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Important Information:

- All deadlines on this academic calendar are in **Central Time (CT)**. Please check your time zone to avoid missing important dates.
- Refer to the [online course schedule](#) for specific start and end dates for your courses.
- We strive to ensure all dates listed are accurate; however, occasionally dates may change. Please review updates regularly.

Fall semester runs August 18, 2026 - January 9, 2027, and includes Fall & Winter Terms

Fall Term 2026: August 24 - December 14, 2026

July 28	Fall 2026 tuition bills are distributed to students electronically
August 13	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate students who registered for the fall semester by Friday, July 18
August 14	Orientation for new international students
August 19	Fall registration for new undergraduate and all graduate students who have not yet registered (check your registration information sheet for access times)
August 20 - 27	Fall registration for all students

August 21	University residence halls open
	Last day a graduate student may register in absentia
August 24	First day of classes
August 24 - 27	Fall registration for graduate and law students
August 24 - 31	Fall registration for undergraduate students
August 27	4th class day
	Last day for graduate and law students to add a class
	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for graduate and law students
August 31	6th class day
	Last day for undergraduate students to add a class
September 7	Labor Day holiday; no classes held
September 9	12th class day
	Last day to drop a class without permission
	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for anyone who registered after Friday, July 18
	Payment for added classes ("Add Bill") is due by 11:59 p.m. Remaining balances will be automatically placed on an installment plan and \$15 installment fees will be assessed
	Last date for students to opt-out of Longhorn Textbook Access
October 16	Payment for remaining tuition balances is due by 11:59 p.m.
October 27	Last day to apply for an undergraduate degree
November 2 - 13	Spring 2027 registration
November 13	Last day to apply for a graduate degree
November 17	Spring 2027 tuition bills distributed to students electronically

November 18	Last day an undergraduate may: Q-drop a class; withdraw; change a class to pass/fail
November 20	Last day a doctoral candidate may hold a dissertation defense for the Fall 2026 semester
November 23	Last day a graduate student may change registration in a class to or from credit/no credit basis
November 23 - 28	Fall break / Thanksgiving; no classes held
December 4	Last day to submit master's report, recital, thesis, doctoral dissertation, or treatise to the graduate dean
December 7	Last class day
	Last day an undergraduate may, with the required approvals, request a non-academic Q-drop
	Last day an undergraduate may register in absentia
	Last day a graduate student may, with the required approvals, drop a class or withdraw from the university
December 8 - 9	Study days
December 10 - 12 & 14	Final exams
December 14 - 18	Spring 2027 registration for continuing and readmitted students
December 15	University residence halls close
December 19	Official graduation date (no public exercises)

Winter Term 2026

December 15 - January 9, 2027	Winter Term
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Spring semester runs January 11 - June 2, 2027, and includes Spring & May Terms

Spring Term 2027: January 11 - May 3, 2027

January 5	Orientation for new international students
January 6	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate students
January 8	Spring 2027 registration for new undergraduate students and all graduate students who have not yet registered (check your registration information sheet for access times)
January 8 - 11	Spring 2027 registration for all students (check your registration information sheet for access times)
January 8	University residence halls open
January 11	First day of classes
January 11 - 14	Spring 2027 registration for graduate and law students
January 11 - 19	Spring 2027 registration for undergraduate students
January 14	4th class day
	Last day for graduate and law students to add a class
	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for graduate and law students
January 18	Martin Luther King, Jr. Day; no classes held
January 19	6th class day
	Last day for undergraduate students to add a class
January 27	12th class day
	Last day to drop a class without permission
	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate, graduate, and law students

	Payment for added classes ("Add Bill") is due by 11:59 p.m. Remaining balances will be automatically placed on an installment plan and \$15 installment fees will be assessed
	Last date for students to opt-out of Longhorn Textbook Access
March 15 - 20	Spring Break
March 16	Payment for remaining balances is due by 11:59 p.m.
March 24	Last day to apply for an undergraduate degree
April 5 - 16	Summer 2027 and Fall 2027 registration for continuing and readmitted students
April 9	Last day to apply for a graduate degree
	Last day a doctoral candidate may hold a dissertation defense for the Spring 2027 semester
April 12	Last day a graduate student may change registration in a class to or from credit/no credit basis
April 14	Last day an undergraduate may: Q-drop a class; withdraw; change a class to pass/fail
April 23	Last day to submit master's report, recital, thesis, doctoral dissertation, or treatise to the graduate dean
April 26	Last class day
	Last day an undergraduate may, with the required approvals, request a non-academic Q-drop
	Last day a graduate student may, with the required approvals, drop a class or withdraw from the University
	Last day an undergraduate may register in absentia
April 27 & 28	Study days
April 29 - 30 & May 1 & 3	Final exams
May 4	Summer 2026 tuition bills distributed to students electronically

University residence halls close

May 8 University Commencement (official graduation date)

May Term 2027

May 4 - June 2 May Term

May 31 Memorial Day; no classes held

Summer semester runs June 3 - August 16, 2027, and includes First Term, Second Term, Nine-week Term, and Summer Term

May 19 Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate students

June 3 First day of classes for First Term, Nine-week Term, and Summer Term

June 8 4th class day

Last day to drop a class without permission for First Term, Nine-week Term, and Summer Term

Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate, graduate, and law students

Payment for added classes ("add bill") is due by 11:59 p.m. Any owed balance after this will be automatically placed on to installments and \$15 installment fees will be assessed

June 23 Last day a student may change registration in a First Term, Nine-week Term, or Summer Term class to or from pass/fail or credits/no credit

July 8 Last class day for First Term

Last day an undergraduate or graduate student may, with the required approvals, drop a First Term class

July 9 - 10 Final exams for First Term

July 12	First day of classes for Second Term
July 15	4th class day for Second Term
	Last day to drop a class without permission for Second Term
	Tuition payment deadline is 5:00 p.m. for undergraduate, graduate, and law students
	Payment for added classes ("add bill") due for Second Term
July 16	Last day to apply for undergraduate or law degree
July 27	Last class day for Nine-week Term
	Last day an undergraduate or graduate student may, with required approvals, drop a Nine-week Term class
July 28 - 29	Final exams for Nine-week Term
July 30	Last day a student may change registration in a First Term, Nine-week Term, or Summer Term class to or from pass/fail or credits/no credit
	Last day to apply for a graduate degree
July 28	Fall 2027 tuition bills distributed to students electronically
August 13	Last class day for Second Term and Summer Term
	Last day an undergraduate or graduate student may, with the required approvals, drop a Second or Summer Term class or withdraw
	Last day to submit a master's report, recital, thesis, doctoral dissertation, or treatise to the graduate dean
August 14 & 16	Final exams for Second Term and Summer Term
August 16	Official graduation date (no public exercises)

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