

Teaching and Exam Procedures on Holidays and Fasts- Academic Year 2023-24

- Students observing the listed holidays are permitted to be absent from classes on the following dates, in accordance with section item 6.2.1 in the [Teaching Procedures](#).
- Students who are members of the religions listed and who are unable to take a final exam that is scheduled on a fast day or Holiday, will be provided with a make-up exam, in accordance with section 7.4.2 in the [Teaching Procedures](#).

Muslim Holidays¹

Birthday of the Prophet Muhammad	27.09.2023	
Eid al-Fitr (End of Ramadan)	9-12.04.2024	On 11.4.24 no lessons or exams will be held. On all other days of the holiday eligibility is according to the Teaching and Study Procedures
Eid al-Adha	17-20.06.2024	On 20.6.24 no lessons or exams will be held
New Year (1 Muharram)	7.07.2024	

Druze Holidays¹

Eid al-Khadir	25.01.2024	
Nabi Shu'ayb	25-28.04.2024	
Eid al-Adha	17-20.06.2024	On 20.6.24 no lessons or exams will be held

Christian Holidays

	Catholic/ Protestant	Orthodox	Armenian	
Christmas	25.12.2023*	07.01.2024	19.01.2024	* No lessons or exams will be held
New Year	01.01.2024	14.01.2024	14.01.2024	
Easter	31.03.2024	5.05.2024	5.05.2024	

Ethiopian Jews

Sigd	13.11.2023	29 B'Cheshvan
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Fasts

Tzom Gedaliah	18.09.2023	
10 B'Tevet	22.12.2023	
Ta'anit Esther	21.03.2024	Jewish students studying in Jerusalem but residing elsewhere are allowed to be absent from classes from 4:00 PM on this date.
Ramadan¹	11.03-9.04.2024	
Fasting on the Day of Arafah	16.06.2024	
17 B'Tammuz	23.07.2024	
9 B'Av	13.08.2024	The university is closed

Comments: ¹ Dates of Muslim and Druze holidays may differ by one or two days from the dates shown. Please enquire with The Equal Opportunities Unit for Arab Students, Dean of Students Office (02-588-0263) as to the exact dates before each holiday