

2026-2027 Academic Calendar

First Half Fall Session 2026

Date	Event
Monday, August 24, 2026	1 st 8-weeks Courses Begin
Monday, September 7, 2026	Labor Day Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Wednesday, October 14, 2026	Last Day of Classes
Thursday, October 15 – Friday, October 16, 2026	Final Examinations
Saturday, October 17, 2026	1 st 8-weeks Session Ends
Tuesday, October 20, 2026	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.

Full Fall Semester 2026

Date	Event
Monday, August 24, 2026	Fall Semester Begins
Monday, September 7, 2026	Labor Day Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, November 3, 2026	Election Day Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Thursday, November 26 - Sunday, November 29, 2026	Thanksgiving Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Monday, December 7, 2026	Last Day of Classes
Tuesday, December 8 – Thursday, December 10, 2026	Final Examinations
Friday, December 11, 2026	Final Examinations for Friday-only Classes
Saturday, December 12, 2026	Final Examinations for Saturday-only Classes/Full Fall Semester Ends
Sunday, December 13, 2026	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.
Monday, December 14, 2026 - Monday, January 18, 2027	Recess

Second Half Fall Session 2026

Date	Event
Monday, October 19, 2026	2 nd 8-weeks Courses Begin
Thursday, November 26 - Sunday, November 29, 2026	Thanksgiving Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Wednesday, December 9, 2026	Last Day of Classes
Thursday, December 10 – Friday, December 11, 2026	Final Examinations
Saturday, December 12, 2026	2 nd 8-weeks Session Ends
Sunday, December 13, 2026	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.
Monday, December 14, 2026 - Monday, January 18, 2027	Recess

Winter Session 2026/2027

Date	Event
Friday, December 18, 2026	Winter Session Begins
Thursday, December 24, 2026 - Friday, January 1, 2027	December Break - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, January 5, 2027	Winter Session Resumes
Saturday, January 16, 2027	Winter Session Ends
Tuesday, January 19, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.

First Half Spring Session 2027

Date	Event
Monday, January 18, 2027	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, January 19, 2027	1 st 8-weeks Courses Begin
Friday, February 12, 2027	Lincoln's Birthday - University Closed / No Classes
Wednesday, March 10, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Thursday, March 11 – Friday, March 12, 2027	Final Examinations
Saturday, March 13, 2027	1 st 8-weeks Session Ends
Sunday, March 14 - Sunday, March 21, 2027	Spring Break - No Classes
Monday, March 22, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.

Full Spring Semester 2027

Date	Event
Monday, January 18, 2027	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, January 19, 2027	Full Spring Semester Begins
Friday, February 12, 2027	Lincoln's Birthday - University Closed / No Classes
Sunday, March 14 - Sunday, March 21, 2027	Spring Break - No Classes
Monday, May 10, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Tuesday, May 11 – Thursday, May 13, 2027	Final Examinations
Friday, May 14, 2027	Final Examinations for Friday-only Classes/ Commencement Ceremony (tentative)
Saturday, May 15, 2027	Final Examinations for Saturday-only Classes/Spring Semester Ends
Sunday, May 16, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.
Monday, May 17 - Sunday, May 23, 2027	Recess

Second Half Spring Session 2027

Date	Event
Monday, March 22, 2027	2 nd 8-weeks Courses Begin
Wednesday, May 12, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Thursday, May 13 - Friday, May 14, 2027	Final Examinations
Friday, May 14, 2027	Commencement (tentative)
Saturday, May 15, 2027	2 nd 8-weeks Session Ends
Sunday, May 16, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.

First Half Summer Session 2027

Date	Event
Monday, May 24, 2027	First Half Summer Classes Begin
Monday, May 31, 2027	Memorial Day Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Friday, June 18, 2027	Juneteenth Holiday (Observed) - University Closed / No Classes

Date	Event
Tuesday, June 29, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Wednesday, June 30 - Thursday, July 1, 2027	Final Examinations
Friday, July 2, 2027	First Half Summer Session Ends
Monday, July 5, 2027	Independence Day Holiday (Observed) - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, July 6, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.

Full Summer Session 2027

Date	Event
Monday, May 24, 2027	Full Summer Session Classes Begins
Monday, May 31, 2027	Memorial Day Holiday - University Closed / No Classes
Friday, June 18, 2027	Juneteenth Holiday (Observed) - University Closed / No Classes
Monday, July 5, 2027	Independence Day Holiday (Observed) - University Closed / No Classes
Monday, July 26, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Tuesday, July 27 – Thursday 29, 2027	Final Examinations
Friday, July 30, 2027	Final Examinations for Friday-only Classes
Saturday, July 31, 2027	Final Examinations for Saturday-only Classes/Full Summer Session Ends
Monday, August 2, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.
Tuesday, August 3 - Sunday, August 22, 2027	Recess

Second Half Summer Session 2027

Date	Event
Monday, July 5, 2027	Independence Day Holiday (Observed) - University Closed / No Classes
Tuesday, July 6, 2027	Second Half Summer Classes Begin
Tuesday, August 10, 2027	Last Day of Classes
Wednesday, August 11 – Thursday, August 12, 2027	Final Examinations
Friday, August 13, 2027	Second Half Summer Session Ends
Sunday, August 15, 2027	Grades Due by 11:59 p.m.
Monday, August 16 - Sunday, August 22, 2027	Recess

All dates are subject to change.