

Academic Calendar 2021- 2022

Summer Semester 2021

Month	Date	Day	Event
May	23	Sunday	Summer Semester Begins*
May	23-31	Sunday- Monday	Add/ Drop Period
June	24	Thursday	Last Day to Drop a Course with a 'W' Grade
June	25-26	Friday-Saturday	Make Up Day for UG Classes*
July	18	Sunday	AUW Summer School Begins
July	19-21	Monday-Wednesday	Eid-UI-Azha* (National Holiday)
July	25-29	Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week for All Students
July	29	Thursday	Academic Year Ends for All Students*
July	30	Friday	Graduation Ceremony for Access Academy and Pathways*
Aug.	5	Thursday	Submission of Grades for Summer Semester 2021

Fall Semester 2021

Aug.	16	Monday	All Faculty Return to Campus
Aug.	17	Tuesday	All Faculty Mandatory Orientation
Aug.	18	Wednesday	New Pre-AA, AA/ UG Student Orientation, Parent Orientation
Aug.	19	Thursday	Muharram Ashura* (National Holiday)
Aug.	22	Sunday	Fall Semester Begins for All Students
Aug.	22-30	Sunday-Monday	Add/ Drop Period for UG Students
Sep - Oct.	26-07	Sunday-Thursday	Completion of Degree Plan for Spring Semester 2022
Sept.	30	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*
Oct.	10-14	Sunday-Thursday	Fall Break
Oct.	15	Friday	Durga Puja* (National Holiday)
Oct.	17	Sunday	Classes Resume after Fall Break
Oct.	17-21	Sunday-Thursday	Assessment & Submission of Mid-Semester Grades
Oct.	21	Thursday	Last Day for Withdrawal of a Course with 'W' grade
Oct.	28	Thursday	Submission of Spring 2022 Semester Course List
Nov.	7-11	Sunday-Thursday	Pre-Registration Advising
Nov.	22-25	Sunday-Thursday	Spring Semester 2022 Registration
Dec.	5-9	Sunday-Thursday	Assessment Week
Dec.	9	Thursday	Fall Semester Ends for All Students
Dec.	12	Sunday	Winter Break Begins (through Saturday January 15, 2022)
Dec.	16	Thursday	Victory Day (National Holiday)
Dec.	19	Sunday	Submission of Fall Semester Grades
Dec.	25-26	Saturday-Sunday	Christmas & Boxing Day (Holiday)

Spring Semester 2022

Jan.	1	Saturday	New Year's Day (Holiday)
Jan.	2 - 13	Sunday-Thursday	Special "J" Session
Jan.	16	Sunday	Spring Semester Begins for All Students
Jan.	16 - 24	Sunday- Monday	Add/ Drop Period for UG Students
Feb.	17	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*
Feb. - Mar	20-6	Sunday- Sunday	Completion of Degree Plan for 2022 Fall Semester
Feb.	21	Monday	International Mother Language Day (National Holiday)
Mar.	11- 15	Friday-Tuesday	Spring Break
Mar.	16	Wednesday	"A Day Remembrance: My Lai and other Massacres" (no classes will be held)

Mar.	17	Thursday	Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's Birth Anniversary
Mar.	18	Friday	Shab-e-Barat* (National Holiday)
Mar.	20	Sunday	Classes Resume After Spring Break
Mar.	20 - 24	Sunday-Thursday	Assessment & Submission of Mid-Semester Grades
Mar.	24	Thursday	Last Day for Withdrawal of a Course with 'W' grade
Mar.	24	Thursday	Submission of Summer and Fall 2022 Semester Course Lists
Mar.	26	Saturday	Independence Day (National Holiday)
Mar.	27 - 31	Sunday -Thursday	Pre-Registration Advising for Fall and Summer Registration
Apr.	7	Thursday	Submission of Summer Research Projects Applications
Apr.	7	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*
Apr.	14	Thursday	Bengali New Year (National Holiday)
Apr.	17 - 21	Sunday- Thursday	Registration for Summer and Fall Semester 2022
Apr.	17	Sunday	Easter Sunday (Holiday)
Apr.	23	Saturday	Passover celebration, a special panel on oppression and freedom (all classes will be held as usual except evening classes)
Apr.	28	Thursday	Shab-e-Qadr* (National Holiday)
May	1	Sunday	Labor Day (National Holiday)
May	2 - 4	Monday-Wednesday	Eid-UI-Fitr* (National Holiday)
May	8-12	Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week for UG Students*
May	12	Thursday	Spring Semester Classes End for UG Students Only*
May	16	Monday	Buddha Purnima* (National Holiday)
May	19	Thursday	Submission of Grades for UG Spring Semester

Summer Semester 2022

May	22	Sunday	Summer Semester Begins*
May	22-30	Sunday-Monday	Add/ Drop Periodfor UG Students
June	23	Thursday	Last Day to Drop a Course with a 'W' Grade
July	9-11	Saturday-Monday	Eid-UI-Azha* (National Holiday)
July	24-28	Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week for All Students
July	28	Thursday	Academic Year Ends for All Students
July	29	Friday	Graduation Ceremony for Access Academy and Pathways*
Aug.	11	Thursday	Submission of Grades for Summer Semester 2022
July- Aug	31-14	Friday - Monday	Summer Break
Aug.	15	Monday	National Mourning Day (National Holiday)

Note:

1. Dates marked with an asterisk (*) may change depending on the appearance of the moon or some other reason. All updates will be informed via e-mail communication.
2. No classes will be held on designated national holidays. However, make up classes will be arranged for cancellation of classes resulting from the observance of certain holidays.
3. The University reserves the right to change the Academic Calendar at its sole discretion. Any changes will be announced in writing.
4. Schedules of undergraduate students will follow the Fall, Spring and Summer semesters whereas Pathways and Access Academy will have classes that run continuously from the beginning of the Fall Semester in August through the end of the Summer Semester the following year in July.
5. "All Students" shall include Undergraduate, Access Academy and Pathways students.