



**Cavendish University Zambia 2023 Academic Calendar- (AESS, BIT &LAW)**  
**Semester 1**

Month	Date	Activity	Duration	Description
January	<b>Monday, January 9, 2023</b>	<b>Registration Commences (January 2023 intake and Continuing Students)</b>	4 Weeks	Academic
	Monday, January 9, 2023	Semester Break Ends		Schools
	Monday, January 9, 2023	Graduation Registration Commences		Academic
	Monday, January 30, 2023	Class schedule for Contact Students available		Academic
February	Monday, January 30, 2023	Deferred/Supplementary Examinations / October Intake Final Examinations	1 Week	Academic
	<b>Monday, February 6, 2023</b>	<b>Orientation and Induction of New Students</b>	1 Week	Academic
	<b>Monday, February 6, 2023</b>	<b>Allocation of Research Supervisors</b>	2 weeks	Academic
	<b>Monday, February 13, 2023</b>	<b>Full time/ Evening Classes Commence</b>	14 Weeks	Schools
March	Thursday, March 2, 2023	GRZ Face to Face Session Begins - February Cohort	2 days	Distance Learning
	Monday, March 6, 2023	GRZ Online Interaction Commences - February Cohort	12 Weeks	Distance Learning
	<b>Wednesday, March 8, 2023</b>	<b>International Women's Day Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	<b>Friday, March 10, 2023</b>	<b>Semester Registration Closes (50% payment of tuition fees)</b>		Academic
	<b>Friday, March 10, 2023</b>	<b>Assignment (CA 1) given/uploaded to DL students</b>	4 weeks	Distance Learning
	<b>Sunday, March 12, 2023</b>	<b>Youth Day Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	<b>Monday, March 13, 2023</b>	<b>Late Registration Commences (with penalty)</b>	1 Week	Academic
	<b>Friday, March 17, 2023</b>	<b>Late Registration Ends</b>		Academic
April	<b>Monday, March 27, 2023</b>	<b>Class Tests (CAT 1) for Contact Students Commence</b>	1 week	Academic
	Monday, April 3, 2023	Mid Semester Break Commences	1 Week	Recess
	Friday, April 7, 2023	Mid Semester Break Ends		Recess
	<b>Friday, April 7, 2023</b>	<b>Good Friday Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	<b>Monday, April 10, 2023</b>	<b>Easter Monday Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Monday, April 24, 2023	Orientation and Induction of New Students (April 2023 Intake)		Distance Learning
	<b>Friday, April 28, 2023</b>	<b>75% of Tuition fees due from all students</b>		Finance
May	<b>Monday, May 1, 2023</b>	<b>Labour Day Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	<b>Monday, May 8, 2023</b>	<b>Class Tests (CAT 2) for Contact and DL Students Commence</b>	1 Week	Schools
	Monday, May 8, 2023	May/June 2023 Examinations Timetable Posted		Academic
	Monday, May 8, 2023	End of Course Delivery Survey	1 Week	Quality Assurance
	Monday, May 15, 2023	Examination Registration (Including Confirmation of Centres) Commences		Distance Learning
	<b>Thursday, May 25, 2023</b>	<b>Africa Freedom Day Holiday</b>	1 Day	Public Holiday
	<b>Friday, May 26, 2023</b>	<b>100% Tuition Payment due from all students (Last Instalment)</b>		Finance
	Friday, May 26, 2023	Examination Registration (Including Confirmation of Centres) Ends		Academic
	<b>Monday, May 29, 2023</b>	<b>Commencement of Dissertation defence (UG &amp; PG)</b>		Schools
	Monday, May 29, 2023	List of students eligible to sit examinations is posted		Academic
	Monday, May 29, 2023	Verification of Continuous Assessment Commences	1 Week	Schools
June	Monday, May 29, 2023	Verification of Continuous Assessment Ends		Schools
	Monday, May 29, 2023	GRZ End of Programme Assessment - February Cohort	1 Day	Academic
	Monday, May 29, 2023	<b>Distance Learning Residential Session (Continuing Students)</b>	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, May 29, 2023	Study Break - Contact Students	1 Week	Recess
	Friday, June 2, 2023	Study Break Ends		Recess
	<b>Monday, June 5, 2023</b>	<b>Final Examinations (All Schools) Begin</b>	1 Week	Distance Learning
	Friday, June 9, 2023	Examinations in all Schools End (Holidays for Students Begin)	6 Weeks	BA ED - DL
July	Saturday, June 10, 2023	Marking of Examinations (All Schools) and Results Input Begins	1 Week	Schools
	<b>Monday, July 3, 2023</b>	<b>Heroes Day Holiday</b>		Public Holiday
	<b>Tuesday, July 4, 2023</b>	<b>Unity Day Holiday</b>		Public Holiday
	<b>Friday, July 7, 2023</b>	<b>Publication of Results</b>	1 Week	Schools
	Saturday, July 15, 2023	Semester Break	1 Week	Schools

## Semester 2

Month	Date	Activity	Duration	Description
July	Wednesday, July 5, 2023	Registration Commences (July 2023 intake and Continuing Students)	4 Weeks	Academic
	Monday, July 10, 2023	Semester Break Ends		Schools
	Monday, July 10, 2023	Class schedule for Contact Students available		Academic
	Monday, July 10, 2023	Orientation and Induction of New Students - July 2023 intake	1 Week	Academic
	Wednesday, July 12, 2023	Deferred/Supplementary Examinations/ April Intake Examinations	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, July 17, 2023	Full time/ Evening Classes Commence	14 Weeks	Schools
August	Monday, August 7, 2023	Farmer's Day Holiday		Public Holiday
	Monday, August 21, 2023	Assignment (CA 1) Administered to Contact Students		Schools
	Friday, August 18, 2023	Deadline for Submission of proposal for UG & PG thesis		Schools
	Friday, August 11, 2023	Semester Registration Closes (50% payment of tuition fees)		Academic
	Monday, August 14, 2023	Late Registration Commences (with penalty)	1 Week	Academic
	Monday, August 14, 2023	Assignment (CA 1) given/uploaded to DL students	4 weeks	Distance Learning
	Friday, August 18, 2023	Late Registration Ends		Academic
	Monday, August 28, 2023	Class Tests (CAT 1) for Contact Students Commence	1 week	Academic
	Thursday, August 31, 2023	Graduation Registration Ends		Academic
	September	Friday, September 1, 2023	Graduation Late Registration with a Penalty starts	2 weeks
Monday, September 4, 2023		Mid Semester Break	1 Week	Recess
Friday, September 8, 2023		Mid Semester Break Ends		Recess
Monday, September 11, 2023		Full time/ Evening Classes Resume		Schools
Monday, September 11, 2023		Assignment (CA 1) received from DL Students		Distance Learning
Friday, September 15, 2023		Graduation Late Registration with a Penalty Ends		Academic
Monday, September 25, 2023		DL Students Assignment (CA 1) Feedback from Lecturers		Distance Learning
Monday, September 25, 2023		Assignment (CA 1) Due from Contact Students		Schools
Friday, September 29, 2023		75% of Tuition fees due from all students		Finance
October		Monday, October 2, 2023	Class Tests (CAT2) for Contact and DL Students Commence	1 Week
	Monday, October 2, 2023	Student Satisfaction Survey	1 Week	Quality Assurance
	Thursday, October 12, 2023	University Graduation Rehearsals	1 Day	Academic
	Friday, October 13, 2023	16TH GRADUATION CEREMONY	1 Day	Academic
	Monday, October 17, 2022	Examination Registration (Including Confirmation of Centres) Commences	2 Weeks	Academic
	Monday, October 17, 2022	Nov/Dec 2023 Examinations Timetable Posted		Academic
	Wednesday, October 18, 2023	National Day of Prayer Holiday	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Tuesday, October 24, 2023	Independence Day Holiday	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Wednesday, October 25, 2023	Orientation and Induction of New Students - October 2023 intake DL		Distance Learning
	Friday, October 27, 2023	100% Tuition Payment due from all students (Last Instalment)		Finance
	Friday, October 27, 2023	Examination Registration (Including Confirmation of Centres) Ends		Academic
	Monday, October 30, 2023	October Intake Commences		Distance Learning
Monday, October 30, 2023	List of students eligible to sit examinations is posted		Academic	
November	Monday, November 13, 2023	Verification of Continuous Assessment Commences	1 Week	Schools
	Monday, November 13, 2023	Study Break - Contact Students	1 Week	Recess
	Monday, November 13, 2023	Distance Learning Residential Session (Continuing Students)	1 Week	Distance Learning
	Friday, November 17, 2023	Verification of Continuous Assessment Ends		Schools
	Monday, November 20, 2023	Final Examination (All Schools) Begin	1 Week	Assessment
	Saturday, November 25, 2023	Examinations in all Schools End (Holidays for Students Begin)		Academic
December	Monday, December 11, 2023	Distance Learning Residential (October 2023 BA Ed Intake)		BA ED - DL
	Monday, December 11, 2023	Distance Learning Residential (BA Ed Continuing)		BA ED - DL
	Tuesday, December 19, 2023	Senate Examination Committee Meeting		Academic
	Friday, December 22, 2023	Publication of Results		Academic
	Monday, December 25, 2023	Christmas Day Holiday	1 Day	Public Holiday
	Monday, January 1, 2024	New Year's Day	1 Day	Public Holiday
January	Monday, January 8, 2024	Semester Break	2 Weeks	Schools