

APRIL 2026

April 02 – May 28.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (8-Week and 1st 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 1st 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.....	Third Financial Aid Disbursement
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)
May 15.....	Graduation Last day for 9 month faculty
May 15.....	Final Spring Financial Aid Disbursement
May 25.....	Memorial Day Holiday
May 26.....	First day to use FA/Scholarships in bookstore
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 05.....	Last day to use FA/Scholarship in bookstore
June 19.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 23.....	First Financial Aid Disbursement
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 17.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course Summer Term (8-Week Classes)
July 24.....	Second Financial Aid Disbursement
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 2025-2026
August 10.....	First day to use FA/Scholarships in Bookstore 2026-2027
August 10-17.....	New Student Orientation for Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 13.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration ends (16- and 1st 8- Week Block)
August 13.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (16-Week and 1st 8-Week Block) 7PM
August 17.....	First Day of Classes Fall Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 17-19.....	Drop/Add Period (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
August 17 – December 15.....	Fall Semester Session Dates
August 17 – October 13.....	1 st 8-Week Block Fall Semester
August 20.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (1 st 8-Week Block) 4PM
August 26.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (16-Week Classes) 4PM
August 28.....	Last Day to use FA/Scholarships in Bookstore

SEPTEMBER 2026

September 07 & 08.....	No Classes
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ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027

September 09.....	Classes Resume
September 14 – October 12.....	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
September 14	Advising for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester & Summer Term Begins
September 18.....	First Financial Aid Disbursement
September 29.....	Last Day To Withdraw From a Course 1 st 8-Week Block
<u>OCTOBER 2026</u>	
October 12.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block) 5PM
October 13.....	New Student Orientation for Fall Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 13.....	Last Day of Classes for 1 st 8-Week Block
October 14.....	Second Financial Aid Disbursement
October 14.....	First Day of Classes for 2 nd 8-Week Block
October 14 – 15.....	Drop/Add for 2 nd 8-Week Block
October 14-December 15.....	2 nd 8-Week Block Fall Semester
October 17 - October 20.....	Fall Break No Classes
October 21	Classes Resume
October 21.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 26 – October 28	Priority Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester & Summer Term/5-Week Block
October 29– January 05	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1st 8-Week Block)
October 29– January 05.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1st 8-Week Block)
October 29- March 08.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
October 29 – May 27	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Summer Term (8-Week and 1st 4-Week Block)
October 29 – June 28.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)
October 29 – July 01.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Summer Term (5-Week Block)
<u>NOVEMBER 2026</u>	
November 12	Last Day To Withdraw From a Course (16-Week Classes)
November 13.....	Third Financial Aid Disbursement
November 25-November 29.....	Thanksgiving Holiday No Classes
November 30.....	Classes Resume
<u>DECEMBER 2026</u>	
December 01.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Course 2 nd 8 Week Block
December 15.....	Final Fall Financial Aid Disbursement
December 15	Last Day of Classes Fall Semester (16-Week and 2 nd 8-Week Block)
December 16 – January 06.....	Holiday Break
<u>JANUARY 2027</u>	
January 04	First day to use FA/Scholarships in Bookstore
January 05	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester Ends(16-Week and 1st 8 Week Block)
January 05-07.....	New Student Orientation for Spring Semester (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 05.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 07 – May 11.....	Spring Semester Session Dates
January 07	First Day of Classes Spring Semester (16-Week Block)
January 07-11	Drop/Add Period (16-Week and 1 st 8-Week Block)
January 11	First Day of Classes Spring Semester (1st 8-Week Block)
January 11- March 09.....	1 st 8-Week Block Spring Semester
January 14.....	Last day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% refund (1 st 8-Week Block)
January 18-19	Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday
January 20	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% refund (16-Week Classes)
January 20	Classes Resume
January 22	Last day to use FA/Scholarships in Bookstore
<u>February 2027</u>	
February 01 – March 08.	New and Returning Student Advising and Registration for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
February 12.....	First Financial Aid Disbursement
February 15.....	Advising for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester Begins
February 23.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 8-Week Block)
<u>MARCH 2027</u>	
March 05.....	Second Financial Aid Disbursement
March 08.....	Last Day to Drop to a Class for a 100% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 09.....	Last Day of Classes (1 st 8-Week Block)
March 09.....	New Student Orientation for Spring Semester (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 10.....	First Day of Classes (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 10-11.....	Drop/Add Period (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 10- May 11.....	2 nd 8-Week Block Spring Semester
March 15.....	Last Day to Drop a Course to Receive 75% Refund (2 nd 8-Week Block)
March 25-March 30.....	Spring Break
March 31	Classes Resume

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027

APRIL 2027

April 05- April 07.....	Priority Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester
April 05 – May 27.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (8-Week and 1st 4-Week Block)
April 05- June 28.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)
April 05- July 01.....	New and Returning Student Advising & Registration for Summer Term (5-Week Block)
April 02– TBD ??.....	Online Registration for Currently Enrolled Students for Fall Semester (16-Week and 1st 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 08.....	Last Day to Withdraw from a Course (16-Week Classes)
April 09.....	Third Financial Aid Disbursement
April 26.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 8-Week Block)
April 28- 30.....	No Classes (MerleFest)

MAY 2027

May 03.....	Classes Resume
May 11.....	Last Day of Classes Spring Semester (16-Week and 2 nd 8-Week Block)
May 11.....	Final Spring Financial Aid Disbursement
May 14.....	Graduation
May 24.....	First Day to use FA/Scholarships in Bookstore
May 27-June 2.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
May 27.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
May 31.....	Memorial Day Holiday

June 2027

June 02.....	First Day of Summer Term (8-Week and 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 02 – August 03.....	Summer Term (8-Week SU Term)
June 02- June 03.....	Drop/Add Period (8-Week SU Term & 1 st 4-Week Block)
June 02 – June 29.....	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 07.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive 75% Refund (8-Week Classes)
June 07.....	Last day to use FA/Scholarship in Bookstore
June 22.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 22.....	First Financial Aid Disbursement
June 28.....	Last Day to Drop a Class for a 100% Refund (2 nd 4-Week Block)
June 29.....	Last Day Classes 1 st Session (1 st 4-Week Block)
June 29.....	New Student Orientation for Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)
June 30.....	1st Day 2nd 4 Week Block Drop /Add Period 2nd 4 Week Block
June 30 – August 03.....	Second Session Summer Term (2 nd 4-Week Block)

July 2027

July 01.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 2 nd 4-Week Block
July 05-July 09.....	No Classes
July 12.....	Classes Resume
July 12.....	1st day 5 week Block Drop/Add (5-Week Block)
July 12 – August 13.....	5-Week Block
July 14.....	Last Day to Drop a Class to Receive a 75% Refund 5-Week Block
July 20.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course Summer Term (8-Week Classes)
July 23.....	Second Financial Aid Disbursement
July 27.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (2 nd 4-Week Block)

August 2027

August 03.....	Last Day of Classes Summer Term (8 Week Classes and 2 nd 4-Week Block)
August 05.....	Last Day to Withdraw From a Course (5-Week Block)
August 10.....	Last Financial Aid Disbursement for 2026-2027
August 13.....	Last Day of Classes (5-Week Block)

* 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.

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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*

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