KSA Arab Open University Academic Calendar - Approved
Nineteenth Academic Year 2020-2021

First Semester 2020-2021

Weeks	Week Start	Event Date	Events
	29-Aug-20	30-Aug-2020	Beginning of (19th) Academic Year 2020-2021
			Faculty on duty
			Continuing and new students registration
			Faculty Training / Induction
			Students Orientation
Week 1	5-Sep-20	05 -> 10 Sep	Start of tutorial sessions
			Add / drop period (1 week)
			Transfer between Branches
Week 2	12-Sep-20		TMA available for students
			Detailed TMA Submission dates are available on LMS
Week 3	19-Sep-20		
Week 4	26-Sep-20		
Week 5	3-Oct-20		
Week 6	10-Oct-20	14-Oct-2020	University Council
Week 7	17-Oct-20		
Week 8	24-Oct-20	(25 -> 29) Oct	MTA (5 days)
Week 9	31-Oct-20		
Week 10	7-Nov-20		
Week 11	14-Nov-20	(18-19-20) Nov	TMA Cut-off Submission Date (3 days)
Week 12	21-Nov-20	(22-24-26) Nov	Makeup on MTA (3 days)
Week 13	28-Nov-20	2-Dec-2020	BOT (Board of Trustees)
		3-Dec-2020	Last date to submit CA grades in SIS
Week 14	5-Dec-20	5-Dec-2020	Last Date to Submit Samples of TMA and MTA to HQ
Week 15	12-Dec-20		Week (15) End of Semester
week 16	19-Dec-20	(20 -> 31) Dec	Final Exams period (12 days)
		7-Jan-2021	Last Date to Submit Final Grades in SIS
		2-Feb-2021	Online + NEE Modules Exam Board/ Posting Grades
		3-Feb-2021	AOU Local Program Exam Board/ Posting Grades
		8-Feb-2021	OU Branch's visit
		(09-10) Feb	OU Modules Exam Board / Posting Grades

Second Semester 2020-2021

Weeks	Week Start	Event Date	Events
Week 1	16-Jan-21	17-Jan-2021	Start of tutorial sessions
		(16 -> 21) Jan	Add/drop period (1 week)
			Transfer between Branches
Week 2	23-Jan-21		TMA available for students
			Detailed TMA Submission dates are available on LMS
Week 3	30-Jan-21		
Week 4	6-Feb-21		
Week 5	13-Feb-21		
Week 6	20-Feb-21		
Week 7	27-Feb-21		
Week 8	6-Mar-21	(07 -> 11) Mar	MTA (5 days)
Week 9	13-Mar-21	17-Mar-2021	University Council
Week 10	20-Mar-21		
Week 11	27-Mar-21	31 Mar (1-2) Apr	TMA Cut-off Submission Date (3 days)
Week 12	3-Apr-21	(06->08) Apr	Makeup on MTA (3 days)
Week 13	10-Apr-2021	12-Apr-2021	Holy Month of Rmadan Start
		15-Apr-2021	Last date to submit CA grades in SIS
Week 14	17-Apr-21	17-Apr-2021	Last Date to Submit Samples of TMA and MTA to HQ
Week 15	24-Apr-21		Week (15) End of Semester
Holiday		(01 -> 17) May	Ramadan Holidays
		23 May -> 03 Jun	Final Exams period (12days)
Week 16	22-May-21	2-Jun-2021	University Council
		10-Jun-2021	Last Date to Submit Final Grades in SIS
		22-Jun-2021	Online + NEE Modules Exam Board/ Posting OU Grades
		23-Jun-2021	AOU Local Program Exam Board/ Posting OU Grades
		28-Jun-2021	OU Branch's visit
		(29-30) Jun	OU Modules Exam Board/ Posting OU Grades

Summer sessions 2020-2021

Weeks	Week Start	Event Date	Event(s)
Week 1	19-Jun-21		Beginning of Summer sessions
			Week (1) Start of tutorial sessions
		19 -> 21 Jun	Add/drop period (3 days)
Week 2	26-Jun-21		TMA available for students
			Detailed TMA Submission dates are available on LMS
Week 3	3-Jul-21		
Holiday		20-Jul-2021	Eid Al Adha
Week 4	24-Jul-21	(26 ->29) Jul	MTA (4 days)
Week 5	31-Jul-21		

Weeks	Week Start	Event Date	Event(s)
Week 6	7-Aug-21	(11-12-13) Aug	TMA Cut-off Submission Date (3 days)
		18-Aug-2021	Last date to submit CA grades in SIS
Week 7	14-Aug-21	19-Aug-2021	Last Date to submit Samples of TMA and MTA to HQ
			Week (7) end of Summer semester
Week 8	21-Aug-21	(15 -> 19) Aug	Final Exams period
		26-Aug-2021	Last Date to Submit Final Grades to SIS
		9-Sep-2021	Online+NEE+Local Courses- Exam Board/Posting Grades
		13-Sep-2021	OU Branch's visit
		(14-15) Sep	OU Modules Exam Board/ Posting OU Grades

Next Academic Year 2021-2022 start will be in 28 Aug 2021