

BITS PILANI, DUBAI CAMPUS

Dubai International Academic City, Dubai, UAE

1. ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR ON-CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

SOME IMPORTANT DATES

August-16	September-16	October-16	November-16	December-16	January-17	February-17
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FIRST SEMESTER 2016 - 2017

August 1, 2016	Registration for Practice School-II
August 1, 2016	Practice School - II Begins
August 15, 2016	Independence Day (H)
August 17, 2016	Admission to Integrated FD & HD & Freshmen Orientation
August 18, 2016	First Semester begins
August 18, 2016	Registration for First Semester 2016-2017
August 21, 2016	Class-work begins
September 1, 2016	Sunday's Time table to be followed
September 4, 2016	Last day for substitution/addition of courses
September 10 -12, 2016	Eid-Al-Adha (H)*
September 25 -27, 2016	Test - 1
October 2, 2016	Al-Hijra - Islamic New Year day (H)*
October 3, 2016	Last day for Test - 1 Answer scripts returning to the students
October 13, 2016	Tuesday's Time table to be followed
October 17, 2016	Last day for Mid Sem Grading
October 25, 2016	Tuesday's Time table to be followed
October 26-29, 2016	Ph D Qualifying Exam Schedule
October 26-29, 2016	Last day for Mid Sem Thesis / Project review
October 12-13, 2016	Sparks (Students Activities)
October 30, 2016	Diwali (H)
November 1, 2016	Last day for withdrawal from courses
November 5, 2016	Foundation Day /Ethnic Day
November 8-10, 2016	Test - 2
November 15, 2016	Last day for Test - 2 Answer scripts returning to the students
November 13-17, 2016	BITS Sports Festival (BSF)
November 27-29, 2016	Enginuity (Students Activities)
November 30, 2016	UAE Martyr's Day (H)
December 2, 2016	UAE National Day (H)
December 5-6, 2016	Technofest (Students Activities)

SECOND SEMESTER 2016 - 2017

January 22, 2017	Second Semester begins
January 22, 2017	Registration for Second Semester 2016-2017 /Practice School-II
January 22, 2017	Practice School - II Begins
January 23, 2017	Class-work Begins
January 26, 2017	Republic Day (H)
February 7, 2017	Last day for substitution/addition of courses
Feb 26- Mar 1, 2017	Test - 1
March 5, 2017	Last day for Test - 1 Answer scripts returning to the students
March 17, 2017	Hostel Day
March 20-23, 2017	Ph D Qualifying Exam Schedule
March 20-23, 2017	Last day for Mid Sem Thesis / Project review
March 28, 2017	Last day for Mid Sem Grading
March 29-30, 2017	Artex (Students Activities)
April 2, 2017	Last day for withdrawal from courses
April 10-13, 2017	Test - 2
April 19-21, 2017	Jashn (Students Activities)
April 18, 2017	Last day for Test - 2 Answer scripts returning to the students
April 24, 2017	Isra-Wal-Miraj - Prophet Mohammad' (PBUH) Ascension (H)*
May 2-4, 2017	Ph D Qualifying Exam Schedule
May 7, 2017	Annual Day
May 10, 2017	Registration for Practice School-I
May 15, 2017	Last day for Final evaluation of Project Courses
May 13, 2017	Diro's Tea Party
May 17, 2017	Last day for class-work
May 21, 2017	Comprehensive Examination begins
May 23, 2017	Last day for Final evaluation of Thesis
June 1, 2017	Comprehensive Examination ends
June 1, 2017	Second Semester ends
June 4, 2017	Registration for Summer Term

Exams

(H) Holidays

Note:

December 6-8, 2016	PhD Qualifying Exam Schedule
December 6, 2016	Last day for Final evaluation of Project Courses
December 11, 2016	Last day for class-work
December 12, 2016	Milad-Un-Nabi - Prophet Mohammad's (PBUH) Birthday (H)*
December 14, 2016	Comprehensive Examination begins
December 20, 2016	Last day for Final evaluation of Thesis
December 25, 2016	Christmas (H)
December 28, 2016	Comprehensive Examination ends
December 28, 2016	First Semester ends
January 1, 2017	New Year Day (H)
January 4, 2017	Practice School - II ends
January 4-19, 2017	Recess

June 4, 2017	Practice School-I / Summer Term Begins
June 20, 2017	Summer vacation begins
June 24-25, 2017	Eid-Al-Fitr (H)*
July 3, 2017	Practice School-II ends
July 30, 2017	Practice School-I / Summer Term ends
August 1, 2017	Registration for Practice School-II for First Semester 2017-2018
August 6, 2017	Summer vacation ends
August 15, 2017	Independence Day (H)
August 19, 2017	Admission to Integrated FD & HD Program & Freshmen Orientation
August 20, 2017	First Semester begins
August 20, 2017	Registration for First Semester 2017-2018
August 21, 2017	Class-work begins

Note: Minimum 14 Sundays/Mondays/Tuesdays/Wednesdays/Thursdays during the First and Second Semesters

The above schedule may be revised subject to contingencies.

*Islamic holidays are subject to change according to the local sighting of the new moon/declaration by the Ministry.

In case of any unexpected holidays that will be compensated on Saturdays