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JULY 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–4th July	Wed–Sat	Classes continue for 3rd Year Education and Non-Education Programmes
1st–31st July	Wed–Fri	Classes continue for Non-Education Programmes, 1st–2nd Year
4th July	Sat	Council Meeting
6th–10th July	Mon–Fri	Submission of Continuous Assessment results, 3rd Year Education and Non-Education Programmes
7th July	Tue	International Trade Fair (Saba Saba) – Public Holiday
8th–12th July	Wed–Sun	Moderation of Examination Questions – 2nd Semester 2025/2026 **(new)**
15th July	Wed	Joint Academic Meeting
15th July – 10th August	Wed–Mon	Opening of the Admission Window
15th–20th July	Wed–Mon	Preparation for University 2nd Semester Examinations
15th–20th July	Wed–Mon	1st Test, 2nd Semester 2025/2026, for 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
22nd–31st July	Wed–Fri	2nd Semester University Examinations, 3rd Year and Non-Education Programmes
22nd July	Wed	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
31st July	Fri	Deadline for submission of 3rd Year Student Research Project Reports

AUGUST 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st August	Sat	Beginning of long vacation for 3rd Year & Non-Education Programmes
1st–9th August	Sat–Sun	Marking of Examinations
1st–31st August	Sat–Mon	Classes continue for 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
8th August	Sat	Nane Nane (National Farmers') Day – Public Holiday
10th–15th August	Mon–Sat	Submission of Examination Results, 3rd Year and Non-Degree Programmes
10th August	Mon	Closing of 1st Admission Application Window
10th August	Mon	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
10th August – 19th September	Mon–Sat	Practical Training for Non-Education Programmes
14th–18th August	Fri–Tue	External Examiners
17th August	Mon	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
19th August	Wed	Quality Assurance Committee Meeting
21st–31st August	Fri–Mon	Submission of applicants admitted in the 1st Application Window
24th–28th August	Mon–Fri	2nd Test, 2nd Semester 2025/2026, for 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes

SEPTEMBER 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–5th September	Tue–Sat	Classes continue, 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
3rd–5th September	Thu–Sat	Moderation of Examination Questions – 2nd Semester 2025/2026, 1st & 2nd Year
7th–12th September	Mon–Sat	Preparation for 2nd Semester Examinations, 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
7th–12th September	Mon–Sat	Submission of Continuous Assessment Results, 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
8th September	Tue	Announcement of students admitted in the 1st Application Window
8th–21st September	Tue–Mon	2nd Admission Application Window
8th–21st September	Tue–Mon	Open Window for Credit Transfer
8th–21st September	Tue–Mon	Confirmation Window for applicants admitted in the 1st Application Window
11th September	Fri	End of Practical Training (Non-Education Programmes)
14th–21st September	Mon–Mon	2nd Semester University Examinations, 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
21st September	Mon	Beginning of Long Vacation
21st–30th September	Mon–Wed	Marking of 1st & 2nd Year Examinations
25th–30th September	Fri–Wed	Submission of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
25th–30th September	Fri–Wed	Submission of students admitted under Credit Transfer, to TCU

OCTOBER 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–2nd October	Thu–Fri	Submission of Examination results to Faculty, 1st & 2nd Year Education Programmes
3rd–9th October	Sat–Fri	External Examiners
3rd October	Sat	Reporting and Registration for New Students (CEPU)
6th October	Tue	Faculty Board Meetings
6th October	Tue	Announcement of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
6th October	Tue	Credit Transfer feedback from TCU
6th–19th October	Tue–Mon	Confirmation of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
8th October	Thu	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
12th October	Mon	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
12th October	Mon	Admission and Examinations Committee Meeting
12th -13th October	Mon–Tue	Moderation of Supplementary/Special Examination Questions
14th October	Wed	Mwalimu Nyerere Day – Public Holiday
15th October	Thu	Senate Meeting
16th October	Fri	Release of Examination Results

Date	Day	Event / Activity
19th October – 2nd November	Mon–Mon	Transfer Window opens for newly admitted students
19th–23rd October	Mon–Fri	Reporting and Registration for New Undergraduate and Postgraduate Students
19th–23rd October	Mon–Fri	Supplementary/Special Examinations, all Programmes
20th October	Tue	Department/ Units Meetings
22nd October	Thu	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
23rd–28th October	Fri–Wed	Marking of Supplementary Examinations
26th–30th October	Mon–Fri	Orientation Week for 1st Year Students, 2026/2027 Academic Year
26th–27th October	Mon–Tue	Reporting and Registration for Continuing Students, 2026/2027 Academic Year
28th October	Wed	Faculty Board Meetings
30th October	Fri	Joint Academic Meeting

NOVEMBER 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
2nd November	Mon	Classes begin, 2026/2027 Academic Year
2nd November	Mon	Admission and Examinations Committee Meeting
4th November	Wed	Senate Meeting
6-7th November 2026	Fri- Sat	Workshop on Teaching and Assessment Methods of Competence-Based Curriculum
9th–13th November	Mon–Fri	Viva Voce / Proposal Presentation for Higher Degrees students, 2026/2027
16th November	Mon	Submission of 1st Year transfers
20th November	Fri	Workshop on Building a Culture of Excellence in Service Delivery at TEKU
21st November	Sat	TEKU Day
23rd–27th November	Mon–Fri	Presentation of Research Proposals, Higher Degrees
27th November	Fri	1st Year transfers – feedback from TCU

DECEMBER 2026

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–24th December	Tue–Thu	Classes continue
2nd December	Wed	Student Faculty Baraza (General Assembly)
3rd December	Thu	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
8th December	Tue	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
9th December	Wed	Independence Day – Public Holiday
11th December	Fri	Board of Trustees Meeting and Convocation
12th December	Sat	19th Graduation Ceremony
14th–18th December	Mon–Fri	1st Test, 1st Semester 2026/2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
25th December – 1st January 2027	Fri–Fri	Christmas and New Year Break (includes Boxing Day, 26th December)
31st December	Thu	Deadline for submission of the 2026/2027 Academic Year enrolment data (to TCU)

JANUARY 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st January	Fri	New Year – Public Holiday
4th–31st January	Mon–Sun	Field Research and Data Analysis, Higher Degrees
4th January	Mon	Departmental/Units Meeting
4th–31st January	Mon–Sun	Classes resume and continue
6th January	Wed	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
11th–16th January	Mon–Sat	Test 2, 1st Semester
12th January	Tue	Zanzibar Revolution Day – Public Holiday
13th January	Wed	Appointments and Human Resources Management Committee Meeting
18th January	Mon	Planning and Finance Committee Meeting
19th January	Tue	Audit Committee Meeting
21 January 2027	Thu	Gender Desk Meeting
30th January	Sat	Council Meeting

FEBRUARY 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–28th February	Mon–Sun	Classes continue
1-2nd February	Mon–Tue	Workshop on Reporting Mechanisms using the Software
1st–28th February	Mon–Sun	Data analysis for students of Higher Degrees
3rd–7th February	Wed–Sun	Moderation of Examination Questions – 1st Semester 2026/2027
8th–13th February	Mon–Sat	Submission of Continuous Assessment – 1st Semester 2026/2027
8th–13th February	Mon–Sat	Preparation week for 1st Semester examinations
8th–12th February	Mon–Fri	Submission of Continuous Assessment Results for Semester 1
11th February	Thu	Joint Academic Staff Meeting
15th–24th February	Mon–Wed	University Examinations, 1st Semester 2026/2027
24th February	Wed	Faculty Board Meetings
24th February – 10th March	Wed–Wed	Start of 1st Semester recess

MARCH 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
24th February – 6th	Wed–Sat	Marking of 1st Semester Examinations 2026/2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
March		
8th–12th March	Mon–Fri	External Examiners – 1st Semester 2026/2027
1st–10th March	Mon–Wed	1st Semester recess continues
10th March	Wed	Eid El Fitr – Public Holiday*
11th–12th March	Thu–Fri	Reporting and Registration, 2nd Semester 2026/2027 Academic Year
11th March	Thu	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
15th March	Mon	Departmental/Units Meetings
16th March	Tue	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
13th–25th March	Sat–Thu	Classes continue
17th March	Wed	Faculty Board Meeting to scrutinize and approve 1st Semester 2026/2027 results
18th March	Thu	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
22nd March	Mon	Senate Meeting to approve 1st Semester 2026/2027 examination results
26th–29th March	Fri–Mon	Easter Holidays – Public Holidays
30th March	Tue	Classes resume
30th March – 2nd April	Tue–Fri	Presentation of Draft Dissertations, Higher Degrees

APRIL 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–30th April	Thu–Fri	Classes continue
2nd–30th April	Fri–Fri	Working on corrections of Higher Degrees Dissertations
7th April	Wed	Karume Day – Public Holiday
12th–16th April	Mon–Fri	Faculty Board Meetings
20th April	Tue	Admission and Examinations Committee Meeting
21st April	Wed	Senate Meeting
26th April	Mon	Union Day – Public Holiday
26th April	Mon	Release of Examination Results, 1st Semester 2026/2027
26th–30th April	Mon–Fri	1st Test, 2nd Semester 2026/2027

MAY 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st May	Sat	Workers' Day – Public Holiday
2nd–31st May	Sun–Mon	Classes continue
3rd May	Mon	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
4th May	Tue	Student Faculty Baraza (General Assembly)
5th May	Wed	Departmental/Units Meetings

Date	Day	Event / Activity
12th May	Wed	Workshop on Principles and Practices for Effective Leadership
19th May 2027	Wednesday	Gender Desk Meeting

JUNE 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–30th June	Tue–Wed	Classes continue
2nd June	Wed	Departmental/Units Meetings
7th–11th June	Mon–Fri	2nd Test, 2nd Semester 2026/2027
1st–29th June	Tue–Tue	Working on Dissertations and preparation of papers/articles for publication, Higher Degrees Programmes
17th June	Thu	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
14th–18th June	Mon–Fri	Moderation of Examination Questions – 2nd Semester 2026/2027
21st–25th June	Mon–Fri	Submission of Continuous Assessment – 2nd Semester 2026/2027
21st–25th June	Mon–Fri	Preparation week for 2nd Semester University Examinations, 2026/2027
21st–26th June	Mon–Sat	Submission of Continuous Assessment Results
24th June	Thu	Quality Assurance Committee Meeting
22nd June	Tue	Appointments and Human Resources Management Committee Meeting
24th June	Thu	Planning and Finance Committee Meeting
28th June – 12th July	Mon–Mon	University Examinations, 2nd Semester 2026/2027
28th June	Mon	Audit Committee Meeting
30th June	Wed	Submission of Higher Degrees Dissertations/Theses to Faculties

JULY 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–12th July	Thu–Mon	University Examinations, 2nd Semester, continue
3rd July	Sat	Council Meeting
7th July	Wed	International Trade Fair (Saba Saba) – Public Holiday
8th July	Thu	Departmental/Units Meetings
12th July	Mon	Start of long vacation
12th–23rd July	Mon–Fri	Marking of Examinations
15th July	Thu	Opening of the 1st Admission Window, 2027/2028
16th July	Fri	Deadline for submission of 3rd Year student Research Reports
22nd July	Thu	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
19th July – 28th August	Mon–Sat	Teaching Practice / Practical Training

AUGUST 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
2nd–6th August	Mon–Fri	Submission of Examination Results
8th August	Sun	Nane Nane (National Farmers') Day – Public Holiday
9th–14th August	Mon–Sat	External Examiners
11th August	Wed	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
16th–18th August	Mon–Wed	Faculty Board Meetings, to scrutinize examination results
17th August	Tue	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
18th August	Wed	Admission and Examinations Committee Meeting
19th August	Thu	Faculty Board Meetings, to scrutinize 1st-Window applicants
21st–26th August	Sat–Thu	Submission of applicants admitted in the 1st Application Window
24th August	Tue	Senate Meeting, to approve 2nd Semester examination results (all programmes) and new applicants
26th August	Thu	Release of Examination Results
28th August	Sat	End of Teaching Practice / Practical Training

SEPTEMBER 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
2nd September	Thu	Gender Desk Meeting
3rd September	Fri	Announcement of students admitted in the 1st Application Window
3rd–21st September	Fri–Tue	2nd Admission Application Window
3rd–21st September	Fri–Tue	Confirmation Window for applicants admitted in the 1st Application Window
6th–9th September	Mon–Thu	Moderation of Examination Questions – Supplementary/Special Examinations
13th–24th September	Mon–Fri	Supplementary/Special Examinations, all Programmes
20th September	Mon	Quality Assurance Committee Meeting
26th–30th September	Sun–Thu	Submission of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
27th September – 9th October	Mon–Sat	Marking of Supplementary/Special Examinations
6th September – 10th November	Mon–Wed	Long Vacation

OCTOBER 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
5th October	Tue	Departmental/Units Meetings
6th October	Wed	Announcement of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
7th October	Thu	Joint Academic Meeting
11th October	Mon	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting

Date	Day	Event / Activity
5th October	Tue	Departmental/Units Meetings
12th October	Tue	Faculty Board Meetings
13th October	Wed	Senate Meeting
6th–19th October	Wed–Tue	Confirmation of students admitted in the 2nd Application Window
11th–16th October	Mon–Sat	Reporting, Registration and Orientation of New Students
14th October	Thu	Mwalimu Nyerere Day – Public Holiday
18th–19th October	Mon–Tue	Registration of Continuing Students
19th October	Tue	Deans and Directors' Committee Meeting
20th–31st October	Wed–Sun	Classes begin, 2027/2028 Academic Year
18th–22nd October	Mon–Fri	Viva Voce for Higher Degrees students

NOVEMBER 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–30th November	Mon–Tue	Classes continue, all Programmes
3rd November	Wed	Departmental/Units Meetings
4th November	Thu	Joint Academic Meeting
17th–23rd November	Wed–Tue	Transfer Window opens for newly admitted applicants (1st-year internal and inter-institutional transfers)
22nd–26th November	Mon–Fri	Presentation of Research Proposals, Higher Degrees

DECEMBER 2027

Date	Day	Event / Activity
1st–23rd December	Wed–Thu	Classes continue
1st December	Wed	Student Faculty Baraza (General Assembly)
1st–31st December	Wed–Fri	Corrections of Research Proposals, Higher Degrees
2nd December	Thu	Undergraduate Studies Committee Meeting
7th December	Tue	Departmental/Units Meetings
8th December	Wed	Higher Degrees Committee Meeting
9th December	Thu	Independence Day – Public Holiday
10th December	Fri	Board of Trustees Meeting and Convocation
11th December	Sat	20th Graduation Ceremony
13th–17th December	Mon–Fri	1st Test, 1st Semester 2027/2028
24th December – 3rd January 2028	Fri–Mon	Christmas and New Year Holidays (includes Boxing Day, 26th December)
31st December 2027	Fri	Deadline for submission of the 2027/2028 Academic Year enrolment data to TCU

JANUARY 2028

Date	Day	Event / Activity
4th–31st January	Tue–Mon	Classes resume

PUBLIC HOLIDAYS

Date	Holiday
7th July 2026 / 7th July 2027	International Trade Fair (Saba Saba) Day
8th August 2026 / 8th August 2027	Nane Nane (National Farmers') Day
14th October 2026 / 14th October 2027	Mwalimu Nyerere Day
9th December 2026 / 9th December 2027	Independence Day
25th December 2026 / 25th December 2027	Christmas Day
26th December 2026 / 26th December 2027	Boxing Day — not listed in the source almanac, though it is folded into the Christmas break dates given
1st January 2027 / 1st January 2028	New Year's Day
12th January 2027	Zanzibar Revolution Day
7th April 2027	Karume Day
26th April 2027	Union Day (Muungano Day) — not listed anywhere in the source almanac
1st May 2027	Workers' Day
26th March 2027	Good Friday
29th March 2027	Easter Monday
on/around 10th March 2027 *	Eid El Fitr
on/around mid-May 2027 (approx.) *	Eid al-Hajj / Eid al-Adha —exact date to be confirmed nearer the time
Date to be announced *	Maulid Day (Prophet's Birthday) —

** Date subject to confirmation on sighting of the moon.*

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