2026 – 2027 Academic Calendar

2026 FALL SEMESTER (August 24 – December 10)

August	21	Friday	Dormitories open to new students
	21-23	Friday – Sunday	New student orientation
	23-24	Sunday – Monday	Dormitories open to returning students
	24	Monday	Semester begins; Online Term A (16-week), Term B (8-week), and Term D1* (5-week) courses begin
	25	Tuesday	In-Seat Term A (16-week) courses begin
	28	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term B course
September	4	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term A course; Last day to drop a Term D1 course with a W grade
	7	Monday	*Labor Day – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	27	Sunday	Term D1 (5-week) courses end
	28	Monday	Term D2 (5-week) courses begin
October	2	Friday	Last day to drop a Term B course with a W grade
	5-9	Monday – Friday	*Fall Break – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	9	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D2 course with a W grade
	15	Thursday	Online Term B (8-week) courses end
	16	Friday	RECOMMENDED date to apply for May graduation. The last day to apply for graduation is two months before a conferral date or a late fee will be assessed.
	19	Monday	Online Term C (8-week) courses begin
	23	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term C course
	26	Monday	Registration opens for Spring and Summer semesters
November	1	Sunday	Term D2 (5-week) courses end
	2	Monday	Term D3 (5-week) courses begin
	13	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D3 course with a W grade
	20	Friday	Last day to drop a Term A course with a W grade
	25-27	Wednesday – Friday	*Thanksgiving Holiday – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	27	Friday	Last day to drop a Term C course with a W grade
December	10	Thursday	Semester ends; Term A (16-week), Term C (8-week), and Term D3 (5-week) courses end
	14	Monday	Term D4 (5-week) courses begin
	25	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D4 course with a W grade

2027 SPRING SEMESTER (January 17 – May 6)

January	17	Sunday	Dormitories open; Term D4 (5-week) courses end
	18	Monday	Semester begins; Online Term A (16-week), Term B (8-week), and Term D1 (5-week) courses begin
	18	Monday	*Martin Luther King Jr Day – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	19	Tuesday	In-Seat Term A (16-week) courses begin

	22	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term B course
	29	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term A course; Last day to drop a Term D1 course with a W grade
February	19	Friday	Last day to drop a Term B course with a W grade
	21	Sunday	Term D1 (5-week) courses end
	22	Monday	Term D2 (5-week) courses begin
March	1-5	Monday – Friday	*Spring Break Week – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	5	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D2 course with a W grade
	11	Thursday	Online Term B (8-week) courses end
	12	Friday	RECOMMENDED date to apply for December graduation. The last day to apply for graduation is two months before a conferral date or a late fee will be assessed.
	15	Monday	Online Term C (8-week) courses begin
	19	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term C course
	25-29	Thursday – Monday	*Easter Holiday – no classes for Term A on-campus students*
	28	Sunday	Term D2 (5-week) courses end
	29	Monday	Registration opens for Fall semester and I-Term; Term D3 (5-week) courses begin
April	9	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D3 course with a W grade
	16	Friday	Last day to drop a Term A course with a W grade
	23	Friday	Last day to drop a Term C course with a W grade
May	6	Thursday	Semester ends; Term A (16-week), Term C (8-week), and Term D3 (5-week) courses end
	8	Saturday	Commencement, 10:00 a.m.

2027 SUMMER SEMESTER (May 10 – August 19)

May	10	Monday	Semester begins; Online Term A (16-week), Term B (8-week), and Term D1 (5-week) courses begin
	14	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term B course
	21	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term A course; Last day to drop a Term D1 course with a W grade
June	13	Sunday	Term D1 (5-week) courses end
	14	Monday	Term D2 (5-week) courses begin
	18	Friday	Last day to drop a Term B course with a W grade
	25	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D2 course with a W grade
	28	Monday	Online Term C (8-week) courses begin
July	1	Thursday	Online Term B (8-week) courses end
	2	Friday	Last day to add/drop a Term C course
	18	Sunday	Term D2 (5-week) courses end
	19	Monday	Term D3 (5-week) courses begin
	30	Friday	Last day to drop a Term D3 course with a W grade

August	6	Friday	Last day to drop a Term A or Term C course with a W grade
	19	Thursday	Semester ends; Term A (16-week), Term C (8-week), and Term D3 (5-week) courses end