2026 - 2027 Academic Calendar

FALL TERM 2026	Day	Activity
Sept. 2 - Sept. 4	Wednesday -Friday	International Student Orientation
Sept. 6	Sunday	Residence Halls open for First Year and New Transfer students only
Sept. 6 - Sept. 8	Sunday - Tuesday	First Year and Transfer student orientation
Sep. 8	Tuesday	First Year and Transfer student advising and schedule adjustments
Sep. 8	Tuesday	Residence Halls and houses open for returning Upperclass students
Sep. 8	Tuesday (tentative)	4:00 pm: Opening Convocation, Memorial Chapel
Sep. 9	Wednesday	Fall term classes begin; add/drop starts for returning students
Sep. 9 - 11	Wednesday-Friday	Off-campus and commuter student enrollment verification
Sep. 15	Tuesday	Last day to add an open course without instructor's written approval
Sep. 15	Tuesday	Last day to add/drop without a late fee
Sep. 22	Tuesday	Last day to drop a course without a "W"
Sep. 22	Tuesday	Last day to finalize fall term class schedule, with instructor permission to add a class
Sep. 22	Tuesday	Last day to Change or Declare a Major/Minor to be effective for Fall 2026
Sep. 29	Tuesday	Last day to declare a course "Pass-Fail"
Oct. 9	Friday	Winter term course prescheduling information available online
Oct. 12-30	Monday-Friday	Academic advising occurs for winter term courses; students must consult their faculty advisers
Nov. 2	Monday (tentative)	Graduation application due for Class of 2026
Nov. 2 - Nov. 6	Monday-Thursday	Winter term prescheduling appointments by class
Nov. 3	Tuesday	Last day to drop a course with a "W"
Nov. 17	Tuesday	Fall term classes end
Nov. 18	Wednesday	Reading period
Nov. 19-20	Thursday-Friday	Fall term final exams begin
Nov. 23-24	Monday-Tuesday	Fall term final exams end
Nov. 25	Wednesday	Residence halls and houses close
Dec. 2	Wednesday	Fall term grades due
Dec. 15	Tuesday	Fall 2026 Conferral Date *
WINTER TERM 2027	Day	Activity
Jan. 3	Sunday	Residence halls and houses open
Jan. 4	Monday	Winter term classes begin; add/drop starts
Jan. 4 - 6	Monday - Wednesday	Off-campus and commuter student enrollment verification
Jan. 8	Friday	Last day to add an open course without instructor's written approval
Jan. 8	Friday	Last day to add/drop without a late fee
Jan. 15	Friday	Last day to drop a course without a "W"

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Jan. 15	Friday	Last day to finalize winter class schedule, with instructor permission to add a class
Jan. 15	Friday	Last day to Change or Declare a Major/Minor to be effective for Winter 2027
Jan. 22	Friday	Last day to declare a course "Pass-Fail"
Jan. 29	Friday	Spring term course prescheduling information available online
Feb. 8-26	Monday-Friday	Academic advising occurs for spring term courses; students must consult their faculty advisers
Feb. 26	Friday	Last day to drop a course with a "W"
Mar. 1 - 4	Monday-Thursday	Spring term prescheduling appointments by class
Mar.12	Friday	Last day of winter term classes
Mar.13- Mar.14	Saturday - Sunday	Reading period
Mar.15 - Mar. 18	Monday -Thursday	Winter Final Exams Period
Mar.19	Friday	Residence halls and houses close
Mar. 22	Monday	Winter term grades due
Apr. 15	Thursday	Winter 2027 Conferral Date*
SPRING TERM 2027	Day	Activity
Mar. 28	Sunday	Residence halls and houses open
Mar. 29	Monday	Spring term classes begin; add/drop starts
Mar.29 - Mar. 31	Monday-Wednesday	Off-campus and commuter student enrollment verification
Apr. 2	Friday	Last day to add an open course without instructor's written approval
Apr. 2	Friday	Last day to Change or Declare a Major/Minor to be effective for Spring 2027
Apr. 2	Friday	Last day to add/drop without a late ree
Apr. 9	Friday	Last day to drop a course without a "W"
Apr. 9	Friday	Last day to finalize spring class schedule, with instructor permission to add a class
Apr. 16	Friday	Last day to declare a course "Pass-Fail"
Apr. 30	Friday	Fall term course prescheduling information available online
May 3 - 21	Monday-Friday	Academic advising occurs for fall term courses; students must consult their academic adviser
May. 10	Monday	Registration begins for summer classes
May. 21	Friday	Last day to drop a course with a "W"
May 25 - May 27	Tuesday-Thursday	Fall term prescheduling appointments by class
Jun. 4	Friday	Last day of spring term classes
Jun. 5 - Jun. 6	Saturday - Sunday	Reading period
Jun. 7 - Jun. 10	Monday - Thursday	Spring term final exam period
Jun. 11	Friday	Residence halls / houses close at 3 p.m. for students not involved in Commencement
Jun. 13	Sunday	Commencement
Jun. 13	Sunday	Residence halls and houses close at 6 p.m.
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Jun. 14	Monday	Registration ends for summer classes
Jun. 16	Wednesday	Spring term grades due
Jun. 21	Monday	Summer term classes begin
Jul. 1	Thursday	Spring 2027 Conferral Date*

^{*} See academic catalog for information regarding degree conferral dates and eligibility

The Academic Calendar is subject to change at any time by official action of the College.

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