



**Fast Track Academic Calendar  
Spring 2026 Semester**

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**JANUARY**

5	Monday	12-month Personnel Return
6	Tuesday	Opening Faculty/Staff Institute
7	Wednesday	Faculty Institute
8	Thursday	LATE Registration Fee Assessed \$100
12	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Classes Begin for Session 1</b>
16	Friday	Last Day to Add/Drop a Class for Session 1 Without Academic Penalty & Receive 80% Refund
19	Monday	Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday (College Closed)
23	Friday	Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Session 1 With Academic Penalty – Letter Grade of W
28	Wednesday	<b>PURGE DATE FOR STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED REGISTRATION</b>

**FEBRUARY**

4	Wednesday	Last Day to Change a Grade from the Fall 2024 Semester
16	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes for Session 1</b>
17	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Classes Begin for Session 2</b>
19	Thursday	Grades Due for Session 1 at 12:00 p.m. CT
23	Monday	EARLY Registration Begins – Summer2025/Fall 2025
24	Tuesday	Last Day to Add/Drop a Class for Session 2 Without Academic Penalty & Receive 80% Refund

**MARCH**

3	Tuesday	Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Session 2 With Academic Penalty – Letter Grade of W
16– 22	Monday –Sunday	Spring Break
23	Monday	Classes Resume at 8:00 a.m. CT
24	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes for Session 2</b>
25	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Classes begin for Session 3</b>
27	Friday	Grades Due for Session 2 at 12:00 p.m. CT

**APRIL**

1	Wednesday	Last Day to Add/Drop a Class for Session 3 Without Academic Penalty & Receive 80% Refund
8	Wednesday	Last Day to Withdraw from a Class for Session 3 With Academic Penalty – Letter Grade of W
20	Monday	Potential Graduates Grades Due at 12:00 p.m. CT (No Incomplete Grades for Further Graduation Consideration)
29	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Last Day of Classes for Session 3</b>
30	Thursday	Graduate Student Hooding Ceremony at 7:00 p.m. CT

## MAY

1	Friday	Baccalaureate Ceremony at 10:00 a.m. CT
1 – 2	Friday – Saturday	Alumni Reunion Weekend
3	Sunday	Commencement at 9:00 a.m. CT
5	Tuesday	Grades Due for Session 3 at 12:00 p.m. CT

\*Calendar subject to change depending on extenuating circumstances dictating a modification.