ACADEMIC CALENDAR Fall Semester 2017 – 2018

August 24 – 29, Thursday – Tuesday	Fall registration for new students.
August 30 – 31, Wednesday - Thursday	Orientation period for new students.
September 1 – 2, Friday – Saturday	Eid al-Adha, holiday.*
September 4, Monday,7:30 a.m.	Fall Semester classes begin.
September 4 – 8, Monday - Friday	Schedule changes. Late registration for Fall Semester for current/ returning students.
September 8, Friday	Last day for late registration.
September 13 – 20, Wednesday – Wednesday	Statement of fees and installment forms for old and new students are processed.
September 16, Saturday	Late Orientation day for late registered new students.
September 21, Thursday	Al-Hijra: Islamic New Year, holiday.*
September 23 – 29, Saturday – Friday	Payment of fees.
October 1, Sunday	Ashoura, holiday.*
October 16, Monday	Founders' Day Convocation.
November 22, Wednesday	Lebanese Independence Day, holiday.
November 30, Thursday	Birthday of the Prophet Muhammad, holiday.*
November 30, Thursday	Last day for Spring admission applications. Last day for Spring financial aid applications for new students.
December 4 – 8, Monday – Friday	Spring registration for current/returning students.
December 8, Friday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
December 11 – 12, Monday – Tuesday	Registration for new students.
December 14, Thursday	Fall Semester classes end.
December 15, Friday	English Communications Skills final examinations.
December 16 – 17, Saturday – Sunday	Reading period.
December 18 – 23, Monday – Saturday	Final examinations.
December 25, Monday	Christmas, holiday.
January 1, Monday	New Year, holiday.
January 6 – 7, Saturday – Sunday	Armenian Christmas, holiday.

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Spring Semester 2017 - 2018

January 15, Monday, 7:30 a.m.	Spring Semester classes begin.
January 15 – 19, Monday – Friday	Schedule changes.
January 19, Friday	Last day for late registration.
January 24 – 31, Wednesday – Wednesday	Statement of fees and installment forms for old and new students are processed.
January 27, Saturday	Orientation day.
February 3 – 12 Saturday – Monday	Payment of fees.
February 8, Thursday	Vartanants, holiday.
February 9, Friday	Saint Maroun, holiday.
March 25, Sunday	Eid Al-Bechara, holiday.
March 30, Friday, 7:30 a.m.	Easter vacation begins.
March 30, Friday	Last day for Fall admission applications. Last day for Fall financial aid applications for new students.
April 3, Tuesday, 7:30 a.m.	Classes resume.
April 6, Friday, 7:30 a.m.	Greek Orthodox Easter vacation begins
April 10, Tuesday 7:30 a.m.	Classes resume.
April 17 – 18, Tuesday – Wednesday	Registration for Summer Session for current/returning students.
April 19 – 25, Thursday – Wednesday	Registration for Fall semester for current/returning students.
April 23, Monday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
April 24, Tuesday	Commemoration of the Armenian Genocide, holiday.
April 30, Monday	Spring semester classes end.
April 30, Monday	Last day for Fall financial aid applications for current students.
May 1, Tuesday	Labor Day, holiday.
May 2, Wednesday	English Communications Skills final examinations.
May 3 – 6, Thursday – Sunday	Reading period.
May 7 – 15, Monday – Tuesday	Final examinations.
May 20, Sunday	Baccalaureate Service.
May 26, Saturday	Commencement.

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Summer Session 2017-2018

May 21, Monday, 7:30 a.m.	Summer Session Classes begin.
May 21 – 22, Monday – Tuesday	Schedule changes and late registration.
May 24 – 29, Thursday – Tuesday	Statement of fees and installment forms are processed.
May 28, Monday	Armenian First Independence Day, holiday.
May 31 – June 4, Thursday – Monday	Payment of fees.
June 13 –14, Wednesday – Thursday	Eid al-Fitr, holiday.*
June 28, Thursday	Last day to withdraw from courses.
July 5, Thursday	Summer Session classes end.
July 6 – 8, Friday – Sunday	Reading period.
July 9-10, Monday – Tuesday	Final examinations.
August 15, Wednesday	Assumption, holiday.
August 21 – 22, Tuesday – Wednesday	Eid al–Adha, holiday.*

31 SESSIONS: EACH SESSION FOR 3 CR COURSE IS 75 MINUTES

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