ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020

SEMESTER 1 : 6th January – 10th April	
6th – 10th January	Registration of both new and continuing students
8th – 10th January	Supplementary and Special Examinations
13th January	Classes begin
13th January	Late registration begins
30th March – 9th April	End of semester examinations
9th April – 27th April	End of semester Break

SEMESTER 2: 27th April – 7th August	
27th April – 1st May	Registration of both new and continuing students
29th April – 1st May	Supplementary and Special Examinations
4th May	Classes begin
4th May	Late registration begins
25th May – 29th May	Mid-Semester break
23th July – 7th August	End of semester examinations
7th August – 31st August	End of semester Break

SEMESTER 3: 31st August - 4th December	
31st August – 4th September	Registration of both new and continuing students
2nd - 4th September	Supplementary examinations
7th September	Classes begin
7th September	Late registration begins

23th November – 4th December	**End of semester examinations**
4th December, 2020 – 4th January, 2021	**Semester break**

Kenyan public holidays and religious holidays in 2020	
10th April	**Good Friday**
13nd April	**Easter Monday**
01st May	**Labour day**
24th May	**Eid-Ul-Fitr**
01st June	**Madaraka day**
31st July	**Eid-ul-Adha**
10th October	**Moi Day**
21st October	**Mashujaa day**
12th December	**Jamhuri day**
25th December	**Christmas day**
26th December	**Boxing day**

N/B:

1. *Examinations for first semester end of 9th of April and not the 10th of April because of Good Friday.*
2. *The holidays between the first and second semester are shortened to two weeks so that the students can take a mid-semester break of 1 week for Eid-ul-fitr; this ensures that the length of the Semester is not affected by the celebration.*
3. *Eid-ul-Adha falls within the examination period for the second Semester; for this reason, examination dates are pulled back by two days to account for the possibility that a public holiday may be announced for the 9th or 10th of July. The examination timetable must take this into consideration.*