



Traditional Academic Calendar

Two Semesters, May Term and Summer Session

FALL SEMESTER	2023-24	2024-25 REVISED	2025-26
New student orientation begins	Aug 21	Aug 19	Aug 17
Final fall check-in	Aug 28	Aug 26	Aug 25
Classes begin	Aug 28, 8:00 a.m.	Aug 26, 8:00 a.m.	Aug 25, 8:00 a.m.
Labor Day holiday	Sept 4	Sept 2	Sept 1
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Sept 5, 5:00 p.m.	Sept 3, 5:00 p.m.	Sept 2, 5:00 p.m.
Homecoming	Oct 6-8	Oct 4-6	Oct 3-5
Mid-term break	Oct 13-17	Mon Oct 14- Wed Oct 16	Mon Oct 13 -Wed Oct 15
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	Oct 27	Nov 1	Oct 31
Academic advising period	Oct 23-Nov 10	Oct 21-Nov 8	Oct 20-Nov 7
Thanksgiving break	Nov 22-24	Nov 27-29	Nov 26-28
Last Day of Classes	Dec 4	Thurs, Dec 5	Dec 4 (Th)
Reading Day	Tues, Dec 5	Fri, Dec 6	Dec 5 (F)
Final Exams	Dec 6-8	Dec 9-11 (M-W)	Dec 8-10 (M-W)
Grades Due	Dec 13	Dec 16	Dec 15
SPRING SEMESTER	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
New student day, final registration	Jan 8	Jan 6	Jan 5
Classes begin, 8 a.m.	Jan 10	Jan 8	Jan 7
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Jan 16, 5:00 p.m.	Jan 14, 5:00 p.m.	Jan 13, 5:00 p.m.
Martin Luther King Jr. Study Day (evening classes in session)	Jan 15	Jan 20	Jan 19
Mid-term break	Feb 26-March 1	Feb 24-28	Feb 23-27
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	March 15	March 14	March 13
Academic Advising period	March 11-29	March 10-28	March 9-27
Good Friday Holiday	March 29	April 18	April 3
Academic Symposium, no class	April 10	April 9	April 8
Last Day of Classes	April 19	April 17	April 17
Reading Day	April 22	April 21	April 20
Final Exams	April 23-25	April 22-24	April 21-23
Baccalaureate Service, 11 a.m. Commencement, 3 p.m.	April 28	April 27	April 26
Grades Due	April 30	April 29	April 28
MAY TERM			
Classes begin, 9 a.m.	May 1	April 30	April 29
Drop-add ends, 5 p.m.	May 2	May 1	April 30
No class for 3-credit classes	May 8, 15	May 7, 14	May 6, 13
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	May 14	May 13	May 12
Last day of class/final exam	May 22	May 21	May 20
Grades Due	May 24	May 23	May 22
SUMMER SESSION VI			
Begin-End dates	June 17-Aug 2	June 16-Aug 1	June 15-July 31
May-Summer SSTers return	July 30	July 29	July 28

Undergraduate degree completion programs use 7-week sessions, explained in the year-round calendar.

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Year-Round Academic Calendar

7/8-week Sessions within each Semester

FALL SEMESTER	2023-24	2024-25	2025-26
Session I			
Classes begin	August 28	Aug 26	Aug 25
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Sept 5	Sept 3	Sept 2
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	Sept 25	Sept 27	Sept 26
Last day of class	Oct 12	Oct 11	Oct 9
Grades Due	Oct 17	Oct 15	Oct 14
Session II			
Classes begin	Oct 18	Oct 17	Oct 15
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Oct 25	Oct 23	Oct 22
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	Nov 15	Nov 13	Nov 12
Thanksgiving break	Nov 22-24	Nov 27-29	Nov 26-28
Last Day of Classes	Dec 8	Dec 11	Dec 10
Grades Due	Dec 13	Dec 16	Dec 15
SPRING SEMESTER			
Session III			
Classes begin	Mon, Jan 8	Mon, Jan 6	Mon, Jan 5
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	Jan 16	Jan 14	Jan 13
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	Feb 5	Feb 3	Feb 6
Last day of class	Feb 23	Feb 21	Feb 20
Grades Due	Feb 27	Feb 25	Feb 24
Session IV			
First day of class	March 4	March 3	March 2
Drop-Add period ends, 5 p.m.	March 11	March 10	March 9
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	April 1	March 31	March 30
Good Friday Holiday	March 29	April 18	April 3
Last Day of Classes	April 25	April 24	April 23
Baccalaureate Service, 11 a.m. Commencement, 3 p.m.	April 28	April 27	April 26
Grades Due	April 30	April 29	April 28
SUMMER			
Session V			
Classes begin	April 29	April 28	April 27
Drop/add period ends, 5 p.m.	May 6	May 5	May 4
Memorial Day Holiday	May 27	May 26	May 26
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	May 28	May 27	May 26
Last day of class	June 14	June 13	June 12
Grade Due	June 18	June 17	June 16
Session VI			
Classes begin	June 17	June 16	June 15
Drop/add period ends, 5 p.m.	June 24	June 23	June 22
Independence Day Holiday	July 4 (Thurs)	July 4 (Fri)	July 3 (Fri)
Last day to withdraw with a "W"	July 15	July 14	July 13
Last day of class	Aug 2	Aug 1	July 31
Grades Due	Aug 6	Aug 5	Aug 4