



ZAMBIA INSTITUTE OF MASS COMMUNICATIONS

2024/2025 ACADEMIC AND TRAINING CALENDAR

**Sessional Dates for Postgraduate/Degree, Diploma and Certificate Programmes,
Full Time/Part-time and Distance Learning**

	DATES	CALENDAR ITEMS
FIRST QUARTER 2024		
	Monday 12th February 2024	New Start of Classes (SHORT COURSES, CERTIFICATE & DIPLOMA)
	Monday 19th February, 2024	Classes Begin- (DEGREE)
SECOND QUARTER 2024		
	Tuesday 2nd April, 2024 to Tuesday 16th April, 2024	Examinations (DIPLOMA)
	Friday 12th April, 2024	Closing Date- Term 1 (DIPLOMA)
	Monday 8th April, 2024 to Friday 26th April, 2024	Residential School (DIPLOMA)
	Monday 13th May, 2024	Opening Date- Term 2 (DIPLOMA)
	Monday 15th April, 2024 to Friday 19th April 2024	Examination week (SHORT COURSES)
	Monday 22nd April, 2024	New Classes Begin- (SHORT COURSES & FILM MAKING)
	Monday 3rd June 2024 to Friday 7th June, 2024	Study Break (DEGREE)
	Monday 10th June 2024 to Friday 14th June 2024	Final Examinations (DEGREE)
	Saturday 17th June 2024 to Friday 16th August, 2024	Vacation Period (DEGREE)

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THIRD QUARTER 2024

Monday 8th July, 2024 to Friday 12th July 2024	Examination week (SHORT COURSES)
Monday 22nd July, 2024	New Classes Begin- (SHORT COURSES & CERTIFICATE)
Friday 26th July, 2024	Publication of Examination Results (DEGREE)
Monday 26th August, 2024 to Friday 30th August 2024	Arrival of New Students, Registration and Orientation (DEGREE)
Monday 29th July, 2024 to Friday 9th August, 2024	Examinations (DIPLOMA)
Friday 9th August, 2024	Closing Date- Term 2 (DIPLOMA)
Monday 12th August, 2024 to Friday 30th August, 2024	Residential School (DIPLOMA)
Monday 2nd September, 2024	Arrival of Returning Students & Classes Begin (DEGREE)
Monday 9th September, 2024	Opening Date- Term 3 (DIPLOMA)

FOURTH QUARTER 2024

Monday 30th September, 2024 to Friday 4th October 2024	Examination week (SHORT COURSES)
Monday 14th October, 2024	New Classes Begin- (SHORT COURSES)
Monday 2nd December, 2024 to Friday 20th December, 2024	Examinations (DIPLOMA)
Friday 20th December, 2024	Closing Date- Term 3 (DIPLOMA)
Monday 23rd December, 2024 to Friday 28th December 2024	Examination week (SHORT COURSES)

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