

Texas A&M University at Qatar
2015-16 Academic Calendar
Fall Semester 2015*

<i>Month</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Day of Week</i>	<i>Event</i>
<i>August</i>	23	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>First day of fall classes First day to apply for December graduation</i>
	27	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for adding/dropping courses with no record for the fall semester, 4 p.m.</i>
<i>September</i>	7	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Official census date (12th class day)</i>
	17	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day to change or add Major/Minor for fall, 4 p.m.</i>
	20-24	<i>Sunday-Thursday</i>	<i>Eid Al-Adha student break (no classes)</i>
	22-24	<i>Tuesday-Thursday</i>	<i>Eid Al-Adha (offices expected to be closed)^</i>
	24	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for MS THO to submit "Request and Announcement of the Final Examination" or 10 working days prior to the examination, whichever comes first, to Office of Graduate Studies in College Station**</i>
<i>October</i>	1	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day to apply for December graduation, 4 p.m. Last day for MS students to change degree to M.Eng. and still be eligible to graduate in December, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station**</i>
	15	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for MS THO students to take final exam</i>
	22	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Mid-semester grades due by noon, Office of Records Adjustment deadline for degree candidates Last day for M. Eng. Students to request final exam or request exemption from exam, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station** Last day to submit a signed approval form and a PDF file of the thesis in final form to the Thesis Office in College Station**</i>
<i>November</i>	5	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for M. Eng. Students to take final exam</i>
	11	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Change of major deadline for spring semester</i>
	18	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Bonfire 1999 Remembrance Day</i>
	19	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty (Q-drop), 4 p.m. Last day to officially withdraw from the University, 4 p.m.</i>
	23-30	<i>Monday-Monday</i>	<i>Pre-registration for spring 2016</i>
	25	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Last day to submit final thesis corrections to the Thesis Office in College Station**</i>
	26	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Reading day (no classes)</i>

<i>December</i>	1-3	<i>Tuesday-Thursday</i>	<i>Pre-registration for spring 2016</i>
	6	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Last day of fall semester classes Redefined day- Thursday classes to be held</i>
	7	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Reading day (no classes or finals)</i>
	8-10	<i>Tuesday-Thursday</i>	<i>Fall semester final examinations for all students</i>
	13	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Fall semester final examinations for all students</i>
	14	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Fall Graduate Recognition</i>
	16	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Final grades due for all students by noon, Office of Records</i>
	17	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Qatar National Day observed (offices closed)</i>
	18	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Qatar National Day</i>
	20-24	<i>Sunday-Thursday</i>	<i>Semester break (offices closed)</i>

Spring Semester 2016*

<i>December</i>	27	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Offices reopen after semester break</i>
<i>January</i>	10	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>First day of spring classes First day to apply for May graduation</i>
	14	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for adding/dropping courses with no record for the spring semester, 4 p.m.</i>
	18	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Martin Luther King Day (offices closed/no classes)</i>
	26	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Official census date (12th class day)</i>
<i>February</i>	7	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Last day to change or add Major/Minor for spring, 4 p.m.</i>
	9	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Qatar National Sports Day (university closed/no classes)</i>
	11	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day to apply for May graduation, 4 p.m.</i>
	18	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for MS students to change degree to M.Eng. and still be eligible to graduate in May, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station** Last day for MS THO students to submit "Request and Announcement of the Final Examination" or 10 working days prior to the examination, whichever comes first, to Office of Graduate Studies in College Station**</i>
	28-29	<i>Sunday-Monday</i>	<i>Spring break (no classes)</i>
<i>March</i>	1-3	<i>Tuesday-Thursday</i>	<i>Spring break (no classes)</i>
	6	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Spring semester classes resume</i>

<i>March</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Mid-semester grades due by noon, Office of Records Adjustment deadline for degree candidates Last day for MS THO students to take final thesis exam**</i>
	<i>17</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day to submit a signed approval form and a PDF file of the thesis in final form to the Thesis Office in College Station**</i>
	<i>24</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for M.Eng. students to request final exam or request exemption from exam, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station **</i>
<i>April</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for M.Eng. students to take final exam</i>
	<i>11</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty (Q-drop), 4 p.m. Last day to officially withdraw from the University, 4 p.m.</i>
	<i>12-25</i>	<i>Tuesday-Monday</i>	<i>Pre-registration for summer and fall 2016 terms</i>
	<i>21</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Aggie Muster Last day to submit final thesis corrections to the Thesis Office in College Station**</i>
	<i>24</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>Redefined day- Tuesday classes to be held</i>
	<i>25</i>	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Last day of spring semester classes</i>
	<i>26</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Reading day (no classes and no finals)</i>
	<i>27-28</i>	<i>Wednesday-Thursday</i>	<i>Spring semester final examinations</i>
<i>May</i>	<i>1-2</i>	<i>Sunday-Monday</i>	<i>Spring semester final examinations</i>
	<i>3</i>	<i>Tuesday</i>	<i>Qatar Foundation Convocation</i>
	<i>4</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Final grades due for degree candidates by 9 a.m., Office of Records</i>
	<i>5</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Commencement Ceremony</i>
	<i>6</i>	<i>Friday</i>	<i>Final grades due for all non-degree candidates by noon, Office of Records</i>

Summer 2016*

<i>May</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>Sunday</i>	<i>First day of classes of summer classes First day to apply for summer graduation</i>
	<i>18</i>	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Official census date (4th class day) Last day for adding/dropping courses with no record for the summer semester, 4 p.m.</i>
<i>May</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for MS THO students to submit "Request and Announcement of the Final Examination" or 10 working days prior to the examination, whichever comes first, to Office of Graduate Studies in College Station**</i>

<i>June</i>	2	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day to apply for summer graduation, 4 p.m.</i>
	6	<i>Monday</i>	<i>Projected first day of Ramadan</i>
	9	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Adjustment deadline for degree candidates</i> <i>Last day for M.Eng. students to request final exam or request exemption from exam, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station **</i> <i>Last day for MS students to change degree to M.Eng. and still be eligible to graduate in July, Office of Graduate Studies in College Station**</i>
	16	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for all students to drop courses with no penalty (Q-drop), 4 p.m.</i> <i>Last day to officially withdraw from the University, 4 p.m.</i> <i>Last day for MS THO students to take final thesis exam</i> <i>Last day to submit a signed approval form and a PDF file of the thesis in final form to the Thesis Office in College Station**</i>
	23	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day for M. Eng. Students to take final exams</i>
	30	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Last day of summer classes</i> <i>Last day to submit final thesis corrections to the Thesis Office in College Station **</i>
<i>July</i>	3-4	<i>Sunday-Monday</i>	<i>Summer semester final examinations</i>
	4	<i>Monday</i>	<i>United States Independence Day</i>
	6	<i>Wednesday</i>	<i>Final grades due for all students by noon, Office of Records</i>
	6-10	<i>Wednesday-Sunday</i>	<i>Eid Al-Fitr (offices expected to be closed) ^</i>
	7	<i>Thursday</i>	<i>Projected first day of Eid Al-Fitr</i> <i>Summer degrees posted</i>

**Dates subject to change.*

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^Dates for the Eid holidays are subject to change, however, the University will be closed for a 3 day period during each Eid.

***Graduate students should allow sufficient time for all documents to get to the Office of Graduate Studies in College Station from Qatar.*