

**SAUT-ARUSHA CENTER**  
**ALMANAC OF THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2024/2025**

**FIRST SEMESTER :OCTOBER 2024-MARCH 2025**

<b>MONTH</b>	<b>DAY/DATE</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>
<b>October</b>	Saturday 12	Long Vacation Ends
	Monday 14	Mwalimu Nyerere Day
	Tuesday 15	Start of Second Semester Supplementary/Special Exams
	Monday 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arrival and Registration of New Students</li> <li>• End of Second Semester Supplementary/Special Exams</li> </ul>
	Monday 28	Orientation to New Students
	Tuesday 29	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CONVOCATION and Opening of the New Academic Year</li> <li>• End of Registration of New Students</li> </ul>
	Wednesday 30	Lectures Begin at 07:45am
	Thursday 31	Management Board Meeting
<b>November</b>	Saturday 02	Deadline for Submission of Second Semester Supplementary/Special
	Monday 04	Meeting of Departments
	Thursday 07	Arrival of Members for the Board of Trustees Meeting (TEC-DSM)
	Friday 08	Board of Trustees Meeting (TEC-DSM)
	Tuesday 12	Examination Committee
	Wednesday 13	Academic Staff Meeting
	Friday 22	Management Board Meeting
<b>December</b>	Thursday 05	Rehearsal for Graduands
	Friday 06	8 <sup>th</sup> Graduation Day–SAUT Arusha
	Monday 09	Independence Day
	Friday 13	Approval of Research Titles
	Monday 16	Senate Meeting
	Tuesday 17	Finance and Planning Committee Meeting
	Thursday 19	Council Meeting
	Saturday 21	27 <sup>th</sup> Graduation Main Campus Mwanza
	Monday 23	Christmas Holiday Begin/Staff Get Together
<b>January</b>	Wednesday 01	New Year Day/Feast
	Monday 05	Lectures Resume at 07:45am
	Friday 10	Dean of Students Meeting with SAUTSO Bunge
	Sunday 12	Zanzibar Revolution
	Wednesday 15	Presentation of Research Concept Note
	Friday 17	Faculty and Departmental Presentations or Workshops/Symposium
	Friday 24	Management Board Meeting
<b>February</b>	Wednesday 12	Arrival of Members for the Board of Trustees Meeting (TEC-DSM)
	Thursday 13	Board of Trustees Meeting (TEC-DSM)
	Friday 14	Board of Trustees Meeting (TEC-DSM)
	Wednesday 19	Meeting of Departments
	Friday 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Deadline for Submission of Coursework</li> <li>• Cultural Festival</li> </ul>
	Saturday 22	End of Lectures for the First Semester
	Monday 24	Study Week begins
	Tuesday 25	Examination Moderation Starts
	Friday 28	Management Board Meeting
<b>March</b>	Monday 03	First Semester Examinations Begin
	Wednesday 05	Ash Wednesday-Beginning of LENTEN SEASON
	Saturday 15	End of First Semester Examinations

**SECOND SEMESTER MARCH 2024-AUGUST 2025**

<b>March</b>	Monday 17	Lectures Resume at 07:45am
	Friday 21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Management Board Meeting</li> <li>• Research Proposal Defense for Master Students</li> </ul>
	Saturday 29	Deadline for Submission of Examination Results
<b>April</b>	Monday 07	Karume Day
	Wednesday 09	Meeting of Departments
	Friday 11	Examination Committee Meeting
	Sunday 13	Palm Sunday
	Tuesday 15	Academic Committee Meeting
	Wednesday 16	Easter Vacation Begins
	Thursday 17	Holy/Maundy Thursday
	Friday 18	GOODFRIDAY(Fasting Day) PASSION OF OUR REDEEMER
	Saturday 19	Holy Saturday
	Sunday 20	Easter Sunday
	Monday 21	Easter Monday
	Tuesday 22	Lectures Resume at 07:45am
	Friday 25	Management Board Meeting
	Saturday 26	Union Day
	Monday 28	Senate Meeting
	Tuesday 29	Finance and Planning Committee Meeting
<b>May</b>	Thursday 01	Worker's Day
	Friday 02	Council Meeting
	Saturday 03	Kiswahili Day
	Wednesday 07	Beginning of Master Students' Data Collection and Report Writing
	Friday 09	Management Board Meeting
	Friday 23	Moot Court Competition
<b>June</b>	Friday 06	Faculty and Departmental Presentations or Workshops/Symposium
	Sunday 08	Pentecost
	Friday 13	Management Board Meeting
	Wednesday 18	Microteaching Examination
	Thursday 19	Microteaching Examination
<b>July</b>	Tuesday 01	Submission of Research Dissertations
	Wednesday 02	Meeting of Departments
	Friday 04	Deadline for Submission of Coursework
	Saturday 05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• End of Lectures for the Second Semester</li> <li>• External Examination of Research Dissertations</li> </ul>
	Monday 07	Study Week begins
	Tuesday 08	Examination Moderation Starts
	Monday 14	Second Semester Examinations Begin
	Wednesday 23	Plagiarism Test
	Saturday 26	End of Second Semester Examinations
	Monday 28	Start of First Semester Supplementary/Special Exams
<b>August</b>	Monday 04	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• End of First Semester Supp/Special Examinations</li> <li>• Long Vacation and Practical Trainings Start</li> <li>• Research Defense for BAED 3</li> </ul>
	Tuesday 05	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Final Research Dissertation Defense (VIVA VOCE) for Master Students</li> <li>• Comprehensive Examination</li> </ul>

	Wednesday 06	Final Research Dissertation Defense (VIVA VOCE) for Master Students
	Thursday 07	Comprehensive Examinations for Master Students
	Friday 08	Farmer's Day
	Monday 11	Corrections & Preparation of Manuscripts Begins
	Saturday 16	Deadline for Submission of Examination Results
	Monday 18	Publication of Journals Begins
	Wednesday 27	Examination Committee Meeting
	Thursday 28	Memorial of St. Augustine of Hippo
	Friday 29	Academic Committee Meeting
<b>September</b>	Monday 08	Senate Meeting
	Tuesday 09	Finance and Planning Committee Meeting
	Thursday 11	Council Meeting
	Friday 12	End of Practical Trainings
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<b>October</b>	Saturday 11	Long Vacation Ends
	Monday 13	Start of Second Semester Supplementary/Special Exams
	Tuesday 14	Mwalimu Nyerere Day
	Monday 20	Arrival and Registration of New Students
	Wednesday 22	End of Second Semester Supplementary/Special Exams
	Monday 27	Orientation to New Students
	Tuesday 28	CONVOCATION and Opening of the New Academic Year
	Wednesday 29	Lectures Begin at 07:45am
<b>November</b>	Saturday 02	Deadline for Submission of Examination Results
	Thursday 13	Examination Committee Meeting
	Friday 14	Academic Committee Meeting
	Friday 21	Management Board Meeting

## TOTAL DAYS IN ON CAMPUS CLASSES

From 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2024 to 02<sup>nd</sup> August, 2025

10 months  
40 Weeks  
280 Days  
6720 Hours

### First Semester

20 weeks for 1<sup>st</sup> semester

- 15 Weeks for class attendance, 1 week for personal studies and 2 weeks for Final Examinations and 2 weeks for short holiday

### Second Semester

20 weeks for 2<sup>nd</sup> semester

- 15 Weeks for class attendance, 1 week for personal studies and 2 weeks for Final Examinations, 1 week for first semester Special/ Supplementary Examinations and 1 week for short holiday

## PRACTICAL TRAINING

6 Weeks for practical Training; from Monday 04<sup>th</sup> August, 2025 to Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September, 2024.