

2025-26 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL 2025 SEMESTER

August

Monday, August 11	Confirmation of registration/financial settlement for fall athletes Degree applications due for fall athletes graduating in 2025-26
Monday, August 11 through Friday, August 15	Fall camp/start-up week
Friday, August 15	Arrival of new freshmen/transfers and start of orientation
Saturday, August 16	Confirmation of registration/financial settlement: freshmen
Saturday, August 16 through Monday, August 18	Orientation continues
Monday, August 18	Confirmation of registration/financial settlement: returning students & transfers Degree applications due for students graduating in 2025-26 Evening classes begin (unless otherwise noted on course schedule)
Tuesday, August 19	Instruction begins for day courses
Wednesday, August 20	Students who have not attended a class with a wait list will be dropped at end of day
Monday, August 25	End of add/drop period for full-semester classes* Contracts for independent studies due Deadline for changing to CR/D/NC for full-semester courses

September

Monday, September 1	Labor Day; no class
Friday, September 26	Completion date for authorized Incomplete grades from summer

October

Thursday, October 9 & 10	Fall break
Monday, October 13	Classes resume
Tuesday, October 14	Midterm grades due at 8 a.m. Midterm grades available online
Wednesday, October 22	Last day to withdraw from full-semester courses with W grade**
Thursday, October 23	WP/F grading assigned for withdrawals from full-semester courses

November

Monday, November 17	Last day for student-initiated withdrawals from courses
Monday, November 24 through Friday, November 28	Thanksgiving break

December

Monday, December 1	Classes resume
Friday, December 5	Reading day
Monday, December 8 through Thursday, December 11	Final exams
Wednesday, December 17	Final grades due at 8 a.m.
Thursday, December 18	Final grades available online

SPRING SEMESTER 2026

January

Tuesday, January 6	Completion date for authorized Incomplete grades from fall semester
Wednesday, January 7	Confirmation of registration/financial settlement, 8:30-4 Evening courses begin (unless otherwise noted on course schedule)
Thursday, January 8	Instruction begins for day courses
Tuesday, January 13	Students who do not show up for a class with a wait list on day one of the term will be dropped from the class unless prior arrangements have been made with the instructor.
Wednesday, January 14	Last day to add a full-semester course End of add/drop period for full-semester courses* Deadline for changing to CR/D/NC grading track Contracts for independent study due
Monday, January 19	Martin Luther King Day chapel (no classes)
Tuesday, January 20	Grades due to replace authorized Incompletes from fall semester

February

Monday, February 16	Presidents day (no classes)
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March

Monday, March 2	Registration open to juniors and seniors for 2026-27 academic year
Tuesday, March 3	Midterm grades due at 8 a.m. Midterm grades available online
Wednesday, March 11	Last day to withdraw from full-semester courses with W grade**
Thursday, March 12	WP/F assigned for withdrawals from full-semester courses
Monday, March 16 through Friday, March 20	Spring break
Monday, March 23	Classes Resume Registration open to freshmen and sophomores for 2026-27 academic year

April

Friday, April 3	Good Friday (no classes)
Friday, April 10	Last day for student-initiated withdrawals from courses
Friday, April 24	Scholarship showcase Reading day
Monday, April 27 through Thursday, April 30	Final Exams
Tuesday, April 28	Preliminary grades due at noon for graduates
Thursday, April 30	Final grades due at noon for graduates Semester ends

May

Friday, May 1	Commencement Rehearsal, 10 a.m.
Saturday, May 2	Commencement, 10 a.m.
Friday, May 8	Final grades for spring semester due at 8 a.m.
Saturday, May 9	Final grades available online
Friday, May 29	Completion date for authorized Incomplete grades from spring semester

*After the Add/Drop period, a W goes on the transcript for any courses dropped. Add/drops must be signed by advisor. If a class is added, the instructor and the Academic Dean must approve.

** After the W period ends, class withdrawals are graded either WP or F.