Undergraduate (UG) Academic Calendar 2023- 2024

Fall Semester 2023

Aug	16	Wednesday	All Faculty Return to Campus	
Aug.	20	Sunday	First Day of Fall Semester	
Aug.	21- 22	Monday- Tuesday	Student Orientation, Parent Orientation	
Aug.	20 - 24	Sunday-Thursday	Add/ Drop Period	
Sept.	6	Wednesday	Janmastami* (National Holiday)	
Sept.	10-21	Sunday-Thursday	Completion of Degree Plan for Spring Semester 2024	
Sept.	28	Thursday	Eid-E-Milad-Un-Nabi (National Holiday)	
Oct.	5	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*	
Oct.	8-12	Sunday-Thursday	Fall Break	
Oct.	15	Sunday	Classes Resume after Fall Break	
Oct.	15-19	Sunday-Thursday	Assessment & Submission of Mid-Semester Grades	
Oct.	24	Tuesday	Announcement of the Award of Annual Bijoya Scholarships	
Oct.	24	Tuesday	Durga Puja* (National Holiday)	
Oct.	31	Tuesday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade	
Nov.	12-23	Sunday-Thursday	Pre-Registration Advising	
Nov.	26-30	Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week	
Nov.	30	Thursday	Fall Semester Ends	
Dec.	7	Thursday	Submission of Fall Semester Grades	
Dec.	12-14	Tuesday-Thursday	Spring Semester 2024 Registration	
Dec	15	Friday	Winter Break Begins (through Saturday January 13, 2024)	
Dec.	16	Saturday	Victory Day (National Holiday)	
Dec.	25-26	Monday- Tuesday	Christmas & Boxing Day (Holiday)	

Spring Semester 2024

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Jan.	1	Monday	New Year's Day (Holiday)
Jan.	2-11	Tuesday-Thursday	Special "J" Session
Jan.	14	Sunday	First Day of Spring Semester
Jan.	14-18	Sunday-Thursday	Add/ Drop Period
Feb.	7	Wednesday	Shab-e-Meraj*(Holiday)
Feb.	15	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*
Feb.	18-29	Sunday-Thursday	Completion of Degree Plan for 2024 Fall Semester
Feb.	21	Wednesday	International Mother Language Day (National Holiday)
Feb.	26	Monday	Shab-e-Barat* (National Holiday)
Mar.	10-14	Sunday-Thursday	Spring Break
Mar.	16	Saturday	"A Day of Remembrance: My Lai and other Massacres" (AUW Observed Academic Holiday)
Mar.	17	Sunday	Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's Birth Anniversary (National Holiday)
Mar.	18	Monday	Classes Resume After Spring Break
Mar.	18-24	Monday -Sunday	Assessment & Submission of Mid-Semester Grades
Mar.	26	Tuesday	Independence Day (National Holiday)
Mar.	28	Thursday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade
Mar.	31	Sunday	Easter Sunday (Holiday)
Apr.	1-4	Monday -Thursday	Pre-Registration Advising for Fall and Summer Registration
Apr.	4	Thursday	Submission of Summer Research Projects Applications
Apr.	4	Thursday	Academic Council Meeting*

Apr.	7	Saturday	Shab-e-Qadr* (National Holiday)
Apr.	7-13	Sunday- Saturday	Eid-Ul-Fitr* (Extended Eid holidays)
Apr.	14	Sunday	Bengali New Year (National Holiday)
Apr.	22-25	Monday- Thursday	Registration for Summer and Fall Semester 2024
Apr.	23	Tuesday	Passover celebration, a special panel on oppression and freedom
May	1	Wednesday	Labor Day (National Holiday)
May	12-16	Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week
May	16	Thursday	Spring Semester Classes End
May	23	Thursday	Submission of Grades for Spring Semester
May	23	Thursday	Buddha Purnima* (National Holiday)

Summer Semester 2024

June	2	Sunday	Summer Semester Begins
June	2-3	Sunday-Monday	Add/ Drop Period
June	17-19	Monday- Wednesday	Eid-Ul-Azha* (National Holiday)
June	23	Sunday	Last Day to Drop from a Course with a 'W' Grade
July	17	Wednesday	Ashura*
July 28 - Aug 1		Sunday-Thursday	Final Assessment Week
Aug.	1	Thursday	Academic Year Ends
Aug 1- 17		Thursday-Saturday	Summer Break
Aug.	8	Thursday	Submission of Grades for Summer Semester 2024
Aug.	15	Thursday	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.

6. Date of the Annual Board of Trustees Meeting and Commencement Ceremony are yet to be confirmed and will be announced in writing.

7. Date of the Fall Semester Final Exam has been moved earlier foreseeing the possibility of political unrest during the election period.