



# FTEN WELCOMING AND ORIENTATION PROGRAMME

2025

## QWAQWA CAMPUS

Date/Month	Activity	Venue
<b>NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2025</b>		
<b>03 – 04 December 2024</b>	Parents Information Session	Online
<b>10 December 2024</b>	Launch 2025 FYO Website	Online
<b>1<sup>st</sup> Quarter</b>		
<b>TBC</b>	Arrival of RC/RAs	Various Residences
<b>TBC</b>	Arrivals of Mentors (HRA)	Various Residences
<b>TBC</b>	Arrival weekend of First Years in Residences	Various Residences
<b>22 Jan – 07 Feb 2025</b>	Registration and Academic Advising (Seniors)	As per Faculty arrangements
<b>TBC</b>	Gateway Crew Training	TBC
<b>25 January 2025</b>	Arrival weekend of First Years in Residences	Various Residences
<b>16 January 2025</b>	Critical Academic Literacies Sign-up	Online
<b>01 February – 31 March 2025</b>	Blackboard Orientation	Online (Gateway Blackboard Organisation)
<b>12 - 14 February 2025</b>	Faculty Welcoming Sessions	TBC
<b>15 February</b>	Institutional VC's Welcoming and Dream Walk	TBC
<b>10 February 2025</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Classes Commence	Please refer to the class timetable
<b>10 – 14 February 2025</b>	Late Registrations (FTENs)	Please refer to the registration guides
<b>28 March 2025</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter Classes End	Please refer to the class timetable
<b>28 March – 04 April 2025</b>	Break	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter</b>		
<b>07 April 2025</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Classes Commence	Please refer to the class timetable
<b>14 – 18 April 2025</b>	Focus group interviews	Face-to-face
<b>19 – 23 May 2025</b>	Exam Prep Series	Online (Gateway Blackboard Organisation)
<b>30 May 2025</b>	Predicate Day	Please refer to the Faculty schedule
<b>30 May 2025</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter Classes End	
<b>02 – 21 June 2025</b>	Main Mid-year examination	Please refer to the examination timetable
<b>22 June – 18 July 2025</b>	Break	
<b>03 July 2025</b>	Publication of main mid-year examination marks	Please refer to the Faculty schedule
<b>14 – 19 July 2025</b>	Supplementary Mid-year examination	Please refer to the examination timetable

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3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter		
21 July 2025	3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter Classes Commence	Please refer to the class timetable
21 – 25 July 2025	2 <sup>nd</sup> Semester Registrations	Please refer to the registration guides
23 July 2025	Publication of supplementary mid-year examination marks	Please refer to the Faculty exam schedule
08 – 12 September 2025	Break	
4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter		
15 September 2025	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Classes Commence	Please refer to the class timetable
17 – 31 October 2025	Exam Prep Series	Online (Gateway Blackboard Organisation)
31 October 2025	Predicate Day	Please refer to the Faculty schedule
31 October 2025	4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter Classes End	Please refer to the class timetable
03 – 22 November 2025	Main End-of-year examination	Please refer to the examination timetable
01 December 2025	Launch 2026 FYO Website	TBC
19 December 2025	University Closes	