Deadline for submission of postgraduate files for the Fall Semester 2026-2027 5: Deadline to submit an academic program change request for the Fall Semester 2026-2027 (admission test(s) may be required)
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	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	16: Hijri New Year*	18: Commencement Ceremony 18: USEK Entrance Exam for regular admission
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	26: Ashura*	22-25: Advising for the Fall Semester 2026-2027 24: Early orientation session and registration for new students

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July 2026	29	30	1	2	3	4	5		2: USEK Entrance Exam for regular admission
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	27	28	29	30	31	1	2		27: Deadline to submit a request to review a final grade for the Summer Session 2025-2026 (online) 28: Release of results for the Graduate Applications 29: Deadline to sit for a make-up final exam for the Summer Session 2025-2026 31: Deadline to complete grades (I), final-year projects, and Master theses for the Summer Session 2025-2026
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September 2026	31	1	2	3	4	5	6		
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