

2020-2021 ACADEMIC CALENDAR*

* Islamic holidays are determined after sighting the moon. Dates are tentative until formally announced by Kuwait's Civil Service Commission. Thus, actual dates may not coincide with the dates in this calendar. In the event of loss of teaching days due to unscheduled closings, AUK reserves the right to extend the Academic Calendar as necessary.

FALL 2020

October

15	Th	First De-Registration process for non-payment of tuition for Fall courses at 4:00 pm.
18	Su	Fall semester begins.
22	Th	Fall semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm. Last day to submit a Pass/Fail Option form, Permission to Audit form, Independent Study form, or Internship form. Online registration and forms submission for students will end at 4:00 pm.
22	Th	Final De-Registration process for non-payment of Tuition for Fall courses at 4:00 pm.
23	Fri	First day to withdraw from individual Fall courses or from the university with a 50% refund.
29	Th	Prophet's Birthday. University closed.

November

01	Su	Last day to withdraw from individual Fall courses or from the university with a 50% refund.
03	T	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
05	Th	Submission of tuition refund requests and sibling discounts forms start.
10	T	"Financial Hold" placed on students at 8:00 am; and first installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment plan.
15	Su	First tuition installment due.
18	W	KWD 25 late payment fee charged, and financial hold is administered at 8:00 am; the 2 nd installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment.

December

06-10	Su-Th	Midterm of semester.
12	Sat	UTR/UR/UT/U schedule
13	Su	Midterm grades for Fall courses due via AUK Self-Service by 9:00 am. Midterm grades for Fall Courses available to students via AUK Self-Service effective 4:00 pm. Graduation application starts for Fall 2020 graduates.
13	Su	Academic advising for Spring and Summer 2021 begins.
15	T	Registration for Spring and Summer 2021 begins (for details refer to the Advance Registration Schedule available on the website).
15	T	Second tuition installment due

20	Su	KWD 25 late payment fee charged, and financial hold is administered at 8:00 am; the 3 rd installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment.
24	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from a single class or from the university.
27-31	Su-Th	Winter break. University closed.

**January
2021**

03	Su	University reopens.
14	Th	Third tuition installment due.
19	T	KWD 25 late payment fee charged, and financial hold is administered at 8:00 am.

February

04	Th	Last day of classes for Fall semester. Advising for <i>Declared</i> majors stops until March 1.
07-11	Su-Th	Final exams.
14	Su	Final grades for Fall courses due via AUK Self Service by 9:00 am.
15	M	Grades for Fall courses available to students via AUK Self Service at 4:00 pm.

SPRING 2021

February

16	T	Must Declare Major Hold” placed on students.
24	W	First De-registration process for non-payment of tuition for Spring courses at 4:00 pm.
25&28	Th&Su	National and Liberation Days. University closed.

March

01	M	Spring 2021 Classes begin. Academic advising resumes for <i>Declared</i> majors.
01-07	M-Su	Spring semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm.
07	Su	Last day to submit Permission to Audit form, Pass/Fail Option form, Independent Study form, or Internship form. Online registration and forms submission for students will end at 4:00 pm. Final De-Registration process for non-payment of tuition for Spring courses at 4:00 pm.
08	M	First day to withdraw from individual Spring courses or from the university with a 50% Refund.
11	Th	Prophet’s Ascension. University closed.
14	Su	Last day to withdraw from individual Spring courses or university with a 50% refund.
15	M	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
16	T	Submission of tuition refunds requests and sibling discount forms start.
17	W	“Financial Hold” placed on students at 8:00 am; and first installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment plan.
20	Sat	UTR/UR/UT/U schedule
25	Th	First tuition installment due.
30	T	KWD 25 late payment fee charged and financial hold is administered at 08:00 am; the

2nd installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment plan.

April

03	Sat	UTR/UR/UT/U schedule
13	T	Holy Month of Ramadan begins. Office hours and class schedule adjusted
18-22	Su-Th	Midterm of semester.
18	Su	Graduation application starts for Spring 2021 graduates.
25	Su	Midterm grades for Spring courses due via AUK Self Service by 9:00 am. Spring midterm grades available on AUK Self-Service at 4:00 pm.
25	Su	Second tuition installment due.
28	W	KWD 25 late payment fee charged, and financial hold is administered at 10:00 am; the 3 rd installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment.

May

06	Th	Last day to withdraw with a "W" from a single course or from the university.
09-13	Su-Th	Spring Break & Eid Al Fitr. University closed.
25	T	Third tuition installment due.
30	Su	KWD 25 late payment fee charged, and financial hold is administered at 8:00 am.

June

06	Su	Academic advising for Fall 2021 begins for all UG students.
08	T	Registration for Fall 2021 begins (<i>for details refer to the Advance Registration Schedule available on the website</i>)
17	Th	Last day of classes for Spring semester.
20-24	Su-Th	Final exams (see exam schedule on web).
27	Su	Final grades for Spring courses due via AUK Self Service by 9:00 am.
28	M	Final grades for Spring courses available to students via AUK Self Service at 4:00 pm.

SUMMER 2021 – Undergraduate & Intensive English Program (8 weeks)

July

01	Th	First De-Registration process for non-payment of UG/IEP Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
04	Su	Summer 2021 Classes begin.
04-08	Su-Th	Summer semester Drop/Add deadline at 4:00 pm.
08	Th	Last day to submit Permission to Audit form, Pass/Fail Option form, Independent Study form, or Internship form. Final De-Registration process for non-payment of UG/IEP Summer courses at 4:00 pm.
15	Th	Last day to withdraw from individual Summer Semester courses or university with a 50% refund.
18	Su	Additional KWD 20 per credit hour of engineering courses for non-engineering students applied.
18	Su	Submission of tuition refunds requests
19-22	M-Th	Waqfat Arafat and Eid Al-Adha. University closed.
25	Su	Graduation application starts for Summer 2021 graduates.
26	M	“Financial Hold” placed on students at 8:00 am; and installment fee of KWD 10 is charged on all payments made after this time without a prior installment plan.

August

05	Th	Last day to withdraw with a “W” from Summer Full Semester courses.
05	Th	Summer tuition installment due.
10	T	Islamic New Year. University closed.
11	W	Financial hold is administered at 8:00 am.

September

01	W	Last day of classes for Summer Semester courses.
02	Th	Final exams for Summer Semester courses.
05	Su	Final grades for Summer Semester courses due via AUK Self Service by 10:00 am.
06	M	Final grades for Summer courses available to Students via Self Service by 9:00am.