

# KIBABII UNIVERSITY

## OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR (ACADEMIC AFFAIRS)

### SEMESTER DATES FOR THE 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR

ALL STUDENTS UNDERGRADUATE, POSTGRADUATES, DIPLOMA AND EVENING /PART-TIME STUDENTS (NEW STUDENTS), TERM ONE FOR TVET AND SCHOOL OF NURSING

Table 1.1 Adjusted

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR FIRST SEMESTER		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date & Registration Date	Monday 18 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025 to Wednesday, 20 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	3 Days
Orientation for First Years	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> August, 2025 to Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> August, 2025	7 days
VC Address	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2025	1 Day
Reporting, Continuing students	28 <sup>th</sup> and 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2025	2 Days
Lectures – All Students	Monday 1 <sup>st</sup> September, 2025 to Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> December, 2025	14 Weeks
Examination Dates	Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> January 2026 to Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026	12 days
Total (Lectures and Exams)		16 Weeks
Mode of Delivery (Blended)	1. All University Wide Common Courses online; <b>Other Courses</b> 2. All First Years and STEM (Undergraduate) 1 <sup>st</sup> to 6 <sup>th</sup> week face to face, 7 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> week Online; 13 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> Week face to face, 15 <sup>th</sup> and 16 <sup>th</sup> week Exam. 3. All 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> and Postgraduate students 1 <sup>st</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> week online, 8 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> week face to face; 15 <sup>th</sup> and 16 <sup>th</sup> week Exam (Flexible for postgraduate)	
Christmas & New Year Break	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> December 2025 to Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026	9 days

ALL STUDENTS UNDERGRADUATE, POSTGRADUATES, DIPLOMA AND EVENING /PART-TIME STUDENTS (NEW STUDENTS) AND TERM TWO FOR TVET

Table 1.2 - Adjusted

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR SECOND SEMESTER		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date January Intake	Reporting and verification of documents Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup> January 2026	13 days
Report in the ERP- Continuing students	Orientation 15 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup> January 2026	1 Day
Lectures	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January, 2026	
Examination Dates	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January to Thursday 9 <sup>th</sup> April, 2026	11 Weeks
Easter Break	Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> April, 2026 to Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> April, 2026	11 days
Total	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2026 to Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	13 Weeks
Mode of Delivery (Blended)	1. All University Wide Common Courses online; <b>Other Courses</b>	



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	2. All First Years and STEM (Undergraduate) 1 <sup>st</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> week face to face, 6 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> week Online; 12 <sup>th</sup> to 13 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam. 3. All 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> 4 <sup>th</sup> and Postgraduate students 1 <sup>st</sup> to 5 <sup>th</sup> week online, 6 <sup>th</sup> to 11 <sup>th</sup> week face to face; 12 <sup>th</sup> and 13 <sup>th</sup> week Exam (Flexible for postgraduate)	
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Table 1.3

SCHOOL OF NURSING 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR, TRIMESTER II		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date & Registration Date	Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January, 2026	1 Day
Lectures (5 hours a Week)	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> January 2026 to Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> March 2026	8 weeks
Examination Dates	Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March 2026 to Thursday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April 2026	2 Weeks
Total		10 Weeks
Mode of Delivery (Blended)	1. All University Wide Common Courses online; <b>Other Courses</b> 2. All First Years 1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup> -week face to face, 5 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> week Online; 9 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam. 3. All 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup> to 4 <sup>th</sup> week online, 5 <sup>th</sup> to 8 <sup>th</sup> week face to face; 12 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam	
Break	Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> to Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> April 2026	1 Week

JANUARY INTAKE (1.2) SEMESTER TWO AND TERM THREE FOR TVET

Table 1.4

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR SEMESTER TWO		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026	1 Day
Lectures (4 hours a Week)	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026 to Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July, 2026	10 Weeks
Examinations	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> July, 2026 to Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> July, 2026	2 Weeks
Total		11 Weeks
TVET Examination	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> July 2026 to Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> August, 2026	4 Weeks
Mode of Delivery (Blended)	1. All University Wide Common Courses online; <b>Other Courses</b> 2. All First Years and STEM (Undergraduate) 1 <sup>st</sup> to 6 <sup>th</sup> -week face to face, 7 <sup>th</sup> to 10 <sup>th</sup> week Online; 11 <sup>th</sup> -week Exam. 3. All 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup> and Postgraduate students 1 <sup>st</sup> to 6 <sup>th</sup> week online, 7 <sup>th</sup> to 10 <sup>th</sup> week face to face; 11 <sup>th</sup> week exam	

Table 1.5

SCHOOL OF NURSING 2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR, TRIMESTER III 1 <sup>ST</sup> YEAR		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date & Registration Date	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April, 2026	1 Day
Lectures (4 hours a Week)	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 to Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 2026	11 Weeks
Examination Dates	Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 2025 to Friday 10 <sup>th</sup> July 2026	2 Weeks
Total		13 Weeks
Special/Supp.	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August to Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> August 2026	2 Weeks
Mode of Delivery (Blended)	1. All University Wide Common Courses online; <b>Other Courses</b>	



	2. All First Years 1 <sup>st</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> week face to face, 8 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> week Online; 13 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam. 3. All 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 3 <sup>rd</sup> and 4 <sup>th</sup> 1 <sup>st</sup> to 7 <sup>th</sup> week online, 8 <sup>th</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> week face to face; 13 <sup>th</sup> Week Exam	
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Table 1.6

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR, TRIMESTER III 2 <sup>ND</sup> 3 <sup>RD</sup> AND 4 <sup>TH</sup> YEARS		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Opening Date & Registration Date	Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> April, 2026	1 Day
Clinical Practicum and Assessments	Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> April 2026 to Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> August 2026	17 Weeks
Total		17 Weeks
Special/Supp.	Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> August 2026 to Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> August 2026	1 Weeks

**ATTACHMENT /INDUSTRIAL TRAINING PERIOD/ SCHOOL PRACTICE FOR SECOND, THIRD AND FOURTH-YEAR STUDENTS**

Table 1.7

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Attachment Dates	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> May, 2026 to Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> July, 2026	13 Weeks

**SPECIAL AND SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMS FOR 4<sup>TH</sup> YEAR STUDENTS**

Table 1.8

2025/2026 ACADEMIC YEAR		
ACTIVITIES	DATES	TOTAL
Examination Dates	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> August 2026 to Friday 14 <sup>th</sup> August, 2026	2 Weeks

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