

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025/2026

Trimester I: From September 8-December 21, 2025

Weeks	Dates	Activities
Week 1-3	September 8-28, 2025	Teaching
Week 4	September 29-October 5, 2025	CATs
Week 5-8	October 6- November 2, 2025	Teaching
Week 6	October 13-19, 2025	Special cats and teaching
Week 9	November 3-9, 2025	Mid-Terms exams
Week 10-12	November 10-30, 2025	Teaching
Week 13	December 1-7, 2025	Special Mid-term and Make up classes
Week 14-15	December 8-21, 2025	Final exams
Important dates to remember		
Scholarship test	August 22, 2025	
scholarship results publication	August 26, 2025	
Start of trimester one	September 8, 2025	
Induction for new students (Kigali campus)	September 8-28, 2025	
Induction for new students (Nyagatare campus)	September 12, 2025	
Special and supplementary exams submission deadline	September 15, 2025	



Career day	September 22, 2025	
CATs submission deadline	September 22, 2025	
Submission of candidacy for guild council committee	September 22-October 5, 2025	
Special and Supplementary exams	September 29-October 5, 2025	
Modules registration deadline	September 28, 2025	
Admission committee meeting	September 29, 2025	
Senate meeting	October 6, 2025	
Special Cats submission Deadline	October 8, 2025	
Publication of the eligible candidate for guild council committee	October 9, 2025	
Election campaign for guild council committee	October 10-30 2026	
Elections for guild council committee	October 31, November 1 & 2, 2026	
Mid-term exam submission deadline	October 20, 2025	
Board meeting	November 6, 2025	
Publication of election results for guild committee candidates	November 8, 2025	
General meeting with students (Kigali campus for Day and Evening)	November 14, 2025	
General meeting with students (Kigali campus for Week end)	November 17, 2025	
General meeting with students (Nyangatare	November 21, 2025	



campus for Day)			
Swearing in Ceremony for guild council committee members (Nyangatare campus)	November 22, 11, 2025		
Final exams submission deadline	December 8, 2025		
Defenses deadline for January intakes	December 22, 2025		
Christmas Break	December 21, 2025-January 4, 2026		
Submission of Final exams marks	January 3, 2026		
Trimester II: From January 5-April 26, 2026			
Weeks	Dates	Activities	
Week 1-3	January 5- 25, 2026	Registration and teaching	
Week 4	January 26- February 1, 2026	CATs	
Week 5-8	February 2-March 1, 2026	Teaching	
Week 6	February 8-15, 2026	Special cats and teaching	
Week 9	March 2-8, 2026	Mid-Terms exams	
Week 10-12	March 9-29, 2026	Teaching	
Week 13	March 30-April 5	Special Mid-Term and Make up classes	
Week 14	April 7-13, 2025	Genocide Memorial week	
Week 15-16	April 14- 26, 2026	Final exams	
Important dates to remember			
Scholarship test	January 2, 2026		
Publication of scholarship results	January 6, 2026		



Start of trimester two	January 5, 2026	
Induction for new students (Kigali campus)	January 5, 2026	
Induction for new students (Nyagatare campus)	January 9, 2026	
Special and supplementary submission deadline	January 12, 2026	
Special and Supplementary exams	January 19-25, 2026	
Deadline for Cats submission	January 26, 2026	
Registration deadline	January 30, 2026	
Heroes day	February 1, 2026	
Deadline for special Cats submission	February 8, 2026	
Senate meeting	February 16, 2026	
Mid-Term exam submission deadline	March 2, 2026	
General meeting with students (Kigali campus for Day and Evening)	March 12, 2026	
General meeting with students (Kigali campus for week end)	March 15, 2026	
Eid-Al-Fitr	March, 20, 2026	
General meeting with students (Nyagatare campus for day)	March 27, 2026	
General meeting with students (Nyagatare campus for Week end)	March 29, 2026	
Special Mid-Term exam submission deadline	March 28, 2026	



Good Friday	April 3, 2026	
Final exams submission deadline	April 6, 2026	
Easter Monday	April 6, 2026	
Genocide Memorial day	April 7, 2026	
Board meeting	March 16, 2026	
Defenses deadline for May 2023 intakes	April 24, 2026	
Break	April 26-May 10, 2026	
Trimester III: From May 11- August 23, 2026		
Weeks	Dates	Activities
Week 1-3	May 11-31, 2026	Registration and teaching
Week 4	June 1-7, 2026	CATs
Week 5-8	June 8-July 5, 2026	Teaching
Week 6	June 13-19, 2026	Special cats and teaching
Week 9	July 7-12, 2026	Mid-Terms exams
Week 10-12	July 13-August 2, 2026	Teaching
Week 13	August 3-9, 2026	Special Mid-Term and Make up classes
Week 14-15	August 10-August 23, 2026	Final exams
Important dates to remember		
Scholarship test	April 30, 2026	
Labor day	May 1, 2026	



Publication of scholarship results	May 5, 2026	
Start of trimester three	May 11, 2026	
Induction for new students (Kigali campus)	May 11, 2026	
Induction for new students (Nyagatare campus)	May 15, 2026	
Defenses deadline for January intakes	May 15, 2026	
Special and Supplementary exams	May 18-24, 2026	
CATs submission Deadline	May 25, 2026	
Eid al-Adha	May 27, 2026	
Registration deadline	May 29, 2026	
Career day	May 29, 2026	
Senate meeting	June 8, 2026	
CATs submission deadline	June 6, 2026	
Mid term exam submission deadline	June 30, 2026	
Independence day	July 1, 2026	
Liberation day	July 4, 2026	
Liberation day observed	July 6, 2026	
Board meeting	July 6, 2026	
General meeting with students (Kigali campus for Day and Evening)	July 15, 2026	
General meeting with students (Kigali for week end)	July 19, 2026	



General meeting with students (Nyangatare campus for Day)	July 24, 2026	
General meeting with students (Nyangatare campus for week end)	July 26, 2026	
Special Mid-Term submission deadline	July 27, 2026	
Final exams submission deadline	August 3, 2026	
National Harvest day	August 7, 2026	
Defenses deadline for September 2023 intakes	August 14, 2026	
Assumption day	August 15, 2026	
Break	August 17-September 13, 2025	
Start of new academic year 2026/2027	September 14, 2025	
Graduation	October 22, 2026	

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