

# MA Academic Calendar 2025- 2026

## Spring 2026

January	1	Thursday	New Year's Day (Holiday)
<b>Jan.</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>Saturday</b>	<b>Commencement Ceremony</b>
January	11	Sunday	Classes Begin for MA Second Year
January	15	Thursday	Student Orientation for MA First Year
January	26	Sunday	Classes Begin for MA First Year
Feb.	4	Wednesday	Shab-e-Barat* (National Holiday)
Feb.	21	Saturday	International Mother Language Day (National Holiday)
Mar.	12	Thursday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade for MA Second Year
Mar.	16	Monday	"A Day of Remembrance: My Lai and other Massacres" (AUW Observed Academic Holiday)
Mar.	18	Wednesday	Shab-e-Qadr* (National Holiday)
Mar	21-23	Saturday- Monday	Eid-UI-Fitr* (Extended Eid holidays )
Mar.	25	Wednesday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade for MA First Year
Mar.	26	Thursday	Independence Day (National Holiday)
Apr.	5	Sunday	Easter Sunday (Holiday)
Apr.	14	Tuesday	Bengali New Year (National Holiday)
Apr.	23	Thursday	Passover celebration, a special panel on oppression and freedom
Apr.	23	Thursday	Classes End for MA Second Year
May	1	Friday	Labor Day (National Holiday)
May	22	Friday	Buddha Purnima* (National Holiday)
<b>May</b>	25	Monday	Registration for Summer 2026
May	26-28	Tuesday- Thursday	Eid-UI-Azha* (National Holiday)
May	30	Saturday	Classes End for MA First Year

## Summer 2026

June	1	Monday	MA Classes Begin
June	26	Friday	Ashura*
June	15	Wednesday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade for MA First Year
August	5	Wednesday	July Mass Uprising Day
Aug.	25	Tuesday	Eid-E-Milad-Un-Nabi* (National Holiday)
August	30	Sunday	MA Classes End

## Fall 2026

Sep.	06	Sunday	MA Classes Begin
Sep.	20	Sunday	Last Day for Withdrawal from a Course with 'W' grade for MA First Year
Oct.	20-21	Tuesday-Wednesday	Durga Puja* (National Holiday)
December	16	Wednesday	Victory Day (National Holiday)
December	20	Sunday	MA Classes End
December	23	Wednesday	Registration for Spring 2027
December	25	Friday	Christmas Day (Holiday)