

BABCOCK UNIVERSITY

2016/2017 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FIRST SEMESTER (2016)	
August, 10-13	University Colloquium
August, 16	Academic Advisers Council
August, 18	Orientation of Provosts, Deans and HODs
August, 21	Arrival of Freshers
August, 22-27	Freshers' Orientation
August, 28	Returning Students' Arrival
August 29 – September 2	Registration for all Students
September, 5	Lectures begin
September, 6	Parents Consultative Forum (PCF)
September, 8	Academic Standards Board
September, 15	Senate
September, 17	Founder's Day
September, 20-22	Babcock University Governing Council (BUGC)
September, 29	Congregation
September, 30	Last day to enter class or complete change of course form for returning students. No fund after this date.
October, 1	Nigeria National Day
October, 6	Inaugural Lecture
October, 13	Academic Standards Board
October, 17-21	Mid-Semester Examination
October, 20	Senate
October, 22-29	Youth Week of Prayer
October, 27	Congregation
November, 3	Inaugural Lecture
November, 10	Academic Standards Board
November, 17	Senate
November, 24	18 th Matriculation Ceremony
December, 5-20	1st Semester Examination
December, 22-2 nd January	Inter-Semester Break

SECOND SEMESTER (2017)	
January, 1-3	Online Registration at home
January, 3	Faculty & Staff Orientation
January, 4	Students arrival
January, 5	Lectures Start
January, 4-8	Completion of registration
January, 10	Parents Consultative Forum (PCF)
January, 12	Academic Standards Board
January, 19	Senate
January, 24-25	Babcock University Governing Council (BUGC)
January, 26	Congregation
January 29 – February 4	Week of Spiritual Emphasis
February, 9	Inaugural Lecture
February, 13-18	National Association of Adventist Students (NAAS) Week
February, 16	Senate
February, 20 – February,24	Mid-Semester Examination
March, 2	Inaugural lecture
March, 4-11	Youth Week of Prayer
March, 9	Academic Standards Board
March, 13-17	Careers/Job fair Week (Lecture free for Graduating Class)
March, 16	Senate
March, 23	Congregation
March, 30- April, 20	2nd Semester Examination
April, 6	Inaugural Lecture
April 24	Research Fair
May, 8	Submission/Deliberation of Results by Schools.
May, 11	Result Senate
May, 18	Regular Senate

GRADUATION CEREMONIES, MAY 28 – JUNE 4, 2017		
May, 28	Parent Consultative Forum (PCF) Luncheon	1pm
May, 31	Graduating Students Arrival	- 3pm
June, 1	Alumni Connectivity	- 10am
June, 1	Hooding Ceremony	- 2pm
June, 1	Graduating Class Banquet	- 6pm
June, 2	Dress Rehearsal	- 7- 9.30am
June, 2	Tree Planting Ceremony by the best Graduating Student.	- 10am
June, 2	Dedication of Class Project	- 10.30am
June, 2	Consecration Service	- 6.30pm
June, 3	Baccalaureate Service	- 8.30am
June, 4	Vesper Service	- 6pm
June, 4	Commencement	- 9am

SUMMER SEMESTER 2017	
May, 1	Arrival
May, 2	Classes begin
May, 2- 5	Registration
May, 8	Late Registration
May 29 – June 2	Mid-Summer Semester Examination
June, 8	Academic Standards Board
June, 15	Senate
June, 19 -22	Summer Semester Examination
June 23	End of Summer Semester
July, 6	Result Senate
July 7 – August 13	Vacation Time for Faculty
August 16-19	Colloquium 2017

