

AD Polytechnic and FCHS Academic Calendar 2019/2020

First Semester (AY2019-2020)

Sun	18 Aug 2019	Staff report to work (returning and new)
Sun –Thurs	18-22 Aug 2019	New students Orientation and registration
Sun	25 Aug 2019	Semester 1 Classes Begin
Sun-Tue	25-27 Aug 2019	Add/drop period
Thurs	12 Sep 2019	Last Day for withdrawal without penalty
Sun-Thurs	13-17 Oct 2019	Midterm Exams (Week 8) with regular classes
Sun-Thurs	10-14 Nov 2019	Early Registration for Semester 2 (Week12)
Thurs – Thurs	12-19 Dec 2019	Semester 1 Final Exams (Week 16)
Sun-Thurs	22 Dec 2019 - 09 Jan 2020	Winter Break (3 Weeks for Students)
Sun-Thurs	22 Dec 2019 - 02 Jan 2020	Winter Break (2 Weeks for Staff)

Second Semester (AY2019-2020)

Sun - Thurs	05 Jan 2019 - 09 Jan 2020	New students Orientation and registration
Sun	12 Jan 2020	Semester 2 Classes begin
Sun-Tue	12-16 Jan 2020	Add/Drop Period
Thurs	30 Jan 2020	Last Day for Withdrawal Without Penalty
Sun - Thurs	01-05 Mar 2020	Midterm Exams (Week 8) with regular classes
Sun - Thurs	29 March – 09 April 2020	Spring Break (2 Weeks for students)
Sun - Thurs	29 March – 02 April 2020	Spring Break (1 Week for faculty)
Sun - Thurs	05 April – 09 April 2020	Staff PD week
Sun - Thurs	05-09 April 2020	Early Registration for Summer Semester (Week13)
Sun – Sun	10-17 May 2020	Semester 2 Final Exams (Week 16)

Summer Semester (1) (AY2019-2020)

Wed	20 May 2020	Summer (1) Classes Begin
Wed-Thurs	20-21 May 2020	Add/Drop Period
Tues	02 June 2020	Last Day for Withdrawal Without Penalty
Sun – Tues	14-16 June 2020	Midterm Exams (Week 5) with regular classes
Sun – Tues	28-30 June 2020	Early Registration for Semester 1, AY 2019-2020
Tues – Thurs	30 June - 02 July 2020	Summer (1) Final Exams (Week 7)
Sun	05 July 2020	Summer (1) Break, if you are not having Summer (2)
Sun	16 Aug 2020	All Faculty Return
Sun	23 Aug 2020	All Students Return (Classes begin for Academic Year 2020/2021)

Summer Semester (2) (AY2019-2020)

Sun	05 July 2020	Summer (2) Classes Begin
Sun-Mon	05-06 July 2020	Add/Drop Period
Thurs	16 July 2020	Last Day for Withdrawal Without Penalty
Sun – Tues	16 Aug - 18 Aug 2020	Summer (2) Final Exams (Week 7)
Sun	16 Aug 2020	All Faculty Return
Sun	23 Aug 2020	All Students Return (Classes begin for Academic Year 2020/2021)

Religious and Public Holydays:

Sat	10 Aug 2019	Arafat Day (tbc)
Sun - Tues	11 Aug – 13 Aug 2019	Eid Al Adha (tbc)
Sat	31 Aug 2019	Hijri New Year (tbc)
Sat	09 Nov 2019	Prophet's Birthday (tbc)
Sat	30 Nov 2019	Martyr's Day
Mon - Tues	02 Dec – 03 Dec 2019	National Day
Wed	01 Jan 2019	New Year
Sun	22 Mar 2020	Israa & Miraj (tbc)
Sun - Tues	24 May – 26 May 2020	Eid Al-Fitr (tbc)

Official holidays *to be confirmed (tbc)* by the IAT Managing Director.

Signature: 	Effective Date: AY 2019-2020
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