

On Campus

July 20	Deadline to submit Consortium Program Authorized Requests for Fall 2026
August 17-19	Professional Development Week
August 25	All residence halls open at 9 a.m. for NEW students (Arrival Day/Business Registration)
August 26-28	New Student Orientation
August 29	All residence halls open at 9 a.m. for RETURNING students
August 31	Classes begin - Late Registration Fee begins (fee charged) / Faculty and Staff tuition waiver deadline
September 4	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to ADD/DROP/AUDIT courses
September 7	Labor Day Holiday (No classes)
September 11	GRADUATE - Last day to ADD/DROP/AUDIT courses
September 25	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
October 2	Final payment for Fall 2026 charges due (charges must be paid in full to register for Spring 2027 courses)
October 12-16	UNDERGRADUATE - Midterm week
October 19	All midterm grades due from Faculty no later than noon
October 19	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester
October 27	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
November 3	GRADUATE - Last possible day to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office
November 9	Course registration begins for Spring 2027 semester for currently enrolled students
November 17	GRADUATE - Last possible day to defend dissertation for December 2026 graduation
November 23-27	Fall Break
December 4	Graduation application deadline for December 2026 and May/August 2027 graduation. Late Fee will apply starting Dec. 5th
December 7	GRADUATE - Last possible day to submit final version of dissertation and post-defense paperwork
December 11	Deadline to submit OCICU/Consortium Program Authorized Requests for Spring 2027
December 14	GRADUATE - Last day to change Incomplete grades from the previous semester
December 14	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
December 14	Classes end
December 15	Study Day
December 16-18	Final Assessment Schedule
December 19	All residence halls close at noon and Winter Break begins
December 21	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon
December 25-January 1	Winter Break (University closed)

Online: 8 Week (Session 1)

August 31	Classes begin – Late Registration Fee Begins
September 2	Last day to ADD/DROP courses
September 11	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
October 13	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
October 23	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
October 23	Classes end
October 26	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon

Online: 8 Week (Session 2)

October 26	Classes begin
October 28	Last day to ADD/DROP courses
November 6	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
November 27	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
December 18	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
December 18	Classes end
December 21	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon
December 25–January 1	Winter Break (University closed)

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January 11-12	Professional Development Week
January 13	All residence halls open at 9 a.m. for NEW students
January 14-16	New Student Orientation
January 17	All residence halls open at 9 a.m. for RETURNING students
January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
January 19	Classes begin /Late Registration Fee begins (fee charged) / Faculty and staff tuition waiver deadline
January 22	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to ADD/DROP/AUDIT courses
January 29	GRADUATE - Last day to ADD/DROP/AUDIT courses
February 12	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
March 8	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to change Incomplete grades from previous semester
March 10	Course registration begins for Summer School 2027 for currently enrolled students (Spring 2027 charges must be paid in full)
March 15-19	Spring Break
March 23	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
March 23	GRADUATE - Last possible day to submit defensible dissertation to Graduate School Office
April 2	Deadline submit Consortium/OCICU Program Authorized Requests for Summer 2027
April 12	Course registration begins for Fall 2027 semester for currently enrolled students
April 13	GRADUATE - Last possible day to defend dissertation for May 2027 graduation
April 20	GRADUATE - Last possible day to submit final version of dissertation and post-defense paperwork
May 3	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 3	GRADUATE - Last day to change Incomplete grades from the previous semester
May 3	Classes end
May 4	Study Day
May 5-7	Final Assessment Schedule
May 8	All residence halls close at noon
May 10	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon
May 14	Commencement exercises

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January 19	Classes begin – Late Registration Fee Begins
January 20	Last day to DROP courses
January 29	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
February 23	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
March 12	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
March 12	Classes end
March 15	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon

Online: 8 Week (Session 2)

March 15	Classes begin
March 16	Last day to DROP courses
March 26	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
April 20	UNDERGRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WD grades
May 7	GRADUATE - Last day to withdraw with WP/WF grade (forms must be signed and returned to the Registrar's Office by 4:30 p.m.)
May 7	Classes end
May 10	All grades due from Faculty no later than noon

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