

GREAT ZIMBABWE UNIVERSITY

Academic Registry

NOTICE TO ALL STUDENTS:

2018 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

(A) CONVENTIONAL AND PARALLEL PROGRAMMES NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS

1ST SEMESTER DATES

- REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 19 – 20 FEBRUARY 2018
- ORIENTATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 21 – 24 FEBRUARY 2018
- 1ST SEMESTER : 26 FEBRUARY – 8 JUNE 2018
- MID SEMESTER BREAK : 16 APRIL – 21 APRIL 2018
- SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 21 MAY – 8 JUNE 2018
- END OF SEMESTER : 8 JUNE 2018

2ND SEMESTER DATES

- REGISTRATION & ISSUING OF STUDENTS ID Cards (NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS) : 6 – 7 AUGUST 2018
- ORIENTATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 8 – 10 AUGUST 2018
- 2ND SEMESTER : 15 AUGUST – 23 NOVEMBER 2018
- MID SEMESTER BREAK : 01 OCTOBER – 05 OCTOBER 2018
- SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 05 NOVEMBER – 23 NOVEMBER 2018
- END OF SEMESTER : 23 NOVEMBER 2018

**(B) BLOCK RELEASE: FACULTIES OF COMMERCE AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS**

<p><u>1ST SEMESTER DATES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 08 JANUARY 2018 • 1ST BLOCK RELEASE SESSION : 09–20 JANUARY 2018 • 2ND BLOCK RELEASE SESSION : 05– 17 FEBRUARY 2018 • SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 21 MAY - 8 JUNE 2018 • END OF SEMESTER : 8 JUNE 2018 	<p><u>2ND SEMESTER DATES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 9 JULY 2018 • 1ST BLOCK RELEASE SESSION :10 JULY 2018 – 21 JULY 2018 • 2ND BLOCK RELEASE SESSION :06 AUGUST 2018 – 17 AUGUST 2018 • SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS :05 NOVEMBER–23 NOVEMBER 2018 • END OF SEMESTER : 23 NOVEMBER 2018
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<p><u>1ST SEMESTER DATES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 15 JANUARY 2018 • 1ST BLOCK RELEASE SESSION :15–27 JANUARY 2018 • 2ND BLOCK RELEASE SESSION : 12–24 FEBRUARY 2018 • SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 21 MAY - 8 JUNE 2018 • END OF SEMESTER : 8 JUNE 2018 	<p><u>2ND SEMESTER DATES</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 16 JULY 2018 • 1ST BLOCK RELEASE SESSION :17JULY 2018 – 28 JULY 2018 • 2ND BLOCK RELEASE SESSION :13 AUGUST 2018 – 24 AUGUST 2018 • SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS :05 NOVEMBER–23 NOVEMBER 2018 • END OF SEMESTER : 23 NOVEMBER 2018

(C) BLOCK RELEASE: FACULTIES OF ARTS, AGRICULTURE & NATURAL SCIENCES, EDUCATION AND CULTURE & HERITAGE STUDIES NEW AND RETURNING STUDENTS

<u>1ST SEMESTER DATES</u>	<u>2ND SEMESTER DATES</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 4-5 APRIL 2018• BLOCK RELEASE SESSION : 6 APRIL 2018 – 5 MAY 2018• SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 21 MAY – 8 JUNE 2018• END OF SEMESTER : 8 JUNE 2018	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• REGISTRATION (NEW STUDENTS) : 15 AUGUST 2018• BLOCK RELEASE SESSION : 16 AUGUST 2018 – 08 SEPT 2018• SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS : 05 -23 NOVEMBER 2018• END OF SEMESTER : 23 NOVEMBER 2018

PLEASE NOTE

- RETURNING STUDENTS CAN REGISTER ONLINE BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SEMESTER UPON PAYMENT OF AT LEAST 50% OF THE TUITION FEES.
- UNREGISTERED STUDENTS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND LECTURES OR TO ACCESS ANY FACILITIES OF THE UNIVERSITY.