A DRAFT OF 2025-2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR
(Pending the Senate's Approval)

SUMMER 2025 (May – July, 2025)

Monday, May 26	Course Registration for 2025 Summer Begins
Thursday, June 12	Course Registration for 2025 Intersession Ends.
Thursday, June 12	Democracy Day Holiday
Monday, June 16	First Day of 2025 Summer Classes (Online)
Tues – Thurs, July 15 - 17	Midterm Exams for Summer (Online)
Sunday, July 20	Pre-Fall 2025 Resumption (early) Course Registration Begins
Thursday, July 24	Last Day of Summer Classes

FALL 2025 (August – December, 2025)

Friday, August 01	Course Registration for Fall 2025 Begins
Monday, August 18	Campus Reopens Fall 2025 Semester
Wednesday, August 20	Faculty and Staff Arrival
Friday, August 22	New Faculty Orientation
Saturday, August 23	Faculty Retreat
Monday, August 25	Admissions Folders due to Academic Registry by 1700 Hrs
Tuesday, August 26	New Students Arrive on Campus
Wednesday, August 27	New Student Orientation Begins
Thursday, August 28	President's Welcome Session (for new students and their parents)/Dinner
Saturday, August 30	Returning students arrive on campus
Sunday, August 31	Returning Students' Clearance/Registration
Monday, September 01	Pledge Ceremony
Monday, September 01	Last Day for 100% Tuition Refund/
Monday, September 01	Reading/Revision for 2025 Summer Final Exam Begins
Tuesday, September 02	First Day Fall 2025 Classes
Thursday, September 04	Reading / Revision for 2025 Summer Final Exam Ends
Friday, September 05	Last day for 75% tuition refund
Friday, September 05	Summer Exams Begin (On Campus)
Sunday September 07	Intersession Exams Ends (On Campus)
Monday, September 08	Late Registration, & Add/Drop Begins for Fall 2025 Semester
Tuesday, September 09	Final 2025 Summer Grades due to Academic Registry
Monday, September 15	Late Registration Ends
Thursday, September 18	Graduation Applications Begin for Graduating Seniors
Friday, September 19	Last day for 50% tuition refund
Tuesday, September 23	Add/Drop Ends
Tuesday, September 23	Enrolment Census/ and Class Validation
Thursday September 24	Dropping A Course without Academic Penalty (W) Begins
Friday, September 26	Enrolment Census/ Figures Due to Provost by 1700 hrs
Wednesday, October 01	Nigeria's Independence Day
Saturday, October 04	Last day for 25% Tuition Refund
Thursday, October 09	Incomplete Grades due to the Registry by 1700 hrs
Friday, October 10	Senate Meeting
Wednesday, October 15	Last day to drop a course without Academic penalty (W)
Thursday, October 16	Course Withdrawal (WP/WF) Begins
Monday, October 20	Spring 2026 Class Schedules due to the Registry

Monday October 20	Midterm examinations begin
Saturday, October 25	Midterm examinations end
Monday, October 27	Fall Break Begins
Tuesday, October 28	Midterm Grades due to the Registry
Wednesday, October 29	2025 AUN International Conference (AUNIC): Arrival & registration of Participants
Thursday, October 30	2025 AUNIC: Main Events
Friday, October 31	2025 AUNIC: Main Events
Saturday November 01	2025 AUNIC: Participants' Departure
Saturday November 01	Fall Break Ends
Monday, November 03	Classes resume after Fall break;
Monday, November 03	Last day to submit Fall 2025 Graduation Applications
Tuesday November 11	Last day for course withdrawal (WP/WF)
Saturday November 22	Founder's Day
Thursday, November 27	Last Day of Classes
Friday, November 28	Reading Day
Saturday, November 29	**Final Exams Begin**
Wednesday, December 10	**Final Exams End**
Thurs –Fri, December 11-12	Residence Halls Close
Saturday December 13,	Fall 2024 Final Grades due to Academic Registry
Monday, December 15	University officially closes for mid-year
Friday, December 19	Pre-Spring 2026 Resumption (Early) Course Registration Begins
Thursday, December 25	Christmas Day

SPRING 2026 (January – May, 2026)

Thursday, January 01	New Year Day
Friday, January 02	Spring 2026 Registration Begins
Monday, January 12	Campus Reopens
Wednesday, January 14	Faculty and Staff Arrival
Saturday, January 17	Faculty Retreat
Monday, January 19	Admissions Folders due to the Registry
Tuesday, January 20	New Students Arrive on Campus
Wednesday, January 21	New Student Orientation Begins
Thursday, January 22	President's Welcome Session (for new students and their parents)/Dinner
Friday, January 23	New Faculty/Staff Orientation
Saturday, January 24	Returning students arrive on campus
Sunday, January 25	Returning students' Arrival and Clearance
Monday, January 26	Spring Pledge Ceremony
Monday, January 26	Last day for 100% Tuition Refund
Tuesday, January 27	First Day of Spring 2026 Classes
Tuesday, January 27	Late Registration/ Add/Drop Begins
Friday, January 30	Last day for 75% tuition refund
Wednesday, February 04	Late Registration Ends
Friday, February 06	Graduation Applications for Graduating Seniors Begin
Monday, February 09	Last day for 50% tuition refund
Wednesday, February 11	Add/Drop Ends
Wednesday, February 11	Enrolment Validation/Census
Thursday, February 12	Dropping A course without Academic Penalty (W) Begins

Monday, February 16	Enrolment Census Due to Provost
Friday, February 20	Last day for 25% tuition refund
Wednesday, March 04	Last day to drop a course without Academic penalty (W)
Thursday, March 05	Course withdrawal (WP/WF) Begins
Friday, March 06	Incomplete grades due to Registry by 1700 hrs
Saturday, March 07	Fall 2026 class schedules due to Registry.
Saturday, March 07	Senate Meeting
Wednesday, March 09	Midterm examinations Begin
Saturday, March 14	Midterm exams End
Monday, March 16	Spring Mid-Break Begins
Thursday, March 19	Midterm Grades Due to Registry by 1700 hrs
Saturday, March 21	Spring Midterm break ends
Monday, March 23	Classes resume after Midterm break
Thursday, March 26	Last day for course withdrawal (WP/WF)
Tuesday, March 31	Last day to submit Spring 2026 Graduation Applications
Friday April 03	Good Friday
Monday, April 06	Easter Monday Holiday
Thursday, April 23	Last day of Classes
Friday, April 24	Reading (Lecture-free) Day/
Saturday, April 25	**Final Exams begin**
Friday, May 08	Final examinations End
Saturday, May 09	Residence Halls Close by 1700 hrs (Except for graduating Seniors)
Monday, May 11	Spring 2026 Final Grades due to Registry
Tuesday, May 12	Deans Council Meeting - Reviews Graduation List.
Tuesday, May 12	Senior Week begins.
Friday, May 15	Senior Week ends
Saturday, May 16,	2026 Commencement
Wednesday, May 20	Campus Closes & Work-From-Home Begins