



ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025-2026

Fall 2025

August

4	Mon	Academic Leadership Summit
5-6	Tues-Wed	Faculty/Staff Institute
7	Thurs	Residence Halls Open for New Students who are registered full-time
8	Fri	Residence Halls Open for Continuing Students who are registered full-time
9	Sat	Orientation for Residential Students
11	Mon	Undergraduate and Graduate Classes Begin
11-18	Mon-Mon	Drop/Add Period - Late Registration Period – Late Fee Assessed
18	Mon	Course Withdrawal Period Begins
27	Wed	President's Convocation
27	Wed	Census

September

1	Mon	Labor Day (College Closed)
2	Tues	Classes Resume
3-19	Wed-Fri	Letter Grade Changes Period (Begins 9/3 & Ends 9/19)
12	Fri	Last Day to Remove Incompletes
17	Wed	Provost's Convocation
19	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 11:00 a.m. (Required)
22-26	Mon-Fri	Career Readiness/Quality Enhancement Week
26	Fri	Junior Class Meeting 11:00 a.m. (Required)
26	Fri	Annual Graduate & Professional Schools Fair
26	Fri	Fall and Spring Application for Degree Deadline
29-30	Mon-Tues	Mid-Term Examinations (Begins 9/29 - Ends 9/30)

October

2	Thurs	Mid-Term Grades Due by 3:00 p.m.
6	Mon	Advising & Early Course Selection for Spring 2026 begins
6-10	Mon-Fri	Credit/No-Credit Period (Begins 10/6 & Ends 10/10)
6	Mon	Graduate Session 2 begins
5-12	Sun-Sun	Founders' Week
		10/10 (Fri): Board of Trustees' Meeting
12	Sun	Founders' Convocation
15	Wed	Graduate Session 1 Final Grades due by 3:00 p.m.
17	Fri	Last day to receive a "W" and Withdraw from the College
29	Wed	School of Education Convocation

November

3	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 11:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
12	Wed	Thanksgiving Convocation
17-21	Mon-Fri	National Education Week
19	Wed	Last Day of Classes
20	Thurs	Reading Day
21-22, 24-25	Fri-Sat, Mon-Tues	Final Examinations
26	Wed	Residence Halls Close (2:00 p.m.) -- All Students Required to Vacate
26	Wed	End of Semester
27-28	Thurs-Fri	Thanksgiving Holiday - College Closed

December

1	Mon	College Reopens
4	Thurs	Final Grades Due for Undergraduate and Session 2 Graduate Students by 3:00 p.m.
10	Wed	Last Day for Faculty
12	Fri	Last Day for Staff
13	Sat	College Closed

Spring 2026

January

5	Mon	College Reopens
5	Mon	Faculty & Staff Institute
5	Mon	Residence Halls Open for New and Returning Students
6	Tues	Orientation for New and Returning Students
7	Wed	Undergraduate and Graduate Classes Begin
7-14	Wed-Wed	Drop and Add Period - Late Registration Period – Late Fees Assessed
14	Wed	School of Social Science Convocation
15	Thurs	Course Withdrawal Period Begins
19	Mon	Martin Luther King Day Observance (College Closed)
20	Tues	Classes Resume
20-23	Tues-Fri	Letter Grade Change Request Period (Begins 1/20/26) & (Ends 1/23/26)
23	Fri	Senior Class Meeting 11:00 a.m. (Required)
28	Wed	School of Natural Science Convocation
29	Thurs	Census
30	Fri	Junior Class Meeting 11:00 a.m. (Required)

February

5	Thurs	Annual Business Luncheon
6	Fri	Summer Application for Degree Deadline
6	Fri	Annual Career Fair
13	Fri	Last Day to Remove Incompletes
23-3/2	Mon-Mon	Credit/No-Credit period (Begins 2/23 & Ends 3/2)
27	Fri	Honors Convocation-(Evening Program)

March

3-4	Tues-Wed	Mid-Term Examinations
7	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 noon)
8	Sun	Annual Spring Choir Concert (3:30 p.m.)
9	Mon	Graduate Session 2 begins
10	Tues	Graduate Session 1 Final Grades due by 3:00 p.m.
9-13	Mon-Fri	Spring Break (Faculty/Students)
11-13	Wed-Fri	College Closed
15	Sun	Residence Halls Open (12:00 noon)
16	Mon	Early Course Selection & Advising begins for Summer 2026 and Fall 2026
16	Mon	Classes Resume
18	Wed	Mid-Term Grades due by 3:00 p.m.
25	Wed	School of Humanities Convocation
27	Fri	Last day to receive a “W” and Withdraw from the College Without Penalty
30-4/3	Mon-Fri	Social Justice Week

April

3-6	Fri-Mon	Good Friday, Easter Monday (College Closed)
8-10	Wed-Fri	Senior Thesis Presentations
13	Mon	Departmental Majors Meeting 11:00 a.m. (see Departments for locations)
15	Wed	Rite of Passage Convocation
16	Thurs	Graduating Students last day of class
17	Fri	Graduating Students Reading Day (No Classes)
20-22	Mon-Wed	Graduating Students Final Examinations
27	Mon	Graduating Students Grades due 10:00 a.m.
27	Mon	Reading Day (No Classes)
28- 5/1	Tues-Fri	Final Exams

May

1	Fri	Last Day of Classes
1	Fri	Two Rivers Black-Tie Gala
1	Fri	Board of Trustees’ Meeting
2	Sat	Residence Halls Close (12:00 Noon) -- All Students Required to Vacate*
3	Sun	End of Semester

3	Sun	Baccalaureate & Commencement Ceremony
5	Tues	Final Grades Due for Undergraduate and Session 2 Graduate Students by 3:00 p.m.
15	Fri	Last Day for Faculty

Summer 2026

May

25	Mon	Memorial Day (College Closed)
26	Tues	College Reopens
26-28	Tues-Thurs	Summer 2026 Registration

June

1	Mon	Classes Begin for Undergraduate and Graduate Students
2-3	Tues-Wed	Drop/Add Period - Late Registration Period
4	Thurs	Course Withdrawal Period Begins
5	Fri	Online Registration for Fall 2026 Continues
19	Fri	Juneteenth Observance (College Closed)
22	Mon	Classes Resume
22	Mon	Census
26	Fri	Last day to receive a "W" and Withdraw from the College

July

3	Fri	Independence Day Observance (College Closed)
6	Mon	Classes Resume
6	Mon	Registration for New Graduate Students Fall 2026 (5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.)
6	Mon	New Students Early Course Selection and Registration for Fall 2026 continues
10	Fri	Last Day of Classes for Undergraduate & Graduate Students
13-14	Mon-Tues	Final Examinations for Undergraduate Students
14	Tues	End of Semester
17	Fri	Final Grades Due for Undergraduate and Graduate Students by 3:00 p.m.

**This does not apply to graduating seniors and other students who are participating in Commencement activities, such as choir members and class marshals. These students must vacate immediately following Commencement.*

The Academic Calendar includes events with dates which may be subject to change (e.g. Convocations, celebrations). Additional events may be announced throughout the year.