



2019 Sessional Dates School of Medicine (MSFP & BNMw)-Student Semester 1

Month	Date	Activity	Duration	Remarks
January	Tuesday, January 1, 2019	New Year's Day Holiday	1 day	Holiday
	Wednesday, January 2, 2019	Registration starts (January 2019 intake and Continuing Students)	4 Weeks	Academic
	Wednesday, January 2, 2019	Semester Break Ends		Schools
	Monday, January 14, 2019	Deferred/Supplementary Examinations	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, January 21, 2019	Orientation and Induction of New Students - January 2019 intake	1 day	
	Monday, January 21, 2019	Class timetables for Contact Students available		Academic
	Monday, January 28, 2019	Full time Classes Commence	14 Weeks	Schools
February	Monday, February 4, 2019	Contact Students - Group Assignment 1		Academic
	Friday, February 22, 2019	Semester Registration Closes (50% payment of tuition fees)		Academic
	Monday, February 25, 2019	CA 1 Administered to Contact Students		Schools
	Monday, February 25, 2019	Late Registration Commences (with penalty)	1 Week	Academic
March	Friday, March 1, 2019	Late Registration Ends		Academic
	Friday, March 1, 2019	Deadline for Submission of proposal for UG & PG thesis		Academic
	Friday, March 8, 2019	International Women's Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
	Tuesday, March 12, 2019	Youth Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
	Monday, March 18, 2019	Mid Semester Break Commences	1 Week	Recess
	Friday, March 22, 2019	Mid Semester Break Ends		Recess
	Monday, March 25, 2019	Full time Classes Commence		Schools
	Monday, March 25, 2019	CA 1 Due from Contact Students		Schools

	Monday, March 25, 2019	75% Tuition payment fees due from all students		Finance
	Friday, March 29, 2019	Contact Students - Publication of Continuous Assessment Marks (SoM)		Academic
April	Tuesday, April 2, 2019	Contact Students - Group Assignment 2		Academic
	Monday, April 8, 2019	Deans Meeting on Exam Examination Processes and Integrity	1 Day	Registrar
	Monday, April 15, 2019	May/June 2018 Examinations Timetable Posted	1 week	Academic
	Monday, April 15, 2019	Examination Registration Commences		Academic
	Friday, April 19, 2019	Good Friday Holiday	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Monday, April 22, 2019	Easter Monday Holiday	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Friday, April 26, 2019	100% Semester Tuition Fees payment due from all students		Finance
	Wednesday, May 1, 2019	Labour Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
May	Monday, May 6, 2019	Commencement of Dissertation defence (UG & PG)		Schools
	Monday, May 6, 2019	List of students eligible to sit examinations is posted		Academic
	Monday, May 6, 2019	Verification of Continuous Assessment Commences	1 Week	Schools
	Friday, May 10, 2019	Verification of Continuous Assessment Ends		Schools
	Friday, May 10, 2019	Contact students - Publication of Continuous Assessment Marks		Academic
	Monday, May 13, 2019	Study Break - Contact Students commences	3 Weeks	Recess
	Monday, May 20, 2019	Final Examinations Commence	1 Week	Academic
	Saturday, May 25, 2019	Africa Freedom Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
June	Friday, May 31, 2019	Examinations in all Schools End (Holidays for Students Begin)		Academic
	Friday, June 21, 2019	Publication of Results		Academic
	Monday, June 24, 2019	Semester Break	2 Weeks	Schools

Semester 2

Month	Date	Activity	Duration	Remarks
	Monday, July 1, 2019	Heroes Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
July	Tuesday, July 2, 2019	Unity Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
	Wednesday, July 3, 2019	Registration starts (July 2018 intake and Continuing Students)	4 Weeks	Academic
	Friday, July 5, 2019	Semester Break Ends		Schools
	Monday, July 8, 2019	Class Timetables available for Contact Students		Academic
	Monday, July 15, 2019	Deferred/On Demand/Supplementary Examinations	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, July 15, 2019	Orientation and Induction of New Students	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, July 22, 2019	Full time Classes Commence	14 Weeks	Schools
August	Monday, August 5, 2019	Farmer's Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
	Tuesday, August 6, 2019	BNMWSC Teaching Practice (Chipata, Kasama, Mpanshya)	10 weeks	Academic
	Monday, August 5, 2019	BNMWSC - Paediatric rotation	6 weeks	Academic
	Monday, August 19, 2019	CA 1 Administered to Contact Students		Schools
	Friday, August 23, 2019	Deadline for Submission of proposal for UG & PG thesis		Schools
	Friday, August 23, 2019	Semester Registration Closes (50% payment of tuition fees)		Finance
	Monday, August 26, 2019	Late Registration Commences (with penalty)	1 Week	Academic
Friday, August 30, 2019	Late Registration Ends	1 week	Academic	
September	Monday, September 9, 2019	Mid Semester Break Commences	2 Weeks	Recess
	Friday, September 20, 2019	Mid Semester Break Ends		Recess
	Monday, September 23, 2019	Full time Classes Resume		Schools
	Monday, September 23, 2019	BNMWSC - Medical Surgical Nursing rotation	5 weeks	Academic
	Monday, September 23, 2019	CA 1 Due from Contact Students		Schools
	Friday, September 27, 2019	75% of Tuition fees payment due from all students)		Finance
	Monday, October 14, 2019	Nov/Dec 2018 Examinations Timetable Posted		Academic
	Monday, October 14, 2019	Examination Registration Commences		Academic

October	Monday, October 14, 2019	Mid Semester Break Commences	1 Week	Recess
	Monday, October 14, 2019	BNMWSC Medical Surgical Nursing (Cancer diseases hospital)	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, October 14, 2019	Exams Presented to Deans By Lecturing Staff		Schools
	Friday, October 18, 2019	National Day of Prayer Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
	Monday, October 21, 2019	BNMWSC Nursing Skills	1 Week	Academic
	Thursday, October 24, 2019	Independence Day Holiday	1 Day	Holiday
October	Friday, October 25, 2019	12TH GRADUATION CEREMONY	1 Day	Academic
	Friday, October 25, 2019	100% Tuition fees payment due from all students (Last Instalment)		Finance
	Monday, October 28, 2019	Class (CA2) for Contact Students Commence	1 Week	Schools
	Monday, October 28, 2019	Commencement of Dissertation defence (UG & PG)		Schools
	Monday, October 28, 2019	Study Break - All students	1 Week	Academic
November	Monday, November 4, 2019	List of students eligible to sit examinations is posted		Academic
	Monday, November 4, 2019	Verification of Continous Assessment Commences	1 Week	Schools
	Friday, November 8, 2019	Verification of Continous Assessment Ends		Schools
	Friday, November 8, 2019	Deans Remit Exams to Examinations Office		Schools
	Monday, November 11, 2019	Final Examinations Begin	2 Weeks	Assessment
	Tuesday, December 10, 2019	School Board of Examiners Meetings End		Schools
	Monday, December 16, 2019	Publication of Results		Academic
	Monday, December 23, 2019	Semester Break	2 Weeks	Schools
	Wednesday, December 25, 2019	Christmas Day Holiday		Holiday
January	Wednesday, January 1, 2020	Public Holiday		Holiday