

UNIVERSITY OF NAIROBI

INTERNAL MEMO

FROM: ACADEMIC REGISTRAR

DATE: 19/06/2026

TO: DEANS OF FACULTIES

RE: SENATE APPROVED SEMESTER SCHEDULES – 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

The above subject refers.

Attached find Senate approved Semester Schedules for 2026/2027 Academic Year for your circulation.



WEBUYE, H.O.D
ACADEMIC REGISTRAR

cc. Deputy Vice-Chancellor (AA)

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SCHEDULE OF SEMESTER DATES - 2026/2027

ACADEMIC YEAR

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	2026						2027									
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
		24.8.26 31.8.26 7.9.26				7.12.26 18.12.26	11.1.27			12.4.27 23.4.27			5.7.27 16.7.27			
YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II				1 ST SEM		1 ST SEM EXAMS		2 ND SEM		2 ND SEM EXAMS			SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YR III		ICT TRAINING				1 ST SEM EXAMS	CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS									
YR IV				15 WKS				15 WKS								

GENERAL SCHEDULE

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**FAUCLTY OF AGRICULTURE
AGRI-BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT**

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**FACULTY OF AGRICULTURE
AGRI-EDUCATION & EXTENSION**

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II				1 ST SEM												
YR III																
YRIV				15 WKS												

FACULTY OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

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YR I		ORIENTATION														
YR II				1 ST SEM				2 ND SEM								
YR III						1 ST SEM EXAMS				2 ND SEM EXAMS						
YR IV				15 WKS		1 ST SEM EXAMS		15 WKS		PORTFOLIO EXAMS	Attachment 8 weeks		SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YR V											4 th Term 8 weeks					
YR VI																

FACULTY OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT & DESIGN
DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II				1 ST SEM				2 ND SEM								
YR III						1 ST SEM EXAMS	CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS			2 ND SEM EXAMS		Attachment 8 weeks Art & Design				
YR IV				15 WKS				15 WKS				Attachment 8 weeks Urban & Reg. Real Estate & Const. Mgt 4 th Term 8 weeks				

FACULTY OF BUILT ENVIRONMENT & DESIGN
DEPARTMENT OF ART & DESIGN
DEPARTMENT OF URBAN & REGIONAL PLANNING
DEPARTMENT OF REAL ESTATE, CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT AND QUANTITY SURVEYING

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YR I		ORIENTATION														
YR II																
YR III																
YR IV																

FACULTY OF BUSINESS & MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

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YRI		ORIENTATION											EXAMS			
YR II			1 ST SEM			1 ST SEM EXAMS	2 ND SEM			2 ND SEM EXAMS			SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL			
YR III						CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS					TEACHING PRACTICE		4 th Term (Geography 2 weeks)			
YR IV			15 WKS				15 WKS									

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

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		24.8.26 31.8.26	7.9.26			7.12.26 18.12.26	11.1.27			12.4.27 23.4.27			5.7.27 16.7.27			
YRI		ORIENTATION														
YRII				1 ST SEM			2 ND SEM									
YRIII			IC ^T TRAINING			1 ST SEM EXAMS	CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS			2 ND SEM EXAMS	4 th Term 8 Weeks (EIE, EBE & CCE)		SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YRIV				15 WKS			15 WKS				Attachment (EBE, CCE, MME, EIE) 8 Weeks Geo Camp & Hydro Map (3 Weeks) Attachment 8 Weeks					
YRV																

FACULTY OF ENGINEERING

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YRII				1 ST SEM		1 ST SEM EXAMS		2 ND SEM		2 ND SEM EXAMS			SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YRIII											4 TH term					
YRIV				15 WKS				15 WKS								

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
BSC MED LAB & TECHNOLOGY

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ACADEMIC YEAR

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		23.8.26 31.8.26 7.9.26				18.12.26	11.1.27	1.2.27	26.3.27 2.4.27		31.5.27	18.6.27		23.8.27 3.9.27		
YRI		ORIENTATION	1 ST SEM				2 ND SEM			2 ND SEM			SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YRII		ICT TRAINING														
YRIII			15 WKS				3 WKS			8 WKS			EXAMS 3 WEEKS			
YRIV																
			CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS				EASTER BREAK			10 WKS			BDS Elective Term 5 WKS BPharm 4 th Term 12 WKS			

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY
BACHELOR OF PHARMACY

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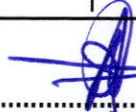
ACADEMIC YEAR

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2026							2027									
	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct
				19.10.26		18.12.26	11.1.27		15.3.27			28.6.27	16.7.27			
YRV				1 ST SEM 9 WKS			BREAK 4 WEEKS	1 ST SEM 9 WKS			2 ND SEM 18 WKS			EXAMS 3 WEEKS		

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BACHELOR OF DENTAL SURGERY
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Annex

2026

2027

	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sept	
	15.6.26			7.9.26	19.10.26		18.12.26	11.1.27	1.2.27	22.2.27	12.3.27	26.3.27	9.4.27		7.6.27	25.6.27	
YRV	1ST SEM 18 WKS							2ND SEM 5 WKS	2ND SEM 10 WKS			EXAMS 3 WEEKS		5 WEEKS ELECTIVE TERM			
YRVI				1ST SEM 16 WKS				2ND SEM 3 WKS		2ND SEM 8 WKS		BREAK 3 WEEKS		2ND SEM 17 WKS		EXAMS 3 WEEKS	

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF MEDICINE & BACHELOR OF SURGERY

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II			1 ST SEM					2 ND SEM		2 ND SEM						
YR III		ICT TRAINING				CHRISTMAS BREAK 4 WKS	3 WKS	8 WKS	EASTER BREAK		10 WKS	EXAMS 3 WEEKS		SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS		
YR IV			15 WKS				4 WKS	TEACHING PRACTICE 8 WKS		3 WKS						
							11.1.27	1.3.27			10.5.27 31.5.27	18.6.27				

FACULTY OF HEALTH SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCES

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II																
YR III																
YR IV																

FACULTY OF LAW

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YRI		ORIENTATION														
YR II				1 ST SEM		1 ST SEM EXAMS		2 ND SEM		2 ND SEM EXAMS	3 RD SEM		SUPPLEMENTARY/SPECIAL EXAMS			
YR III																
YR IV				15WKS			15WKS				8WKS					
YR V																
						14.12.26 18.12.26				5.4.27 23.4.27						

FACULTY OF VETERINARY MEDICINE

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