

# 2019 Academic Calendar

- **Orientation for New Students** 2<sup>nd</sup> - 5<sup>th</sup> January, Wednesday-Saturday
  - **40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration** 6<sup>th</sup> January, Sunday
  - **Annual Retreat** 7<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> January, Monday-Wednesday
- Senior students to report back to STM on 5<sup>th</sup> Jan, Saturday by 6 pm*

## 1<sup>st</sup> Semester ● 18 weeks: 10<sup>th</sup> Jan (Thurs) – 10<sup>th</sup> May (Fri)

Jan	10	(Thu)	1 <sup>st</sup> semester Begins
	14	(Mon)	State Holiday (Birthday of Yang di-Pertuan Besar of NS)
	21	(Mon)	Public Holiday (Thaipusam) *
	25	(Fri)	Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
	25	(Fri)	FE Seminar (Jan)
	31	(Thu)	Talent/Freshies Night
Feb	2-10	(Sat-Sun)	Chinese New Year Break
	5-6	(Tue-Wed)	Public Holiday (Chinese New Year)
	15	(Fri)	Thesis Writing (Completion of 1/3 Draft)
	22	(Fri)	Student Body Meeting
	25	(Mon)	Picnic Day
Mar	1	(Fri)	FE Seminar (Mar)
	4-8	(Mon-Fri)	Reading Week
	14	(Thu)	Day of Prayer & Fasting
	15	(Fri)	Community Life Meeting
	16	(Sat)	Biblical Studies Seminar [BSS]/Postgraduate Seminar 1
Apr	3	(Wed)	State Holiday (Israk & Mikraj) *
	4	(Thu)	Gotong Royong
	5	(Fri)	Thesis Writing (Completion of 2/3 Draft)
	5	(Fri)	FE Seminar (Apr)
	19	(Fri)	Off Day (Good Friday)
	24	(Wed)	Course Registration for 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester
	26	(Fri)	Postgraduate Seminar 2
	29 Apr-3 May	(Mon-Fri)	Study Week
May	1	(Wed)	Public Holiday (Labour Day)
	2	(Thu)	FE Supervisors' Meeting (KL)
	3	(Fri)	FE Supervisors' Meeting (Seremban)
	6-9	(Mon-Thu)	Exam Week
	10	(Fri)	Thesis Writing (Completion of 1 <sup>st</sup> Draft)
	10	(Fri)	Closing Service at 11 am

## Inter-Semester Break ● 11<sup>th</sup> May (Sat) – 7<sup>th</sup> Jun (Fri) [4 weeks]

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester ● 19 weeks: 8<sup>th</sup> Jun (Sat) – 19<sup>th</sup> Oct (Sat)

Jun	5-6	(Wed-Thu)	Public Holiday (Hari Raya Puasa) *
	8	(Sat)	FE for 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester Begins
	10	(Mon)	Quiet Day
	14	(Fri)	Thesis Writing (Completion of 2 <sup>nd</sup> Draft)
	21	(Fri)	Last Day to Add/Drop Courses
	21	(Fri)	Postgraduate Seminar 3
Jul	24-26	(Mon-Wed)	STM Alumni Homecoming
	1	(Mon)	Submission of Edited copy of Thesis to Supervisors
	1	(Mon)	Inter-Seminary Games
	5	(Fri)	FE Seminar (July)
	19	(Fri)	Student Body Meeting
Aug	2	(Fri)	FE Seminar (Aug)
	5-9	(Mon-Fri)	Reading Week
	11	(Sun)	Public Holiday (Hari Raya Haji) *
	14	(Wed)	Photo-taking of Graduands and STM Community
	14	(Wed)	Submission of Revised Copy of Thesis to Academic Office (Examiner)
	15	(Thu)	Day of Prayer & Fasting
	16	(Fri)	Community Life Meeting
	22	(Thu)	Gotong Royong
Sep	31	(Sat)	Public Holiday (Malaysia National Day)
	1	(Sun)	Public Holiday (Awal Muharram) *
	6	(Fri)	Student Body AGM
	9	(Mon)	Yang Dipertuan Agong's Birthday
	11	(Wed)	Course Registration for 1 <sup>st</sup> semester 2020
	13	(Fri)	All Assignments Due for Graduating Students
	13	(Fri)	FE Seminar (Sept) & Postgraduate Seminar 4
	16	(Mon)	Public Holiday (Malaysia Day)
	23	(Mon)	Submission of Bound Copy of Thesis
	23-25	(Mon-Wed)	Exam Week for Final Year Students
Oct	5-6	(Sat-Sun)	Final FE for 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester
	7-11	(Mon-Fri)	Study Week/Quiet Retreat (for Graduating students)
	14-16	(Mon-Wed)	Exam Week
	18	(Fri)	Commissioning Service at 11 am Graduation Dinner at 7 pm
	19	(Sat)	Graduation Day at 3 pm

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- **Church Visitation (for 1<sup>st</sup> year students)** Jan - Feb
  - **Year End Break** 20<sup>th</sup> Oct 2019 – 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 2020
  - **Year End FE** 1<sup>st</sup> Nov 2019 – 25<sup>th</sup> Dec 2019
  - **Interview New Students** 4<sup>th</sup> Nov 2019, Monday, 9 am
  - **Orientation** 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020, Wednesday – Saturday
  - **Annual Retreat** 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2020, Monday
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### Notes:

- a. All Public Holidays will be observed. The policy is that in every semester there will be at least 14 full weeks of class time for lectures, etc.
- b. Field Education: Between 12<sup>th</sup> Jan – 6<sup>th</sup> Oct. Students are exempted from reporting for Field Education Placements on the following Sundays: 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb; 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> Feb; 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> May; 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> June.
- c. Government School Term Break for 2019:
  - Term break: 23<sup>rd</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> March 2019
  - Mid-year break: 25<sup>th</sup> May – 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019
  - Term break: 10<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019
  - Year-end break: 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov – 31<sup>st</sup> December 2019

*\*Subject to change*