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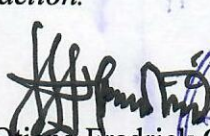
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SUBJECT: ACADEMIC CALENDAR FOR THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

This is to inform you that Senate during its 83rd Regular Meeting, held on **Thursday, 25th June, 2026** approved the academic calendar for the 2026/2027 Academic Year.

You are kindly requested to take note of the approved schedule and ensure strict adherence to the stipulated timelines to facilitate the smooth implementation of all academic activities. *The approved Academic Calendar has been uploaded on the University Website for your reference and action.*


Dr. Oneno Fredrick Onyang'o

REGISTRAR, ACADEMIC AFFAIRS

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR – 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2026 SEMESTER

1ST SEPTEMBER – 11TH DECEMBER 2026 (15 WEEKS)

PROGRAMMES

- All 1st to 4th Year Bachelors programmes for semester 1
- All Postgraduate, Diploma and Certificate Programmes

DAY	DATE	WEEK	ACTIVITY/MEETING
Monday	24 th August, 2026		Reporting and Registration of New Students
Tuesday – Sunday	25 th –30 th Aug 2026		Orientation for New Students
Thursday – Monday	27 th – 31 st August, 2026		Reporting and Registration for Continuing Students
Tuesday	1 st September	1	Lectures commence
Wednesday	2 nd September		Deans Committee Meeting
Monday	7 th September		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	9 th September		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	16 th September		Senate Meeting
Friday	18 th September	3	End of Registration for Courses - 60% fees paid
Monday	21 st September	4	Graduation, Prizes and Awards Committee – (3 months to graduation)
Monday – Friday	21 st – 25 th September	4	Submission of draft question papers for the September -December 2026 semester
	21 st September – 9 th October	4 – 6	First (1 st) CAT
Wednesday	23 rd September		Staff Training & Development Committee Meeting
Monday – Friday	28 th Sept – 2 nd October	5	Internal Moderation of question papers for the September - December 2026 semester
Monday	5 th October		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	7 th October		Deans Committee Meeting



Monday -Friday	5th – 9th October	6	External Moderation of question papers for the September - December 2026 semester
Monday – Sunday	12th – 18th October	7	Cultural Week
Wednesday	14 th October		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Tuesday	20th October		Public Holiday - Mashujaa Day
Wednesday	21st October		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	28 th October		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
	19th October – 6th November	8-10	Second (2nd) CAT
Monday	26th October	9	Submission of Duly Moderated Examination Question Papers to Examinations Office.
Monday	2 nd November		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	4 th November		Deans Committee Meeting
Friday	6th November	10	Registration for Examinations – 100% fees paid
Tuesday	10 th November		Library Advisory Committee Meeting
Wednesday	11 th November		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	18 th November		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	25 th November		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
Friday	27th November	14	End of Lectures
	30th November – 11th December	14 - 15	End of Semester Examinations
Wednesday	2 nd December		Deans Committee Meeting
Friday	4th December		14th Graduation Ceremony
Monday	7 th December		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	9 th December		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	16 th December		Senate Meeting

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Approved for: Prof. Bulitia G. Mathews
Circulation Deputy Vice-Chancellor, A&SA

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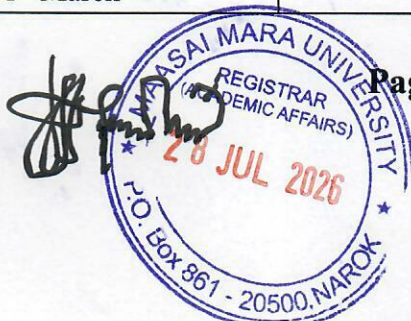
JANUARY – APRIL 2027 SEMESTER

11TH JANUARY – 23RD APRIL 2027 (15 WEEKS)

PROGRAMMES

- All 1st to 4th Year Bachelors programmes for Semester 2
- All Postgraduate, Diploma and Certificate Programmes
- Clinical Placement, 2nd, 3rd and 4th years

DAY	DATE	WEEK	ACTIVITY/MEETING
	4 th – 15 th January	2 Weeks	Joint marking of Examinations for the September – December 2026 Semester
Monday	4 th January		Management Meeting
Tuesday	5 th January		Deans Committee Meeting
Thursday – Friday	7 th – 8 th January		Reporting and Registration of all students
Monday	11 th January	1	Lectures commence
Wednesday	13 th January		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Thursday	14 th January		Standing Committee of Senate on Examination Irregularities (for examinations administered in December 2026)
Wednesday	20 th January		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	27 th January		Staff Training & Development Committee Meeting
Friday	29 th January	3	End of Registration for Courses - 60% fees paid
Monday	1 st February		Management Meeting
Monday – Friday	1 st – 19 th February	4 – 6	First (1 st) CAT
Wednesday	3 rd February		Deans Committee Meeting
Monday – Friday	8 th – 12 th February	5	Internal Moderation of question papers for the January – April 2027 semester
Tuesday	9 th February		Library Advisory Committee Meeting
Wednesday	10 th February		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Monday – Friday	15 th – 19 th February	6	External Moderation of question papers for the January – April, 2027 semester
Wednesday	17 th February		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	24 th February		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
Monday	1 st March		Management Board Meeting

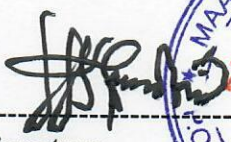


Wednesday	3 rd March		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	10th March		Public Holiday – Idd ul-Fitr
Friday	12th March	9	Registration for Examinations – 100% fees paid
	1st – 19th March	8-10	Second (2nd) CAT
Monday	8th March	9	Submission of Duly Moderated Examination Question Papers to Examinations Office
Wednesday	17 th March		Senate meeting
Wednesday	24 th March		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
Friday	26th March		Public Holiday - Good Friday
Monday	29th March		Public Holiday - Easter Monday
Monday	5 th April		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	7 th April		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	14 th April		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Friday	9th April	13	End of Lectures
	12th – 23rd April	14 - 15	End of Semester Examinations
Wednesday	21 st April		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	28 th April		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
	26th April – 7th May	2 weeks	Joint marking of Examinations for the January – April 2027 Semester
	3rd May – 30th July		Industrial Attachment/ Teaching Practice/Practicum
Monday	3 rd May		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	5 th May		Deans Committee Meeting
Tuesday	11 th May		Library Advisory Committee Meeting
Wednesday	12 th May		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Monday	17th May		Public Holiday - Eid al - Adha
Wednesday	19 th May		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	26 th May		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
Tuesday	1st June		Public Holiday - Madaraka Day
Wednesday	2 nd June		Deans Committee Meeting
Monday	7 th June		Management Board Meeting
Tuesday	8th June		Senate Retreat
Wednesday	9 th June		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	16 th June		Senate Meeting
	14th – 18th June	8th wk from last exam date	External moderation of examination results for the 2026/2027 Academic year
	21st – 25th June	9th wk from last exam date	Departmental Board meetings to discuss External Examiners Reports on Examination Results of the 2026/2027 Academic year



	21st – 25th June	9th wk from last exam date	School Board meetings to consider examination results for the 2026/2027 Academic year
Wednesday	23 rd June		Staff Training & Development Committee Meeting
	28th June- 2nd July	10th Week	SENATE (BOARD OF EXAMINERS) TO CONSIDER EXAMINATION RESULTS FOR THE 2026/2027 ACADEMIC YEAR
Monday	5 th July		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	7 th July		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	14 th July		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	21 st July		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	28 th July		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
	2nd – 13th August	2 weeks	Supplementary/Special Examinations for the 2026/2027 Academic year
Monday	2 nd August		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	4 th August		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	11 th August		Board of Postgraduate Meeting
Wednesday	18 th August		Senate Meeting
	16th – 27th August	2 weeks	Processing Results for Supplementary/Special Examinations for the 2026/2027 Academic Year
Wednesday	25 th August		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting

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Deputy Vice-Chancellor, A&SA

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Wednesday	23 rd June		Staff Training & Development Committee Meeting
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Monday	5 th July		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	7 th July		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	14 th July		Board of Postgraduate Studies Meeting
Wednesday	21 st July		Senate Meeting
Wednesday	28 th July		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting
	2nd – 13th August	2 weeks	Supplementary/Special Examinations for the 2026/2027 Academic year
Monday	2 nd August		Management Board Meeting
Wednesday	4 th August		Deans Committee Meeting
Wednesday	11 th August		Board of Postgraduate Meeting
Wednesday	18 th August		Senate Meeting
	16th – 27th August	2 weeks	Processing Results for Supplementary/Special Examinations for the 2026/2027 Academic Year
Wednesday	25 th August		Staff Training & Development Committee meeting

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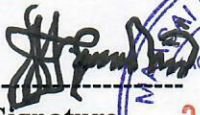
MAY – AUGUST, 2027 SEMESTER

3RD MAY – 13TH AUGUST 2027 SEMESTER (15 WEEKS)

<u>PROGRAMMES</u>			
➤ Bachelor of Science in Nursing Cohorts ➤ Postgraduate, Diploma and Certificate Programmes			
DAY	DATE	WEEK	ACTIVITY
Friday	30 th April		Reporting and Registration for Students
Monday	3 rd May	1	Lectures commence
Monday	24 th May	4	Submission of draft question papers for the May - August 2027 semester
	24 th May – 11 th June	4 - 6	First (1 st) CAT
Monday	17 th May		Public Holiday – Eid al-Adha
Tuesday	1 st June		Public Holiday – Madaraka Day
Wednesday - Friday	2 nd – 4 th June	5	Internal Moderation of question papers for the January – April 2027 semester
Monday - Friday	7 th – 11 th June	6	External Moderation of question papers for the January – April, 2026 semester
	21 st June – 9 th July	8-10	Second (2 nd) CAT
Monday	28 th June	9	Submission of Duly Moderated Examination Question Papers to Examinations Office
Friday	30 th July	13	End of Lectures
	2 nd – 13 th August	14-15	End of Semester Examinations
	16 th – 20 th August		Marking of examinations and uploading of marks to the ERP system
	23 rd – 27 th August		Processing of Results for students in session.

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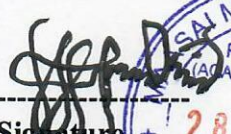
ACADEMIC CALENDAR - 2027/2028 ACADEMIC YEAR

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2027 SEMESTER 6 TH SEPTEMBER – 17 TH DECEMBER (15 WEEKS)			
DAY	DATE	WEEK	ACTIVITY/MEETING
Monday	30 th August, 2027		Reporting and Registration of New Students
Tuesday – Sunday	31 st August – 5 th September 2027		Orientation for New Students
Thursday – Friday	2 nd – 3 rd September 2027		Reporting and Registration for Continuing Students
Monday	6 th September, 2027	1	Lectures commence

Schedule for Regular Meetings is as follows:

- Management meetings - 1st Monday of the month
- Deans Committee Meetings - 1st Wednesday of the month
- Board of Postgraduate studies meeting - 2nd Wednesday of the month
- Senate Meetings - 3rd Wednesday of the month
- Staff Training & Development Committee - 4th Wednesday of the month
- School /Departmental Meetings - Every Thursday of the month
- Library Advisory Committee Meetings - 2nd Tuesday of November, February and May.

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