

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR 2026-2027

SAINT JOSEPH UNIVERSITY OF BEIRUT

CALENDAR OF THE 2026-2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

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National Holidays		Christian Holidays		Muslim Holidays		Vacation		No Classes		Vacation and/or Office Hours		Working Days	
August		September		October		November		December		January		February	
												2027	
Sat 1	Tues 1	Thurs 1	Thurs 1	Sun 1	Week 10/All Saints' Day		Tues 1	Fri 1	New Year		Mon 1		
Sun 2	Wed 2	Fri 2	Fri 2	Mon 2			Wed 2	Sat 2			Tues 2		
Mon 3	Thurs 3	Sat 3	Sat 3	Tues 3			Thurs 3	Sun 3			Wed 3		
Tues 4	Fri 4	Sun 4	Week 6		Fri 4	Mon 4	Tues 4	Mon 4			Thurs 4		
Wed 5	Sat 5	Mon 5	Mon 5	Thurs 5			Sat 5	Tues 5			Fri 5		
Thurs 6	Sun 6	Tues 6	Week 2		Tues 6	Fri 6	Sun 6	Wed 6	Armenian Christmas		Sat 6		
Fri 7	Mon 7	Wed 7	Wed 7	Sat 7			Mon 7	Thurs 7			Sun 7	Week 4	
Sat 8	Tues 8	Thurs 8	Thurs 8	Sun 8	Week 11		Tues 8	Fri 8			Mon 8		
Sun 9	Wed 9	Fri 9	Fri 9	Mon 9			Wed 9	Sat 9			Tues 9	St. Maron Feast Day	
Mon 10	Thurs 10	Sat 10	Sat 10	Tues 10			Thurs 10	Sun 10			Wed 10		
Tues 11	Fri 11	Sun 11	Week 7		Fri 11	Mon 11	Exams	Mon 11			Thurs 11		
Wed 12	Sat 12	Mon 12	Mon 12	Thurs 12			Sat 12	Language Exams			Fri 12		
Thurs 13	Sun 13	Tues 13	Tues 13	Fri 13			Sun 13	Wed 13			Sat 13		
Fri 14	Mon 14	Wed 14	Wed 14	Sat 14			Mon 14	Thurs 14			Sun 14	Week 5	
Sat 15	Assumption Day		Tues 15	Sun 15	Week 12		Tues 15	Fri 15			Mon 15		
Sun 16	Wed 16	Fri 16	Fri 16	Mon 16			Wed 16	Sat 16			Tues 16		
Mon 17	Thurs 17	Sat 17	Sat 17	Tues 17			Thurs 17	Sun 17	Week 1		Wed 17		
Tues 18	Fri 18	Sun 18	Week 8		Wed 18	Mon 18	Exams	Mon 18	Beg. of Sem. 2		Thurs 18		
Wed 19	Sat 19	Mon 19	Mon 19	Thurs 19			Sat 19	Tues 19			Fri 19		
Thurs 20	Sun 20	Tues 20	Tues 20	Fri 20			Sun 20	Wed 20			Sat 20		
Fri 21	Mon 21	Wed 21	Wed 21	Sat 21			Mon 21	Thurs 21			Sun 21	Week 6	
Sat 22	Tues 22	Thurs 22	Thurs 22	Sun 22	Week 13/Independence Day		Tues 22	Fri 22			Mon 22		
Sun 23	Wed 23	Fri 23	Fri 23	Mon 23			Wed 23	Sat 23			Tues 23		
Mon 24	Thurs 24	Sat 24	Sat 24	Tues 24			Thurs 24	Sun 24	Week 2		Wed 24		
Tues 25	Fri 25	Sun 25	Week 9		Wed 25	Fri 25	Christmas	Mon 25			Thurs 25		
Wed 26	Sat 26	Mon 26	Mon 26	Thurs 26			Sat 26	Tues 26			Fri 26		
Thurs 27	Sun 27	Tues 27	Tues 27	Fri 27			Sun 27	Wed 27			Sat 27		
Fri 28	Mon 28	Thurs 28	Thurs 28	Sat 28			Mon 28	Thurs 28			Sun 28	Week 7	
Sat 29	Tues 29	Thurs 29	Thurs 29	Sun 29	Week 14		Tues 29	Fri 29					
Sun 30	Wed 30	Fri 30	Fri 30	Mon 30			Wed 30	Sat 30					
Mon 31	Beg. of Sem. 1		Sat 31				Thurs 31	Sun 31	Week 3				

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March		April		May		June		July		August		September	
Mon 1		Thurs 1		Sat 1	Labor Day	Tues 1		Thurs 1		Sun 1		Wed 1	
Tues 2		Fri 2		Sun 2	Orthodox Easter	Wed 2		Fri 2		Mon 2		Thurs 2	
Wed 3		Sat 3		Mon 3		Thurs 3		Sat 3		Tues 3		Fri 3	
Thurs 4		Sun 4	Week 12	Tues 4		Fri 4		Sun 4	Week 6	Wed 4		Sat 4	
Fri 5		Mon 5		Wed 5	Exams	Sat 5		Mon 5		Thurs 5		Sun 5	Week 2
Sat 6		Tues 6		Thurs 6	Exams	Sun 6	Week 2/Hijra New Year*	Tues 6	GC	Fri 6		Mon 6	
Sun 7	Week 8	Wed 7		Fri 7	Exams	Mon 7		Wed 7		Sat 7		Tues 7	
Mon 8		Thurs 8		Sat 8	Language Exams	Tues 8		Thurs 8	GC	Sun 8		Wed 8	
Tues 9		Fri 9		Sun 9		Wed 9		Fri 9		Mon 9		Thurs 9	
Wed 10	Al Fitr*	Sat 10		Mon 10	Exams	Thurs 10		Sat 10		Tues 10		Fri 10	
Thurs 11	Al Fitr*	Sun 11	Week 13	Tues 11	Exams	Fri 11		Sun 11	Week 7	Wed 11		Sat 11	
Fri 12		Mon 12		Wed 12	Exams	Sat 12		Mon 12		Thurs 12		Sun 12	Week 3
Sat 13		Tues 13		Thurs 13	Exams	Sun 13	Week 3	Tues 13	GC	Fri 13		Mon 13	
Sun 14	Week 9	Wed 14		Fri 14	Exams	Mon 14		Wed 14		Sat 14		Tues 14	
Mon 15		Thurs 15		Sat 15	Exams	Tues 15	Achoura*	Thurs 15	GC	Sun 15	Assumption Day	Wed 15	
Tues 16		Fri 16		Sun 16	Adha*	Wed 16		Fri 16		Mon 16	Prophet's Birthday*	Thurs 16	
Wed 17		Sat 17		Mon 17	Adha*	Thurs 17		Sat 17		Tues 17		Fri 17	
Thurs 18		Sun 18	Week 14	Tues 18	Exams if necessary	Fri 18		Sun 18	Week 8	Wed 18		Sat 18	
Fri 19	St. Joseph Feast Day	Mon 19		Wed 19	Exams if necessary	Sat 19		Mon 19		Thurs 19		Sun 19	Week 4
Sat 20		Tues 20		Thurs 20		Sun 20	Week 4	Tues 20	GC	Fri 20		Mon 20	
Sun 21	Week 10	Wed 21		Fri 21		Mon 21		Wed 21	Exams	Sat 21		Tues 21	
Mon 22		Thurs 22		Sat 22		Tues 22		Thurs 22	GC - Exams	Sun 22		Wed 22	
Tues 23		Fri 23		Sun 23		Wed 23		Fri 23		Mon 23	Res. of Admin. Act.	Thurs 23	
Wed 24		Sat 24		Mon 24		Thurs 24		Sat 24		Tues 24		Fri 24	
Thurs 25	Annunciation Day	Sun 25		Tues 25	Resist. & Liberal. Day	Fri 25		Sun 25		Wed 25		Sat 25	
Fri 26		Mon 26		Wed 26		Sat 26		Mon 26		Thurs 26		Sun 26	Week 5
Sat 27		Tues 27		Thurs 27		Sun 27	Week 5	Tues 27		Fri 27		Mon 27	
Sun 28	Week 11/Coptic Easter	Wed 28		Fri 28		Mon 28		Wed 28		Sat 28		Tues 28	
Mon 29		Thurs 29		Sat 29		Tues 29		Thurs 29		Sun 29	Week 1	Wed 29	
Tues 30		Fri 30		Sun 30	Week 1	Wed 30		Fri 30		Mon 30	Beg. of Sem. 1	Thurs 30	
Wed 31		Sat 31		Mon 31	Beg. of Summer Trim.	Tues 31		Sat 31		Tues 31		Thurs 31	