



VERITAS UNIVERSITY, ABUJA
Bwari Area Council, FCT - Abuja

2023/2024 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

AT A GLANCE

[A] MAJOR SPECIAL EVENTS IN THE SESSION			
S/N	EVENTS	SCHEDULES	
		DATE	DAY
		August, 2023	
1	Official Closing of 2022/2023 Academic Session	21	Monday
2	Commissioning of the University e-Library	23	Wednesday
3	Nigerian Universities Debate Competition	27th August - 2nd September, 2023	
		September, 2023	
4	Foundation Laying of the Proposed College of Medicine Building	08	Friday
5	Reopening of the University	25	Monday
6	Staff Orientation	28 & 29	Thursday & Friday
		October, 2023	
7	Students Resumption	03	Tuesday
8	Opening Mass for the Academic Year	25	Wednesday
		November, 2023	
9	5th Inaugural Lecture	09	Thursday
10	6th Inaugural Lecture	21	Tuesday
		December, 2023	
11	Convocation	08 & 09	Friday & Saturday
12	Matriculation	15	Friday

[B] REGULAR UNDERGRADUATE (100-400 LEVEL) PROGRAMMES			
S/N	ACTIVITY	SCHEDULE	
		1 ST SEMESTER	2 ND SEMESTER
1	School Reopens	Monday, 25th Sept. 2023	
2	Return of All Student (100 – 400 Levels)	Tuesday, 3th October, 2023	
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4	Departmental Board	Friday October 6, 2023	
5	Lectures Begin	Monday, October 9, 2023	
6	Course Registration for the Session (1 st and 2 nd Semesters) (2 weeks)	Monday, October 9 – Friday, October 20, 2023	
7	Students Orientation	Friday, October 20, 2023	
8	Late Course Registration	October 21 – November 20, 2023	
9	Faculty Board	Monday - Friday, Oct. 16 – 20, 2023	
FIFTH INAUGURAL LECTURE		THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2023	
10	Lectures	(15 weeks) Monday, October 9, 2023 – Friday, January 26, 2024	(14 weeks) Monday, March 4, 2024 – Friday, June 14, 2024
SIXTH INAUGURAL LECTURE		TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 2023	
11	Christmas Break	Sat. December 16, 2023 - Friday, January 5, 2024	
12	Revision	Mon. Jan. 29– Fri. Feb. 2, 2024	Mon. June 17 – Fri., June 21, 2024
13	Examinations	Mon. 5 – Fri. 16 February, 2024	Mon. June 19 – Sat., July 20, 2024
14	Senate	Every Last Thursday of the Month	
		Oct.2022 - Feb, 2023	March – Aug. 2023
15	Faculty Board Meeting	Any Week-Day within the 3rd Week of Every Month during the Session	
16	Convocation	Friday & Saturday, December 8 & 9, 2023	
17	Matriculation	Friday, December 15, 2023	
18	Inter-Semester Break (2 weeks)	Saturday, Feb. 17 - Friday, March 1, 2024	
19	Long Vacation		Fri. 9 August -Sat. 28th, Sept. 2024
REGULAR POSTGRADUATE PROGRAMMES			
1.	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, October 19, 2023	Thursday, April 18, 2024
2	Resumption/Course Registration	Monday, October 23, 2023	Monday, April 8, 2024
3	Seminar/Internal/External Examinations	Friday, October 27, 2023	Friday, May 31, 2024
4	Lectures Commence	Monday, November 6, 2023	Monday, April 15, 2024
5	Postgraduate Workshop	Friday, November 10, 2023	

6	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, November 16, 2023	Thursday, May 16, 2024
7	Course Registration Ends	Thursday, November 30, 2023	
8	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, December 14, 2023	Thursday, June 20, 2024
9	Lectures Resume	Monday, January 8, 2024	
10	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, January 18, 2024	Thursday, July 18, 2024
11	Seminar/Internal/External Examinations	Friday, January 26, 2024	Friday, June 28, 2024
12	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, February 15, 2024	Wednesday, August 14, 2024
13	Examination	Monday, March 4, 2024 – Saturday, March 23, 2024	Monday, August 1- Saturday, August 17, 2024
14	SPGS Board Meeting	Thursday, March 14, 2024	
15	Seminar/Internal/External Examinations	Friday, March 29, 2024	Friday, August 30, 2024
SANDWICH PROGRAMMES			
2023 PROGRAMMES			
	PROGRAMME	SCHEDULE	
1	Contact Two Resumes	Monday, July 10, 2023	
2	Contact One Resumes	Monday, July 24, 2023	
3	Closing, both Contacts One and Two	Saturday, September 30, 2023	
2024 PROGRAMMES			
1	All Programmes Resume	Monday, July 8, 2024	
2	All Programmes Close	Monday, September 30, 2024	
JUPEB PROGRAMMES			
1	Commencement of Admissions of Students	Thursday, July 27 To Friday, September 29, 2023	
2	Resumption of New Students	Tuesday, October 3, 2023	
3	Lectures Begin	Monday, October 9, 2023	
4	Awaiting Further Information to Complete the 2023/2024 Calendar from the National Secretariate of JUPEB.		
SIWES (Students Industrial Experience Scheme)			
1	Students Orientation	3 rd Week of January, 2024	
2	Students Attachment/Supervision	March – Sept. 30, 2024 OR April - Oct. 12, 2024	
3	Registration for 2024/2025 SIWES	June – 3 rd Week July, 2024	
[C] PUBLIC HOLIDAYS			
1	Eid El Malud	Wednesday, September 27, 2023	
2	Independence Day Off for Workers	Monday, October 2, 2023	

3	Christmas	Monday December 25, 2023	
4	Boxing Day	Tuesday, December 26, 2023	
5	New Year Day	Monday, January 1, 2024.	
6	Good Friday		Friday, March 29, 2024
7	Easter Monday		Monday, April 1, 2024
8	Id el Fitr		Wednesday & Thursday, April 10 & 11, 2024
9	Workers Day		Wednesday, May 1, 2024
10	Democracy Day		Wednesday, June 12, 2024
11	Id el Kadi		Monday & Tuesday, June 17 & 18, 2024
[D] HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION (work/lecture free)			
1	All Saints Day	Wednesday, November. 1, 2023	
2	Good Friday	Friday, April 7, 2024	
3	Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary		Thursday, August 15, 2024