



ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL 2025
SPRING 2026
SUMMER 2026

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2025-2026 Academic Calendar	
Web registration, web drop, and web payment are open until midnight on the last date indicated, unless another time is shown. College offices close at 4:30 p.m. fall and spring and 5:00 p.m. summer. Unless a different time is shown or the college closes early, all other deadlines, except class dates, are 4:30 p.m. on the last date indicated.	
May 19 – Aug. 15	Fall registration begins
June 2	Fall international applicant admission application deadline
June 16	Fall international transfer applicant admission application deadline
July 1 – Aug. 15	Fall Nelnet payment plan is available
July 15	Fall financial aid deadline; Fall admission priority processing date
August 13 August 20 August 27 September 3	Fall fees due (Fees are due if registered on or before a due date.) *All class registrations not secured with full payment or financial aid will result in students having their class schedule cancelled in its entirety. All students registering for classes after the last due date must secure classes with full payment or financial aid on the day of registration.
August 15	State employee fee waiver registration begins. Registration period continues through the applicable add/drop end date for express session classes. See Session Dates calendar on the website for a list of all add/drop deadlines.
August 18	Fall classes begin *Start dates for express sessions may vary. Check your class schedule for start dates.
August 18 – 22	Add/Drop for full term classes* *Add/Drop end dates vary for express session classes, including those that start on 8/18/25 and those starting later in the term. (See Session Dates calendar on the website for all registration, add/drop and withdrawal dates.)
September 1	Labor Day Holiday
September 8	Last day to submit grade changes for “I” grades received in previous summer term. Unresolved “I” grades will change to “F”.
October 1	Spring international applicant admission application deadline
October 15	Spring international transfer applicant admission application deadline
October 17	Fall commencement ceremony participation deadline (includes having name in program). Fall graduation application required.
Oct. 27 – Jan. 9	Spring registration begins
Oct. 27 – Jan. 9	Spring Nelnet payment plan is available
November 7	Last day for withdrawal (Withdrawal deadlines vary for classes that do not span the full term. See express session details for all registration, add/drop and withdrawal dates.)
November 11	Veterans Day Holiday
November 14	Spring financial aid deadline; Spring admission priority processing date
November 26-28	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 5	Term ends. Fall graduation application deadline.
December 8	Grades due (12 noon)
December 9	Fall Commencement Ceremony
December 17 January 7 January 14 January 21	Spring fees due (Fees are due if registered on or before a due date.) *All class registrations not secured with full payment or financial aid will result in students having their class schedule cancelled in its entirety. All students registering for classes after the last due date must secure classes with full payment or financial aid on the day of registration.
December 22-31	Winter Break
January 1-2	New Year’s Day Holiday
January 9	State employee fee waiver registration begins. Registration period continues through the applicable add/drop end date for express session classes. See Session Dates calendar on the website for a list of all add/drop deadlines.
January 12	Spring classes begin *Start dates for express sessions may vary. Check your class schedule for start dates.

January 12 – 16	Add/Drop for full-term classes* *Add/Drop end dates vary for express session classes, including those that started 1/12/26 and those starting later in the term. (See Session Dates calendar on the website for all registration, add/drop and withdrawal dates.)
January 19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
February 2	Last day to submit grade changes for “I” grades received in previous fall term. Unresolved “I” grades will change to “F”.
February 13	Summer international applicants admission application deadline
February 16	President’s Day Holiday
February 27	Summer international transfer applicants admission application deadline
March 13	Spring commencement ceremony participation deadline (includes having name in program). Spring graduation application required.
March 20 – 27	Spring Break
April 1	Summer financial aid deadline; Summer admission priority processing date
April 6 – May 8	Summer registration begins
April 6 – May 8	Summer Nelnet plan is available
April 10	Last day for withdrawal (Withdrawal deadlines vary for classes that do not span the full term. See express session details for all registration, add/drop and withdrawal dates.)
April 30 May 7 May 13 May 20	Summer fees due (Fees are due if registered on or before a due date.) *All class registrations not secured with full payment or financial aid will result in students having their class schedule cancelled in its entirety. All students registering for classes after the last due date must secure classes with full payment or financial aid on the day of registration.
May 6	Spring term ends. Spring graduation application deadline.
May 7	Spring grades due (12 noon)
May 8	Spring Commencement Ceremony
May 8	State employee fee waiver registration begins. Registration period continues through the applicable add/drop end date for express session classes. See Session Dates calendar on the website for a list of all add/drop deadlines.
May 11	Summer classes begin *Start dates for express sessions may vary. Check your class schedule for start dates.
May 11 – 13	Add/Drop for full-term classes* *Add/Drop end dates vary for express session classes, including those that started on 5/11/26 and those starting later in the term. (See Session Dates calendar on the website for all registration, add/drop, and withdrawal dates.)
May 11	Summer work schedule begins
May 18	Fall registration begins
May 25	Memorial Day Holiday
June 1	Last day to submit grade changes for “I” grades received in previous spring term. Unresolved “I” grades will change to “F”.
June 11	Summer commencement ceremony participation deadline (includes having name in program). Summer graduation application required.
June 18	Juneteenth Holiday
July 2	Independence Day Holiday
July 14	Last day for withdrawal (Withdrawal deadlines vary for classes that do not span the full term. See express session details for all registration, add/drop and withdrawal dates.)
August 5	Summer term ends Grades due (midnight) Summer graduation application deadline
August 6	Summer Commencement Ceremony
August 7	Summer work schedule ends
September 7	Last day to submit grade changes for “I” grades received in previous summer term. Unresolved “I” grades will change to “F”.