ESUT BUSINESS SCHOOL, ENUGU

2025/2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

January, 2026

3rd Semester	2nd Contact (Hybrid)	24th & 25th Jan

February, 2026

Orientation	New Students (Hybrid)	13th Feb. 2026
1st Semester	1st Contact (Hybrid)	14th & 15th Feb
Orientation	Ph.D Students (Hybrid)	20th Feb. 2026
1st Semester Ph.D Year 1	1st Contact (Hybrid)	21st & 22nd Feb
3rd Semester	3rd Contact (Hybrid)	28h Feb & 1st March

March, 2026

DBA & PhD Year 3	Thesis Proposal (Offline)	7th March
MBA/M.Sc Supplementary	Defence (Offline)	7th March
1st Semester	2nd Contact (Hybrid)	14th & 15th March
3rd Semester	Examination (Off -line)	28th & 29th March

April, 2026

1st Semester Ph.D	2nd Contact (Hybrid)	11th & 12th April
1st Semester	3rd Contact (Hybrid)	18th & 19th April
4th Semester	1st Contact (Hybrid)	25th & 26th April

May, 2026

1st Semester Ph.D	3rd Contact (Hybrid)	9th & 10th May
1st Seminar PhD (year 2)	Off-line	16th May
DBA Year 2	Submission of 1st Log Book	16th May
Mop Up Proposal/Seminar (PhD year 3)		16th May
4th Semester	2nd Contact (Hybrid)	23rd & 24th May

June, 2026

1st Semester Ph.D/DBA	Examination (Off-line)	6th & 7th June
1st Semester	Examination (Off -line)	6th & 7th June
Mop Up Supplementary	Examination (Off-line)	20th June
4th Semester	3rd Contact (Hybrid)	20th & 21st June

July, 2026

DBA & PhD Year 3	**Internal Defence (Off-line)**	**11th July**
MBA/M.Sc Mop Up Defence		**11th July**
2nd Semester	**1st Contact (Hybrid)**	**18th & 19th July**
4th Semester	**Examination (Off-line)**	**25th & 26th July**

August, 2026

2nd Semester Ph.D (Year 1)	**1st Contact (Hybrid)**	**1st & 2nd Aug**
Deadline for Thesis Submission for External Defence		**8th Aug**
2nd Semester	**2nd Contact (Hybrid)**	**15th & 16th Aug**
2nd Semester Ph.D (Year 1)	**2nd Contact (Hybrid)**	**29th & 30th Aug**

September, 2026

2nd Semester	**3rd Contact (Hybrid)**	**4th & 5th Sept**
Supplementary examination	**(Off-line)**	**4th & 5th Sept**
Submission of completed Dissertation (MBA & M.Sc)		**1st - 26th Sept**
DBA & PhD Year 3	**External Defence (Off-line)**	**12th to 19th Sept**
MBA/MSC Dissertation Defence (Off –line)		**26th & 27th Sept**

October, 2026

2nd Semester Ph.D (Year 1)	**3rd Contact (Hybrid)**	**3rd & 4th Oct**
2nd Seminar PhD (year 2)	**Off-line**	**10th Oct**
DBA Year 2	**Submission of 2nd Log Book**	**10th Oct**
2nd Semester Ph.D (Year 1)	**Examination (Off-line)**	**24th & 25th Oct**
2nd Semester	**Examination (Off -line)**	**24th & 25th Oct**

November 2026

3rd Semester	**1st Contact (Hybrid)**	**28th & 29th Nov**

Christmas Break **19th Dec – 10thJan, 2027**

MANAGEMENT