

NOVA Academic Calendar 2026-2027								
Month	Sunday	Thursday	Foundation	Information Management (NOVA IMS)	Management (NOVA SBE)	Engineering (NOVA SCT)	EGYPT Holidays and Important Dates	PORTUGAL Holidays and Important Dates
September	30-Aug-26	3-Sep-26						
	6-Sep-26	10-Sep-26		Teaching Week 1	Teaching Week 1			Classes T1 (SBE) - 8/9 to 16/10
	13-Sep-26	17-Sep-26		Teaching Week 2	Teaching Week 2	Teaching Week 1		
	20-Sep-26	24-Sep-26	Teaching Week 1	Teaching Week 3	Teaching Week 3	Teaching Week 2		
October	27-Sep-26	1-Oct-26	Teaching Week 2	Teaching Week 4	Teaching Week 4	Teaching Week 3		
	4-Oct-26	8-Oct-26	Teaching Week 3	Teaching Week 5	Teaching Week 5	Teaching Week 4	Tuesday 6th October Armed Forces Day (National Holiday)/ off Thursday 8th (tbc)	5th October - Republic (holiday only in Portugal)
	11-Oct-26	15-Oct-26	Teaching Week 4	Teaching Week 6	Teaching Week 6	Teaching Week 5		
	18-Oct-26	22-Oct-26	Teaching Week 5	Teaching Week 7	Teaching Week 7/Assessment	Teaching Week 6		SBE - T1 Assessments Week (from 14/10 until 19/10) Classes T2 (SBE) - 21/10 to 03/12
	25-Oct-26	29-Oct-26	Teaching Week 6	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 7		1st November - All Saints
November	1-Nov-26	5-Nov-26	Teaching Week 7	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 8		
	8-Nov-26	12-Nov-26	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 9		
	15-Nov-26	19-Nov-26	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 10		
	22-Nov-26	26-Nov-26	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 11		
December	29-Nov-26	3-Dec-26	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 12		1st December - Independence (holiday in Portugal)
	6-Dec-26	10-Dec-26	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 14	Assessment	Teaching Week 13/ Assessments		8th December - Immaculate Conception
	13-Dec-26	17-Dec-26	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 15	Assessment	Assessment		
	20-Dec-26	24-Dec-26	Break	Break	Break	Break		25th December - Christmas
	27-Dec-26	31-Dec-26	Break	Break	Break	Break		1st January - New Year
January	3-Jan-27	7-Jan-27	Assessment	Assessment	Resits	Resits	Thursday 7th Coptic Christmas Day (National Holiday)	
	10-Jan-27	14-Jan-27	Assessment	Assessment	Resits	Resits		
	17-Jan-27	21-Jan-27	Assessment	Assessment	Break	Resits/ Soft Skills	Soft skills starts on the 20th Jan	
	24-Jan-27	28-Jan-27	Teaching Week 1	Resits	Break	Soft Skills	Monday 25th Revolution Day (National Holiday)/off Thursday 28th?	
February	31-Jan-27	4-Feb-27	Teaching Week 2	Resits	Teaching Week 1	Soft Skills		Classes T3 (SBE) - 02/02 to 15/03
	7-Feb-27	11-Feb-27	Teaching Week 3	Break	Teaching Week 2	Break	9th Feb - Starting of Ramadan (moving) - Tuesday	9th Feb - Carnival holiday
	14-Feb-27	18-Feb-27	Teaching Week 4	Teaching Week 1	Teaching Week 3	Soft Skills		
	21-Feb-27	25-Feb-27	Teaching Week 5	Teaching Week 2	Teaching Week 4	Soft Skills/ Break	Soft skills finishes on the 23rd Feb	
March	28-Feb-27	4-Mar-27	Teaching Week 6	Teaching Week 3	Teaching Week 5	Teaching Week 1		
	7-Mar-27	11-Mar-27	Teaching Week 7/ EID	Teaching Week 4/ EID	Teaching Week 6/ EID	Teaching Week 2/ EID	Eid El-Fitr (10/03 a 11/03) - Wednesday to Thursday	
	14-Mar-27	18-Mar-27	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 5	Assessment	Teaching Week 3		SBE - T3 Assessments Week (from 17/03 until 24/03)
	21-Mar-27	25-Mar-27	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 6	Assessment	Teaching Week 4		Easter Break 22/03 to 30/03 (IMS) 25/03 to 29/03 (FCT) 26/03 to 04/4 (SBE)
April	28-Mar-27	1-Apr-27	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 7	Teaching Week 7	Teaching Week 5		
	4-Apr-27	8-Apr-27	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 8	Teaching Week 6		
	11-Apr-27	15-Apr-27	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 9	Teaching Week 7		Classes T4 (SBE) - 05/04 to 14/05
	18-Apr-27	22-Apr-27	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 10	Teaching Week 8		
May	25-Apr-27	29-Apr-27	Teaching Week 14	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 11	Teaching Week 9	25th Apr Sinai Liberation Day - Sunday 29th Apr Coptic Maudy Thursday 30th Coptic Good Friday 1st Coptic Holy Saturday Saturday 1st Labour Day	25th April - Liberty Saturday 1st Labour Day
	2-May-27	6-May-27	Assessment	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 12	Teaching Week 10	2nd Coptic Easter Day 3rd Spring Fest Sham el-Nassin	
	9-May-27	13-May-27	Assessment	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 13	Teaching Week 11		
	16-May-27	20-May-27	Break	Break	Break	Break	16th Arafat Day (National Holiday) - Sunday Eid al-Adha (17/05 a 19/05) - Monday to Wednesday	
	23-May-27	27-May-27	Assessment	Teaching Week 14	Assessment	Teaching Week 12		27th May - Corpus Christi (moving)
June	30-May-27	3-Jun-27	Resits	Teaching Week 15	Assessment	Teaching Week 13 / Assessment		
	6-Jun-27	10-Jun-27	Resits	Assessment	Assessment	Assessment		10th June - Portugal Day 13th June - St. Anthony (Lisbon)
	13-Jun-27	17-Jun-27		Assessment	Resits	Assessment	17th Muharram (National Holiday) - Thursday	
	20-Jun-27	24-Jun-27		Assessment	Resits	Resits		
July	27-Jun-27	1-Jul-27		Resits	Resits	Resits	30th June Revolution Day - Wednesday/1st July Thursday off (tbc)	
	4-Jul-27	8-Jul-27		Resits		Resits		
	11-Jul-27	15-Jul-27						