

2024-2025 ACADEMIC CALENDAR*

* Islamic holidays are determined after sighting the moon. Dates are tentative until formally announced by Kuwait's Civil Service Commission. Thus, actual dates may not coincide with the dates in this calendar. In the event of loss of teaching days due to unscheduled closings, AUK reserves the right to extend the Academic Calendar as necessary.

FALL 2024

September

15	Su	Prophet's Birthday. University closed.
16	M	Faculty report back to work.
19	Th	First De-Registration process for non-payment of tuition for Fall courses at 4:00 pm.
22	Su	Fall 2024 semester begins.
26	Th	Fall semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm. Last day to submit a Pass/Fail Option form, Permission to Audit form, Independent Study form, or Internship form. Online registration and forms submission for students will end at 4:00 pm.
26	Th	Final De-Registration process for non-payment of Tuition for Fall courses at 4:00 pm.
27	Fri	First day to withdraw from individual Fall courses or from the university with a 50% refund.
29	Su	Graduation application starts for Fall 2024 graduates.

October

03	Th	Last day to withdraw from individual Fall courses or from the university with a 50% refund.
06	Su	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
08	T	Submission of tuition refund, sibling discounts and installment request start.
20	Su	“Financial Hold” will be placed on students at 8:00 am, who have not requested an installment plan.
30	W	First tuition installment due.

November

04	M	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the first installment.
17	Su	Midterm grades due via AUK Self-Service by 11:00 am Midterm grades for Fall Courses available to students via AUK Self-Service effective 4:00 pm.
21	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from a single class or from the university.
24	Su	Academic advising for Spring and Summer 2025 begins.
26	T	Registration for Spring and Summer 2025 begins (for details refer to the Advance Registration Schedule available on the website).
28	Th	Second tuition installment due.

December

03	T	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the Second installment.
25-31	W-T	Winter break. University closed.

January 2025

01-02	W-Th	New Year. University closed.
05	Su	University reopens.
05	Su	Third tuition installment due.
08	W	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the third installment.
13	M	Last day of classes for Fall semester.
14-16	T-Th	Reading days.
19-23	Su-Th	Final exams.
26	Su	Final grades for Fall courses due via AUK Self Service by 11:00 am.
27	M	Grades for Fall courses available to students via AUK Self Service at 4:00 pm.
28-29	T-W	Faculty on campus.
30	Th	Prophet's Ascension. University closed
30	Th	Must Declare Major Hold" placed on students.

SPRING 2025**February**

13	Th	First De-registration process for non-payment of tuition for Spring courses at 4:00 pm.
16	Su	Spring 2025 Classes begin.
20	Th	Spring semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm. Last day to submit Permission to Audit form, Pass/Fail Option form, Independent Study form, or Internship form. Online registration and forms submission for students will end at 4:00 pm.
20	Th	Final De-Registration process for non-payment of tuition for Spring courses at 4:00 pm.
21	Fri	First day to withdraw from individual Spring courses or from the university with a 50% Refund.
23	Su	Graduation application starts for Spring 2025 graduates.
24	M	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
25-27	T-Th	National & Liberation Day. University closed.

March		
01	Sat	Holy Month of Ramadan begins. Office hours and class schedule adjusted.
02	Su	Submission of tuition refund, sibling discounts and installment request start.
06	Th	Last day to withdraw from individual Spring courses or university with a 50% refund.
10	M	“Financial Hold” will be placed on students at 8:00 am, who have not requested an installment plan
27	Th	First tuition installment due.
30-31	Su-M	Eid Al Fitr. University closed.
April		
01-03	T-Th	Eid Al Fitr. University closed.
03	Th	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the first installment.
13	Su	Midterm grades due via AUK Self-Service by 11:00 am Midterm grades for Spring Courses available to students via AUK Self-Service effective 4:00 pm.
17	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from a single class or from the university.
20	Su	Academic advising for Fall 2025 begins for all UG students.
22	T	Registration for Fall 2025 begins (<i>for details refer to the Advance Registration Schedule available on the website</i>).
27	Su	Second tuition installment due.
30	W	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the second installment.
May		
27	T	Third tuition installment due.
June		
01	Su	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the third installment.
05-08	Th-Su	Eid Al-Adha. University closed.
11	W	U Pattern
12	Th	Last day of classes for Spring semester.
15-19	Su-Th	Final exams (see exam schedule on web).
22	Su	Final grades for Spring courses due via AUK Self Service by 10:00 am.
23	M	Final grades for Spring courses available to students via AUK Self Service at 4:00 pm.
24-25	T-W	Faculty on campus.
26	Th	Islamic New Year. University closed.
26	Th	Beginning of Summer Break & Summer Leave/ beginning of Faculty Annual Leave

SUMMER 2025 – Undergraduate (6 weeks)

June

25	W	First De-Registration process for non-payment of UG Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
26	Th	Beginning of Summer Break & Summer Leave/ beginning of Faculty Annual Leave
26	Th	Islamic New Year. University closed.
29	Su	Summer 2025 Classes begin.

July

01	T	Summer semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm. Last day to submit Permission to Audit form, Pass/Fail Option form, Independent Study form, or Internship form.
01	T	Final De-Registration process for non-payment of UG Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
02	W	First day to withdraw from individual Summer courses or from the university with a 50% Refund.
02	W	Graduation application starts for Summer 2025 graduates.
10	Th	Last day to withdraw from individual Summer Semester courses or university with a 50% refund.
13	Su	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
14	M	Submission of tuition refund and installment request start.
16	W	“Financial Hold” will be placed on students at 8:00 am, who have not requested an installment plan
24	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from a single class or from the university.
31	Th	Summer tuition installment due.

August

05	T	Financial hold will be placed at 8:00 am, for those students who have not paid the installment.
06	W	Last day of classes for Summer Semester courses.
07	Th	Final exams for Summer Semester courses.
10	Su	Final grades for Summer Semester courses due via AUK Self Service by 10:00 am.
11	M	Final grades for summer courses available to Students via Self Service by 4:00 pm.
25	M	End of Summer Leave

September

11	Th	End of Summer Break
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SUMMER 2025 – Intensive English Program (8 weeks)

June

25	W	First De-Registration process for non-payment of IEP Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
26	Th	Beginning of Summer Break & Summer Leave/ beginning of Faculty Annual Leave
26	Th	Islamic New Year. University closed.
29	Su	Summer 2025 Classes begin.

July

01	T	Summer semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm Online registration and forms submission for students will end at 4:00 pm.
01	T	Final De-Registration process for non-payment of UG Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
02	W	First day to withdraw from individual Summer courses or from the university with 50% Refund.
10	Th	Last day to withdraw from individual Summer Semester courses or university with a 50% refund.
14	M	Submission of tuition refund and installment request start.
16	W	“Financial Hold” will be placed on students at 8:00 am, who have not requested an installment plan
31	Th	Summer tuition installment due.
31	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from Summer Full Semester courses.

August

05	T	“Financial Hold” will be placed on students at 8:00 am, who have not requested an installment plan
20	W	Last day of classes for Summer Semester courses.
21	Th	Final exams for Summer Semester courses.
24	Su	Final grades for Summer Semester courses due via AUK Self Service by 10:00 am. Final grades for summer courses available to Students via Self Service by 4:00 pm.
25	M	End of Summer Leave

September

11	Th	End of Summer Break
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