

2026-2027 Academic Calendar — Faculty Dates & Deadlines

Fall 2026

August 2026

Mon, Aug 17th Academic year for faculty begins

Fri, Aug 21st Faculty Convocation

Mon, Aug 24th Fall Semester Begins; Full-term, 1st 7-week, and 1st 5-week classes start

Wed, Aug 26th Add/Drop Ends for 1st 5-week classes

Thu, Aug 27th Add/Drop Ends for 1st 7-week classes

Sun, Aug 30th Add/Drop Ends for Full-term classes

September 2026

Thu, Sep 3rd Midterm grading open for 1st 5-week classes

Mon, Sep 7th Labor Day – no classes; University administrative offices closed

Wed, Sep 9th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 1st 5-week classes

Thu, Sep 10th Midterm grading open for 1st 7-week classes

Tue, Sep 15th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 1st 7-week classes

Fri, Sep 25th Classes End for 1st 5-week classes

Fri, Sep 25th Final grading open for 1st 5-week classes

Mon, Sep 28th 2nd 5-week classes start

Wed, Sep 30th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 1st 5-week classes

Wed, Sep 30th Add/Drop Ends for 2nd 5-week classes

October 2026

Thu, Oct 1st Midterm grading open for Full-term classes

Thu, Oct 8th Midterm grading open for 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Oct 9th Classes End for 1st 7-week classes

Fri, Oct 9th Final grading open for 1st 7-week classes

Mon, Oct 12th Fall Break—no classes; University administrative offices open

Tue, Oct 13th Fall Break—no classes; University administrative offices open

Thu, Oct 15th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Oct 16th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 1st 7-week classes

Sun, Oct 18th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for Full-term classes

Mon, Oct 19th 2nd 7-week classes start

Thu, Oct 22nd Add/Drop Ends for 2nd 7-week classes

Fri, Oct 30th Classes End for 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Oct 30th Final grading open for 2nd 5-week classes

November 2026

Mon, Nov 2nd 3rd 5-week classes start

Wed, Nov 4th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 2nd 5-week classes

Wed, Nov 4th Midterm grading open for 2nd 7-week classes

Wed, Nov 4th Add/Drop Ends for 3rd 5-week classes

Mon, Nov 9th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 2nd 7-week classes

Tue, Nov 10th Midterm Grades viewable to students for 2nd 7-week classes

Thu, Nov 12th Midterm grading open for 3rd 5-week classes

Tue, Nov 17th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 3rd 5-week classes

Wed, Nov 25th Thanksgiving recess – no classes; University administrative offices close at noon on Wednesday

Thu, Nov 26th Thanksgiving recess – no classes; University administrative offices closed

Fri, Nov 27th Thanksgiving recess – no classes; University administrative offices closed

December 2026

Fri, Dec 4th Last class meeting for 2nd 7-week and 3rd 5-week classes

Mon, Dec 7th Last class meeting day for Full-term

Tue, Dec 8th Final Examination Period

Tue, Dec 8th Final grading open for Full-term, 2nd 7-week, and 3rd 5-week classes

Fri, Dec 11th Fall Semester ends

Sat, Dec 12th December Commencement; semester break begins

Wed, Dec 16th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for Full-term, 2nd 7-week, and 3rd 5-week classes

Spring 2027

January 2027

Thurs, Jan 7th	Student Success Summit
Mon, Jan 11th	Spring Semester Begins; Full-term, 1st 7-week, and 1st 5-week classes start
Wed, Jan 13 th	Add/Drop Ends for 1st 5-week classes
Thu, Jan 14 th	Add/Drop Ends for 1st 7-week classes
Mon, Jan 18 th	Martin Luther King Day – no classes; University administrative offices closed
Mon, Jan 18 th	Add/Drop Ends for Full-term classes
Fri, Jan 22 nd	Midterm grading opens for 1st 5-week classes
Wed, Jan 27 th	Midterm Grades Due at 11:59 pm for 1st 5-week classes
Thu, Jan 28 th	Midterm grading opens for 1st 7-week classes

February 2027

Tue, Feb 2 nd	Midterm Grades Due at 11:59 pm for 1st 7-week classes
Fri, Feb 12 th	Classes End for 1st 5-week classes
Fri, Feb 12 th	Final grading opens for 1st 5-week classes
Mon, Feb 15 th	2nd 5-week classes start
Wed, Feb 17 th	Final Grades Due at Noon for 1st 5-week classes
Wed, Feb 17 th	Add/Drop Ends for 2nd 5-week classes
Mon, Feb 22 nd	Midterm grading opens for Full-term classes
Thu, Feb 25 th	Midterm grading opens for 2nd 5-week classes
Fri, Feb 26 th	Classes End for 1st 7-week classes
Fri, Feb 26 th	Final grading opens for 1st 7-week classes
Sat, Feb 27 th	Spring Break—no classes February 27-March 7; University administrative offices open March 1-5

March 2027

Mon, Mar 8th 2nd 7-week classes start

Mon, Mar 8th Classes Resume from Spring Break

Tue, Mar 9th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 2nd 5-week classes

Wed, Mar 10th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 1st 7-week classes

Thu, Mar 11th Add/Drop Ends for 2nd 7-week classes

Sun, Mar 14th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for Full-term classes

Wed, Mar 24th Midterm grading opens for 2nd 7-week classes

Fri, Mar 26th Classes End for 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Mar 26th Final grading opens for 2nd 5-week classes

Mon, Mar 29th 3rd 5-week classes start

Mon, Mar 29th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 2nd 7-week classes

Wed, Mar 31st Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 2nd 5-week classes

Wed, Mar 31st Add/Drop Ends for 3rd 5-week classes

April 2027

Thu, Apr 8th Midterm grading opens for 3rd 5-week classes

Tue, Apr 13th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 3rd 5-week classes

Fri, Apr 23rd Last Class Meeting Day for 2nd 7-week Classes

Mon, Apr 26th Last class meeting day for Full-term Classes

Tue, Apr 27th Final Examination Period

Tue, Apr 27th Final grading open for Full-term, 2nd 7-week, and 3rd 5-week classes

Fri, Apr 30th Spring Semester ends; 3rd 5-week Classes End

May 2027

Sat, May 1st Spring Commencement

Wed, May 5th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for Full-term, 2nd 7-week, and 3rd 5-week classes

Summer 2027

May 2027

Mon, May 17th 1st day of Summer Term; Classes start for 10-week and 1st 5-week classes

Wed, May 19th Add/Drop Ends for 1st 5-week classes

Sun, May 23rd Add/Drop Ends for 1st 10-week classes

Thu, May 27th Midterm grading opens for 1st 5-week classes

June 2027

Wed, Jun 2nd Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 1st 5-week classes

Mon, Jun 7th 7-week classes start

Thu, Jun 10th Add/Drop Ends for 7-week classes

Thu, Jun 17th Classes End for 1st 5-week classes

Thu, Jun 17th Final grading opens for 1st 5-week classes

Mon, Jun 21st Midterm grading open for 10-week classes

Mon, Jun 21st 2nd 5-week classes start

Wed, Jun 23rd Final Grades **Due Noon** for 1st 5-week classes

Wed, Jun 23rd Add/Drop Ends for 2nd 5-week classes

Thu, Jun 24th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 10-week classes

Thu, Jun 24th Midterm grading opens for 7-week classes

Tue, Jun 29th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 7-week classes

July 2027

Thu, Jul 1st Midterm grading opens for 2nd 5-week classes

Wed, Jul 7th Midterm Grades **Due at 11:59 pm** for 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Jul 23rd Classes End for 10-week, 7-week, and 2nd 5-week classes

Fri, Jul 23rd Final grading opens for 10-week, 7-week, and 2nd 5-week classes

Sat, Jul 24th Summer Commencement

Wed, Jul 28th Final Grades **Due at Noon** for 10-week, 7-week, and 2nd 5-week classes