ACADEMIC CALENDAR Fall Semester 2020 – 2021

August 20, Thursday	Al-Hijra: Islamic New Year, holiday.*
August 27 – September 4, Thursday – Friday	Fall registration for new students.
August 30, Sunday	Ashoura, holiday.*
September 7, Monday, 7:30 a.m.	Fall Semester classes begin.
September 7 – 11, Monday – Friday	Schedule changes. Late registration for Fall Semester for current/ returning students.
September 7 – 18, Monday – Friday	Orientation Period.
September 11, Friday	Last day for late registration.
September 16 – 22, Wednesday – Tuesday	Statement of fees and installment forms for old and new students are processed. *
September 25 – October 2 , Friday – Friday	Payment of tuition fees.*
October 19, Monday	Founders' Day Convocation.
November 1, Sunday	Birthday of the Prophet Muhammad, holiday.*
November 22, Sunday	Lebanese Independence Day, holiday.
November 30, Monday	Last day for Spring admission applications. Last day for Spring financial aid applications for new students.
December 4, Friday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
December 7 – 11, Monday – Friday	Spring registration for current/returning students.
December 11, Friday	Fall Semester classes end.
December 12, Saturday	English Communications Skills final examinations.
December 13 – 14, Sunday – Monday	Reading period.
December 15 – 23, Tuesday – Wednesday	Final examinations.
December 16 – 17, Wednesday – Thursday	Registration for new students.
December 25, Friday	Christmas, holiday.
January 1, Friday	New Year, holiday.
January 6 – 7, Wednesday – Thursday	Armenian Christmas, holiday.

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January 18, Monday, 7:30 a.m.	Spring Semester classes begin.
January 18 – 22, Monday – Friday	Schedule changes.
January 18 – 29, Monday – Friday	Orientation Period.
January 22, Friday	Last day for late registration.
January 27 – February 1, Wednesday – Monday	Statement of fees and installment forms for old and new students are processed.*
February 3 – 6, Wednesday – Saturday	Payment of tuition fees.*
February 9, Tuesday	Saint Maroun, holiday.
February 11, Thursday	Vartanants, holiday.
March 25, Thursday	Eid Al-Bechara, holiday.
March 30, Tuesday	Last day for Fall admission applications. Last day for Fall financial aid applications for new students.
April 2, Friday, 7:30 a.m.	Easter vacation begins.
April 6, Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.	Classes resume.
April 20 – 21, Tuesday – Wednesday	Registration for Summer Session for current/returning students.
April 23 – 29, Friday – Thursday	Registration for Fall semester for current/returning students.
April 23, Friday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
April 24, Saturday	Commemoration of the Armenian Genocide, holiday.
April 29, Thursday	Last day for Fall financial aid applications for current students.
April 30, Friday 7:30 a.m.	Greek Orthodox Easter vacation begins
May 1, Saturday	Labor Day, holiday.
May 4, Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.	Classes resume.
May 11, Tuesday	Spring Semester classes end.
May 12, Wednesday	English Communications Skills final examinations.
May 13, Thursday	Reading period.
May 14 – 15, Friday – Saturday	Eid al-Fitr, holiday.*
May 17 – 26, Monday – Wednesday	Final examinations.
May 28, Friday	Armenian First Independence Day, holiday.
June 6, Sunday	Baccalaureate Service.
June 11, Friday	Commencement.

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June 7, Monday, 7:30 a.m.	Summer Session Classes begin.
June 7 – 8, Monday – Tuesday	Schedule changes and late registration.
June 10 – 11, Thursday – Friday	Statement of fees and installment forms are processed.*
June 15 – 17, Tuesday – Thursday	Payment of tuition fees.*
July 9, Friday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
July 16, Friday	Summer Session classes end.
July 17 – 18, Saturday – Sunday	Reading period.
July 19-20, Monday - Tuesday	Final examinations.
July 22 – 23, Thursday – Friday	Eid al–Adha, holiday.*
August 15, Sunday	Assumption, holiday.

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