


TIU ACADEMIC CALENDER 2025-2026
FOR FIRST GRADE



September 2025								October 2025								November 2025								December 2025						
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	Start of Semester Classes																													
	Midterm Examinations									Make-Up Examinations & Summer School								Start of Fall & Spring Semester Classes								Teaching Week				
	Final Examinations									Event Week								Public Holidays								Course Registration				

The academic year is divided into Fall and Spring semesters, each consisting of a minimum of 16 weeks of education. One week in the middle of each semester is designated for **Midterm Examinations**, while the final two weeks of each semester are reserved for **Final Examinations**.

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From	To	Key Academic Dates - Event	
December	7	Starting of the New Academic Year(Fall Semester Classes Begin) 2025- 2026	
December	7-24	Course Registration period	
December	17	Kurdistan Flag Day	
December	23-24	Add & Drop Days (foundation, advanced english.etc)	
December	24	Last day to submit syllabus on PIS	
December	25	Christmas Day	National Holiday
December	28-31	Event week- No classes	
January, 2023	01	New Year's Day	National Holiday
January	17-24	Midterm Examination Period - (Except Faculties of Law and Dentistry)	
January	22	Establishment of Republic of Mahabad Day	
February 26	March 10	Final Examination Period - Except Faculties of Law and Dentistry	
February	17	Provisional date for the start of Ramadan	
February 19	March 10	Midterm Examination Period - Faculty of Law	
March	05	Uprising Day (against Saddam Hussein's regime) - National Holiday	National Holiday
March	08	International Women's Day	
March	10	National Clothing Day	
March	12-18	Spring Holidays (No classes) (Nawroz) for students	

March	11	Uprising of Erbil & Anniversary of 11 March agreement (1970) - National Holiday	National Holiday
March	14	(Activity Day) -Birthday of Mustafa Barzani- Tree Planting Day- National Holiday	National Holiday
March	15	Faculty Examination Committee Meeting	
March	16-17	General Examination Committee Meeting	
March	15-17	Open Course in PIS	
		Make Up Exam Period (Only English Language Teaching Department)	
March	21 - 23	Nawroz- Kurdish New Year - National Holiday	National Holiday
March	19-21	Feast of Ramadan (Eid Al-Fitr*)	National Holiday
March	24-27	Objection Days	
March	24	Spring Fall Semester Classes Begin -First Day of Classes	
March 24	April 18	Mid-Term Examination Period - Faculty of Dentistry	
March 24	April 8	Course registration Period	
April	1	Assyrian New Year	National Holiday
March 31	April 1	Easter Holiday -	No Classes for the Christian Students
April	09	Baghdad Liberation Day (fall of Saddam Hussein's regime) - National Holiday	National Holiday
April	14-15	Add & Drop Days (foundation, technical english.etc)	
April	16	Yazidi New Year - National Holiday	National Holiday
April 25	May 2	Midterm Examination Period - (Except Faculties of Law and Dentistry)	
May	01	International Workers' Day (International Labour Day)	National Holiday
May	27-30	Eid Al-Adha	National Holiday
May 31	June 20	Final Examination Period - Faculty of Law	
May 31	June 20	Final Examination Period - Faculty of Dentistry	

June	4	End of Spring Term Courses - Last Day of Classes	
June	16	Muharram - Islamic New Year -	National Holiday
June	7-20	Final Examination Period - All Faculties	
June		Make-up Examination Period - Faculty of Law	
June	22	Faculty Examination Committee Meeting	
June	23 - 24	General Examination Committee Meeting and Announcement of the Final Grades	
June	23- 25	Objection Days	
July	3	Closing the PIS System - Except Faculty of Dentistry	
July	1-31	SUMMER HOLIDAY	
June 26	July 30	Summer Compensation – Pre-Clinic and Clinic (All Grades) – Faculty of Dentistry	
July	14	Republic Day of Iraq (National Holiday)	National Holiday
August	02-06	Summer Term Course Registration and Payment Period	
August	1-21	Make-Up Examination Period – Faculty of Dentistry	
August 9	September 10	Summer Term Education Period - All Grades	
August 9	September 17	Make-up Examination Period	
September	13 - 19	Final Examination Period – Summer Term	
September	23	General Exam Committee	
September	23 - 25	Objection days	
September	22 or 23	Graduation Ceremony	
September	25	Closure of PIS System	
September	27	Starting of the New Academic Year 2026- 2027	

Public – Local Holidays	Key Academic Dates - Events
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 September: Birthday of Prophet Mohammed (PBUH)* • 25 December: Christmas Day • 1 January: New Year's Day • 5 March: Uprising Day (Against Saddam Hussein's Regime) • 11 March: Anniversary of the 11 March Agreement (1970) • 14 March: Birthday of Mustafa Barzani • 21–23 March: Nawroz – Kurdish New Year • 19–21 March: Eid al-Fitr (End of Ramadan) • 1 April: Assyrian New Year • 9 April: Baghdad Liberation Day (Fall of Saddam Hussein's Regime) • 16 April: Yazidi New Year • 1 May: International Workers' Day • 26–30 May: Eid al-Adha* • 16 June: Muharram – Islamic New Year* • 26 June: Ashura* • 14 July: Republic Day of Iraq 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 7 January: Three-Day Yaran Feast (Qawltas) • 22 January: Establishment of the Republic of Mahabad Day • 1 February: Commemoration of the Erbil Deadly Twin Terrorist Attacks • 25 February: Turkmen Journalism Day • 1 March: Commemoration of Mustafa Barzani's Death • 7 March: Liberation of Sulaymaniyah City • 8 March: International Women's Day • 10 March: National Clothing Day • 11 March: Liberation of Erbil (Hawler) City • 14 March: Liberation of Duhok City • 16 March: Halabja Day – Commemoration of Chemical Weapons Bombardment on Halabja • 21 March: Liberation of Kirkuk City • 14 April: Commemoration of the Anfal Genocide against the Garmians (Chamchamal and Kalar) • 16 April: Commemoration of the Chemical Attack on Balisan • 22 April: Kurdish Journalism Day • 24 April: Commemoration of the Bombardment of Qaladze • 31 July: Commemoration of the Anfal Genocide against the Barzanis • 3 August: Commemoration of the Yazidis' Genocide • 7 August: Commemoration of the Assyrian Martyrs • 25 August: Commemoration of the Anfal Genocide against the Badinans • 17 November: Turkmen Culture and Language Day • 17 December: Kurdistan Flag Day