



**UNIVERSITY OF BENIN, BENIN CITY, NIGERIA**  
**OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR**

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DATE: 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023

**CIRCULAR TO THE UNIVERSITY COMMUNITY**  
**APPROVED AMENDED ACADEMIC CALENDARS (2021/2022 AND 2022/2023)**  
**ACADEMIC SESSIONS**

The University of Benin Senate at its Special Meeting held on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 approved the amendment of the Academic Calendars for the 2021/2022 and 2022/2023 Academic sessions.

The Amended Academic Calendars is reproduced below:

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Events</b>
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March, 2023	Students return to halls of residence
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> March, 2023	First Semester lectures continue
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March, 2023	Online registration of new students 2022/2023 academic session begins
Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> April to Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023	2021/2022 Matriculation (Online)/Revision
Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023	First Semester Examinations begin in Faculties of Education, Engineering, Life Sciences, Pharmacy and Physical Sciences
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023	CED Examinations
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023	First Semester Examinations begin in all other Faculties/Schools/Institutes
Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> to Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> May, 2023	General Studies Examinations
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June, 2023	Students (2021/2022 session) go on break
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June, 2023	New students for the 2022/2023 session admitted to halls of residence
Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023	Returning students (2021/2022 session) return to halls of residence
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> June, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Second Semester lectures begin in all Faculties/Schools/Institutes for the 2021/2022 academic session</li><li>• First Semester lectures begin in all Faculties/Schools/Institutes for the 2022/2023 academic session</li><li>• 10 weeks of lectures (Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> August, 2023)</li></ul>
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> to Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023	2022/2023 Matriculation (Online)/Revision

Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> August, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Second Semester Examinations begin in Faculties of Education, Engineering, Life Sciences, Pharmacy and Physical Sciences (2021/2022 session)</li> <li>• First Semester Examinations begin in Faculties of Education, Engineering, Life Sciences, Pharmacy and Physical Sciences (2022/2023 session)</li> </ul>
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September, 2023	CED Examinations
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> September, 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Second Semester Examinations begin in all other Faculties/Schools/Institutes (2021/2022 session)</li> <li>• First Semester Examinations begin in all other Faculties/Schools/Institutes (2022/2023 session)</li> </ul>
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup> September, 2023	General Studies Examination
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup> September, 2023	Students go on break

- Lectures started for returning students 9<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 - Duration of Lectures before close of Institutions: 6weeks and 2days.
- Lectures started for new students 16<sup>th</sup> January, 2023 - Duration of Lectures before close of Institutions: 5 weeks 2 days.

**A.A Bobola**  
**Registrar**

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