

FACULTY OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES

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LIST OF IMPORTANT EVENTS FOR NEW STUDENTS SEMESTER 1 AY2026-2027

DATES	EVENTS	LOCATION / VENUE
Refer to OUR website	Registration for Qualifying English Test (QET) (Students who need to sit for the QET, please register during this duration as it affects your WEC pre-allocation.) *Important*	<u>Office of the University Registrar</u>
Start of late June 2026	Release of Lecture, Discussion Groups and Examination Timetables for Semesters 1 and 2, AY2026-2027	<u>FASS Homepage</u>
Tue, 7 Jul	QET (Applicable only to certain categories of students. Refer to Registrar's Office website for further information) *Important*	<u>Office of the University Registrar</u>
Tue, 7 Jul	CHS Freshmen Orientation 2026	<u>FASS Orientation</u>
Mon, 13 Jul (9am) to Mon, 17 Aug (5pm)	Academic Plan Declaration (Major/Minor Declaration) for Semester 1, AY2026-2027 (for all students) (see Note 1)	<u>myEduRec</u>
Mon, 20 Jul (9am) to Mon 17 Aug (5pm)	Course Registration - through CourseReg@EduRec [Refer to detailed schedule found at Course Registration System (CourseReg) website]	<u>CourseReg Website</u>
Mon, 20 Jul (9am) to Thu, 20 Aug (6pm)	Max Workload Waiver - through CourseReg@EduRec [Please refer to workload details here to confirm eligibility before submitting a workload request through CourseReg@EduRec]	<u>CourseReg Website</u>
Mon, 3 Aug	Semester 1 Begins (no lesson during Week 0)	<u>NUS Academic Calendar</u>
Sat, 25 Jul & Sat, 1 Aug	Flag Day (No lessons)	<u>Online</u>
Sat, 8 Aug	Rag Day (No lessons)	<u>OSA Website</u>
Mon, 10 Aug	Start of Lectures	
Tue, 11 Aug (9am) to Mon, 17 Aug (5pm)	Discussion Group registration for all courses (Refer to detailed schedule found at CourseReg website)	<u>CourseReg Website</u>
Mon, 17 Aug	Start of Discussion Groups for Writing Courses (e.g. FAS1101, ES1103) & HSH1000	
Mon, 24 Aug	Start of Discussion Groups (Odd week)	
Mon, 24 Aug (12am) – Sun, 27 Sep (11.59pm)	Courses dropped during this period will appear on transcript with a "W" (Withdrawal) grade indicated.	<u>CourseReg Website</u>
Sat, 19 Sep - Sun, 27 Sep	Recess Week	
Starting Mon, 28 Sep (12am)	Courses dropped during this period will appear on transcript with an "F" (Fail) grade indicated (see Note 2)	<u>CourseReg Website</u>
Mon, 28 Sep - Fri, 2 Oct	Continue with Discussion Groups (Odd week)	
Mon, 5 Oct – Fri, 9 Oct	Continue with Discussion Groups (Even week)	
Mid-Nov	Release of Finalised Semester 1 Examination Timetable	<u>Examination Directory</u>
Fri, 23 Oct – Fri, 20 Nov	Online Student Feedback Exercise (see Note 3)	<u>Office of the University Registrar</u>
Sat, 21 Nov – Sat, 5 Dec	Semester 1 Examinations	Examination Halls
Dec 2026 – Jan 2027 (TBC)	Academic Plan Declaration (Major/Minor Declaration) for Semester 2, AY2026-2027 (see Note 1)	<u>myEduRec</u>
Tue, 22 Dec 2026	Release of Semester 1 Examination results	<u>Examination Directory</u>
Tue, 22 Dec – Thu, 24 Dec (6pm)	S/U Grade Option Exercise	<u>Office of the University Registrar</u>
Sun, 6 Dec 2026 – Sun, 10 Jan 2027	Vacation	

The information in this calendar is correct at date of publication (21 April 2026).

For the latest updates on information and schedules, please visit the *FASS Homepage > Undergraduates > To Check > Calendars*. Changes (if any) will be marked out in **red**.

Note:

1. Students need to use the Academic Plan Declaration system via myEduRec to declare/change majors and minors. Declaration/change of majors/minors are **NOT** allowed once the course registration exercise begins. Please note that only one attempt is allowed per semester and no changes are allowed once the declaration is submitted. Changes can be done at the beginning of the following semester as long as students are not past their 5th semester. However, students should note that any such changes may have an impact on the duration of their candidature.
2. Students who drop courses during the “F” grade period will have the “F” grade factored into the GPA and reflected on transcript. In such cases, the S/U option cannot be exercised.
3. By completing the Online Student Feedback Exercise, the course feedback points will be used as a tiebreaker on CourseReg@EduRec in the event students have the same priority score for a course.