

Fall 2020

August	2-4	Eid al Adha – Offices closed (<i>Subject to change</i>)*
	16	Academic/Administrative Council (AAC) Retreat
	17	Opening of the Academic Year
	18-20	New Student Orientation Program, including registration
	23 (Sunday)	Fall classes begin
	23-27	Add/Drop and Late Registration
September	4	Deadline for students for online graduation application (December graduation)
October	4-8	Midterms
	11	Midterm grades due in eServices
	11-15	Fall break (<i>For students/faculty. Administrative offices remain open</i>)
	27	Spring semester registration opens
December	3 (Thursday)	Last day of classes
		Deadline to select P/F Grade Option for Fall 2020 courses. (<i>This is a date change!</i>) Last day to withdraw from a Fall 2020 course (with W-grade) (<i>This is a date change!</i>)
		Deadline for Faculty to submit Change-of-Incomplete-Grade Forms to R&R
		Last day for undergraduate I-grades from spring/summer to be converted by R&R
	6-10	Final examinations for fall semester
	13 (Sunday)	Final fall grades due in eServices
	18 (Friday)	Qatar National Day

Projected – Fall 2020*
Eid al Adha
Friday July 31 – Sunday, August 2
Offices likely closed:
Sunday, August 2 – Tuesday, August 4

Spring 2021

January	TBD	Offices re-open. Check VCUarts Qatar Pay & Holiday Calendar (Intranet – HR)
	5 (Tuesday)	Spring classes begin
	5-11	Add/Drop and Late Registration
	29	Deadline for students for online graduation application (May graduation)
February	9 (Tuesday)	National Sports Day – Offices closed/No classes to participate in Sports Day
	21-25	Midterms
	28-March 4	Spring break
	28	Midterm grades due in eServices
April	12 (Monday)	<i>Ramadan (until May 21). (Subject to change)*</i>
		Fall semester course registration begins (<i>This is a date change!</i>)
	20 (Tuesday)	Last day of classes
		Deadline to select P/F Grade Option for Spring 2021 courses. (<i>This is a date change!</i>)
		Last day to withdraw from a Spring 2021 course (with W-grade) (<i>This is a date change!</i>)
		(Note: The last day to withdraw from a Spring 2021 short course is the last day of the course itself)
		Faculty deadline to submit Change-of-Incomplete-Grade Forms to R&R and for I-grade conversions by R&R..
	21-22	Reading Days
	25-29	Final examinations for spring semester
May	1 (Saturday)	QF/Education City Convocation
	2 (Sunday)	Final spring grades due in eServices
	3 (Monday)	VCUarts Qatar Commencement

Projected – Spring 2021*
Ramadan
Monday, April 12- Tuesday, May 11
Eid al Fitr
Thursday, May 13- Saturday, May 15
Offices likely closed:
Sunday, May 16-Tuesday, May 18
Eid al Adha
Tuesday, July 20-Thursday, July 22

Summer 2021

May	23 – June 10	Three-week session #1 (starting after Eid al Fitr)
	23	Last day to add/drop for Three-week session #1
June	3	Last day to withdraw or select P/F Grade Option – Session#1
May	23 – June 24	Five-week session #3
	23	Last day to add/drop for Five-week session
	June 13	Last day to withdraw or select P/F Grade Option – Session#3
June	13 - July 1	Three-week session #2
	13	Last day to add/drop for Three-week session #2
	24	Last day to withdraw or select P/F Grade Option – Session#2
July	2	Deadline for students for online graduation application (August graduation)
	5	Final summer grades due in eServices.

* Dates subject to change without notice. Dates for Eid holidays subject to change.