

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025-2026

APRIL 2025

April 04 – May 29.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
April 04- June 27.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/ 5-Week Block)
March 31- April 02.....	Priority Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester
April 03– August 13.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
April 03- October 13.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
April 03– August 12.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Fall Semester
April 07.....	Last Day to Withdraw from a Course (16-Week Classes)
April 10.....	3rd Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day (2 nd 8-Week Block)
April 18.....	Good Friday Holiday
April 22.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 8-Week Block)
April 23- 25.....	No Classes (MerleFest)
April 28.....	Classes Resume

MAY 2025

May 9.....	Last Day of Classes Spring Semester (16-Week and 2 nd 8-Week Block) & BLET
May 14.....	Graduation
May 16.....	Pell Grant/Scholarship Final Refund for Spring Semester
May 26.....	Memorial Day Holiday
May 27.....	First Day to Use Financial Aid/Scholarship in Bookstore (Summer Term/4-Week Block)
May 27-June 2.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
May 29.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)

June 2025

June 02.....	First Day of Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 02 – August 1.....	Summer Term (8-Week SU Term)
June 02.....	Drop/Add Period (8-Week SU Term & 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 02 – June 27.....	First Session Summer Term (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 03.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive 75% Refund (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 05.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive 75% Refund (8-Week Classes)
June 06.....	Last Day to Use Financial Aid/Scholarship in Bookstore (Summer Term/4-Week Block)
June 13.....	Law Enforcement Training (LET) ends
June 20.....	Initial Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day
June 20.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 27.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
June 27.....	Last Day Classes 1 st Session (1 st 4-Week Block)

July 2025

June 30-July 04.....	No Classes
July 03.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 07.....	Law Enforcement Training (LET) starts
July 07.....	Drop/Add (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 07.....	Classes Resume
July 07.....	1 st Day (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 07 – August 01.....	Second Session Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)
July 07 – August 08.....	5-Week Block
July 08.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 2 nd 4-Week Block
July 09.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 5-Week Block
July 18.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course Summer Term (8-Week Classes)
July 25.....	2 nd Pell Grant/Scholarships Refund
July 25.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 4-Week Block)
July 31.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (5-Week Block)

August 2025

August 01.....	Last Day of Classes Summer Term (8 Week Classes and 2 nd 4-Week Block)
August 08.....	Last Day of Classes (5-Week Block)
August 08.....	Last Financial Aid Disbursement for 2024-2025
August 06.....	First day to use Financial Aid/Scholarships in Bookstore (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 06-15.....	New Student Orientation for Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 13.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 12.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 15.....	First Day of Classes Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 15-18.....	Drop/Add Period (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 15 – December 15.....	Fall Semester Session Dates
August 18 – October 14.....	1 st 8-Week Block Fall Semester
August 20.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (1 st 8-Week Block)
August 26.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (16-Week Classes)
August 27.....	Last Day to use Financial Aid/Scholarships in Bookstore

SEPTEMBER 2025

September 01 & 02.....	Labor Day Holiday
September 03.....	Classes Resume

Revised: July 10, 2025

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025-2026

September 15 – October 13.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
September 15 – October 24.....	Advising for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester & Summer Term
September 17.....	Initial Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day
September 30.....	Last Day To Withdraw From a Course 1 st 8-Week Block

OCTOBER 2025

October 13.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 13-14.....	New Student Orientation for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 15.....	2 nd pay date for Pell Grant/Scholarship
October 14.....	Last Day of Classes for 1 st 8-Week Block
October 15.....	First Day of Classes for 2 nd 8-Week Block
October 15 – 16.....	Drop/Add for 2 nd 8-Week Block
October 15-December 15.....	2 nd 8-Week Block Fall Semester
October 17 - October 20.....	Fall Break
October 21.....	Classes Resume
October 22.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 27 – October 29.....	Priority Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester & Summer Term/ 5-Week Block)
October 30– December 19.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
October 30– January 06.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
October 30- March 03.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 30 – May 28.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
October 30 – June 26.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/ 5-Week Block)

NOVEMBER 2025

November 07.....	3 rd Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day (2 nd 8-Week Block)
November 12.....	Last Day To Withdraw From a Course (16-Week Classes)
November 26– November 28.....	Thanksgiving Holiday

DECEMBER 2025

December 01.....	Classes Resume
December 02.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Course
December 12.....	Final Pay Date For Pell Grant/Scholarships for Fall Semester
December 12.....	Law Enforcement Training (LET) Ends
December 15.....	Last Day of Classes Fall Semester (16-Week and 2 nd 8-Week Block)
December 16 – January 7.....	Holiday Break

JANUARY 2026

January 05-06.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 05-08.....	New Student Orientation for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 05.....	Law Enforcement Training (LET) starts
January 06.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 08 – May 12.....	Spring Semester Session Dates
January 08.....	First Day of Classes Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 08-09.....	Drop/Add Period (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 08- March 04.....	1 st 8-Week Block Spring Semester
January 19 & 20.....	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
January 21.....	Last day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% refund (1 st 8-Week Block)
January 21.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% refund (16-Week Classes)
January 21.....	Classes Resume

February 2026

February 02 – March 03.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
February 11.....	Initial Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day
February 16– March 27.....	Advising for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester
February 20.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 8-Week Block)

MARCH 2026

March 03.....	Last Day to Drop to a Class for a 100% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 04.....	Last Day of Classes (1 st 8-Week Block)
March 04-05.....	New Student Orientation for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 05.....	First Day of Classes (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 05-06.....	Drop/Add Period (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 05- May 08.....	2 nd 8-Week Block Spring Semester
March 06.....	2 nd Pell Grants/Scholarships Refund Day
March 09-10.....	Spring Break/Snow Make Up Days

Revised: July 10, 2025

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025-2026

March 11.....	Classes Resume
March 12.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 26.....	No classes/Required work day
March 30- April 1.....	Priority Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester

APRIL 2026

April 02 – May 28.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
April 02- June 26.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/ 5-Week Block)
April 03.....	Good Friday Holiday
April 02– TBD.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
April 02- TBD.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
April 02- TBD.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Fall Semester
April 02-June 26.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/ 5-Week Block)
April 09.....	Last Day to Withdraw from a Course (16-Week Classes)
April 10.....	3 rd Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day
April 22- 24.....	No Classes (MerleFest)
April 27.....	Classes Resume
April 27.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 8-Week Block)

MAY 2026

May 12.....	Last Day of Classes Spring Semester (16-Week and 2 nd 8-Week Block) & BLET
May 15.....	Graduation
May 15.....	Last Pell Grants/Scholarships Refund for Spring Semester
May 25.....	Memorial Day Holiday
May 26-June 1.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
May 28.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)

June 2026

June 01.....	First Day of Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 01 – July 31.....	Summer Term (8-Week SU Term)
June 01.....	Drop/Add Period (8-Week SU Term & 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 01 – June 26.....	First Session Summer Term (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 02.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive 75% Refund (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 04.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive 75% Refund (8-Week Classes)
June 19.....	Initial Pell Grant/Scholarship Refund Day (Summer Term/4-Week Block)
June 19.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 26.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
June 26.....	Last Day Classes 1 st Session (1 st 4-Week Block)

July 2026

June 29-July 03.....	No Classes
July 02.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 06.....	Drop/Add (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 06.....	Classes Resume
July 06.....	1 st Day (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 06 – July 31.....	Second Session Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)
July 06 – August 07.....	5-Week Block
July 07.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 2 nd 4-Week Block
July 08.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 5-Week Block
July 10.....	Law Enforcement Training (LET) Ends
July 17.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course Summer Term (8-Week Classes)
July 24.....	2 nd Pell Grant/Scholarships Refund (2 nd 4-Week Block/5-Week Block)
July 24.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 4-Week Block)
July 30.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (5-Week Block)
July 31.....	Last Day of Classes Summer Term (8 Week Classes and 2 nd 4-Week Block)

August 2026

August 07.....	Last Day of Classes (5-Week Block)
August 07.....	Last Financial Aid Disbursement for 2024-2025

* Admission application, NC Residency Determination, and placement test requirements must be satisfied prior to scheduling a New or Returning Student Advising and Registration appointment.

**Designates built in make-up days. March 10 – 1st make-up day.

¹Currently Enrolled Student: A student who is enrolled during the current semester/term.

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025-2026

² *Returning Student: A student who was previously enrolled. Returning students must schedule a Returning Student Advising and Registration appointment.*

³ *New Student: An entering student, including first time degree seeking students, students transferring from another institution and students who were concurrently enrolled in high school and college. A new student must schedule a New Student Advising and Registration appointment*