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Fall 2025 Intersession and Fall 2025 Semester

June 2025

Fall 2025 Admission's New Student Registration Form Submission Deadline..... **June 23, 2025**

Fall 2025 Intersession & Fall 2025 Semester Priority Registration Begins (at 9:30 a.m.):

69-89 Earned Hours.....June 17, 2025

55-89 Earned Hours.....June 18, 2025

45-89 Earned Hours.....June 19, 2025

30-89 Earned Hours.....June 20, 2025

18-89 Earned Hours.....June 23, 2025

Fall 2025 Tuition Payment Deadline for New Students (50% of tuition and fees) .....July 7, 2025

July 2025

Fall 2025 First day for students with federal financial aid to charge books .....July 18, 2025

August 2025

Fall 2025 Intersession Last Day to drop and receive 100% Tuition and Fees ..... August 4, 2025

Fall 2025 Intersession Last Day to Add a Class to Your Schedule (at 5:00 p.m.)..... August 4, 2025

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Early Session Begins* ..... July 28, 2025

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Fall 2025 Tuition Payment Deadline for Continuing Students (50% of outstanding balance) .. August 5, 2025

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Early Session Ends*..... August 1, 2025

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Fall 2025 Intersession Classes Begin.....August 11, 2025

Last day to apply for December 2025 graduation .....August 11, 2025

Fall 2025 New Student Orientation.....August 14-15, 2025

Fall 2025 New Online Student Orientation ..... August 13 – 20, 2025

Fall 2025 Intersession Classes End .....August 16, 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop & receive a 100% Refund of Tuition and Fees .....August 17, 2025

Fall 2025 Classes Begin.....August 18, 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop & receive an 80% Tuition Refund ..... August 23, 2025

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Fall 2025 Last Day to Add a class to your schedule (at 5:00 p.m.)..... August 23, 2025

Fall 2025 Intersession & Fall 2025 Semester Financial Aid Loan Disbursements* .....August 25, 2025

**You will receive a refund if your financial aid is greater than your tuition and fees. Refunds are processed through the Accounting Services Office within 14 days of the disbursement date.*

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop and receive a 60% Tuition Refund.....August 30, 2025

September 2025

Fall 2025 Intersession & Fall 2025 Semester Refund Generation*..... September 4, 2025

**After financial aid funds have been disbursed AND all balances are paid, any remaining funds (refund) will begin to be sent to students after this date. To receive a refund as quickly as possible, be sure to set up direct deposit. Instructions for direct deposit are located within your STANLEY account under Campus Life, Manage eRefund. Subsequent refunds will be generated once a week.*

Constitution Day, Garrett Townes & Atrium..... September 17, 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day for students with federal financial aid to charge books.....August 24, 2025

Deadline to Submit Fall 2025 Final Exam Reschedule Request (Exam Conflicts Only)..... September 1, 2025

Labor Day Holiday..... September 1, 2025*

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop and receive a 40% Tuition Refund..... September 6, 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop and receive a 20% Tuition Refund.....September 13, 2025

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Phase I Begins*..... September 8, 2025

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Phase I Ends* .....September 12, 2025

Fall 2025 Virtual Interviews: Phase I .....September 12, 2025

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Mandatory Part-Time Orientation (for those with 43-60 hours) .....September 27, 2025

**Orientation Location: Emilie Slohm.*

October 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day to Drop a Course without Receiving a Failing Grade ("WF") ..... October 1, 2025

***Fall* 2025 *Remaining Balances Payment Deadline*.....October 10, 2025**

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Phase II Begins*.....October 13, 2025

Fall 2025 On-Campus Interviews: Phase II Ends*.....October 17, 2025

Fall 2025 Virtual Interviews: Phase II .....October 17, 2025

Graduation Fair for Fall Graduates, Atrium: 12 to 6 pm .....October 30, 2025

Fall 2025 Last Day to Apply for Accommodations for Final Exam .....October 27, 2025

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November 2025

Fall 2025 Classes End ..... November 24, 2025

**Monday, November 24th is a required class to make up for classes missed on Labor Day Holiday, Monday, September 1st.*

Fall 2025 Reading Days Begin ..... November 25, 2025

Fall 2025 Thanksgiving Holiday ..... November 26 to 29, 2025

Fall 2025 Reading Days End ..... December 1, 2025

December 2025

Fall 2025 Final Examinations Begin ..... December 2, 2025

Fall 2025 Final Examinations End ..... December 11, 2025

Graduation Pictures and Ringing of the Bell, Atrium ..... December 12, 2025

December 2025 Commencement (Tentative) ..... December 13, 2025

Fall 2025 Faculty Grade Deadline 1 (for 1st Year Courses) (see below note regarding when grades will post) ..... December 26, 2025

January 2026

Fall 2025 Intersession & Fall 2025 Faculty Grade Deadline 2 (for upper-level courses) (see below note regarding when grades will post) ..... January 8, 2026

**Faculty will submit grades by 5 pm on this day. Grades and cumulative GPA's will not be updated/posted until all grades are submitted by all faculty. This may result in grades posting the following day(s).*

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Spring 2026 Intersession and Spring 2026 Semester

October 2025

Spring 2026 Intersession & Spring 2026 Semester Priority Registration Begins (at 9:30 a.m.):

- 69-89 Earned Hours ..... October 14, 2025
- 55-89 Earned Hours ..... October 15, 2025
- 45-89 Earned Hours ..... October 16, 2025
- 30-89 Earned Hours ..... October 17, 2025
- 16-89 Earned Hours ..... October 20, 2025

Spring 2026 Admission's New Student Registration Form Submission Deadline ..... **November 24, 2025**

December 2025

Spring 2026 Payment Deadline for New Students (50% of the outstanding balance) ..... December 15, 2025

Spring 2026 First day for students with federal financial aid to charge books ..... December 8, 2025

Spring 2026 Intersession Last Day to Drop and Receive 100% refund of Tuition and Fees ..... December 11, 2025

Spring 2026 Intersession Last Day to Add a Class to Your Schedule (at 5:00 p.m.) ..... December 11, 2025

Spring 2026 Payment Deadline for Continuing Students (50% of the outstanding balance) ..... December 12, 2025

January 2026

Spring 2026 Intersession Classes Begin ..... January 7, 2026

Last day to apply for May and July 2026 graduation ..... January 8, 2026

Spring 2026 New Student Orientation ..... January 8 – 9, 2026

Part-Time / Online Residency for Upper Level Students ..... January 11 – 16, 2026

Spring 2026 Intersession Classes End ..... January 13, 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 100% Refund of Tuition and Fees ..... January 13, 2026

Spring 2026 Classes Begin ..... January 14, 2026

Martin Luther King Holiday ..... January 19, 2026**

Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive an 80% Tuition Refund ..... January 20, 2026

Spring 2026 On-Campus Interviews: Phase I Begins ..... TBD

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Spring 2026 Last Day to Add a Class to Your Schedule (at 5:00 p.m.) ..... January 20, 2026

Spring 2026 Intersession & Spring 2026 Financial Aid Loan Disbursement* ..... January 21, 2026

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Spring 2026 On-Campus Interviews: Phase I Ends ..... TBD

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Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 60% Tuition Refund ..... January 27, 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day for students with federal financial aid to charge books ..... January 19, 2026

Spring 2026 Intersession & Spring 2026 Refund Generation* ..... January 28, 2026

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Spring 2026 On-Campus Interviews: Phase II Begins* ..... TBD

Spring 2026 On-Campus Interviews: Phase II Ends* ..... TBD

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February 2026

Deadline to Submit Spring 2026 Final Exam Reschedule Request (Exam Conflicts Only) ..... February 2, 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 40% Tuition Refund ..... February 3, 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 20% Tuition Refund ..... February 10, 2026

Spring 2026 Remaining Balances Payment Deadline ..... February 13, 2026

Graduation Fair for Spring & Summer Graduates: Atrium: 12 to 6 pm ..... February 26, 2026

March 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day to Drop a Course without Receiving a Failing Grade ("WF") ..... March 2, 2026

Spring Break Holiday ..... March 9 – 13, 2026

Rising 2L Part Time Mandatory Orientation (During classes) ..... TBD

2L Full Time Mandatory Orientation (9:00 am to 12:30 pm) ..... March 27, 2026

Spring 2026 Last Day to Apply for Accommodations for Final Exams ..... March 30, 2026

3L Full Time Mandatory Orientation (4:00 pm to 7:00 pm) ..... April 3, 2026

April 2026

Spring 2026 Classes End ..... April 29, 2026

***Thursday, April 30th is a required class to make up for classes missed on MLK Holiday, Monday, January 19th.*

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May 2026

Spring 2026 Reading Days Begin.....April 30, 2026

Spring 2026 Reading Days End.....May 4, 2026

Spring 2026 Final Examinations Begin.....May 5, 2026

Spring 2026 Final Examinations End.....May 14, 2026

Graduation Pictures and Ringing of the Bell, Atrium .....May 15, 2026

Spring 2026 Commencement (Tentative).....May 16, 2026

June 2026

Spring 2026 Intersession and Spring 2026 Faculty Grade Deadline (see below note regarding when grades will post) .....June 11, 2026

**Faculty will submit grades by 5 pm on this day. Grades and cumulative GPA's will not be updated/posted until all grades are submitted by all faculty. This may result in grades posting the following day(s).*

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Summer 2026 Session

February 2026

Summer 2026 Priority Registration Begins (at 9:30 a.m.):

45-89 Earned Hours. ..... February 24, 2026

15-89 Earned Hours ..... February 25, 2026

April 2026

Summer 2026 Payment Deadline (50% of the outstanding balance) ..... April 17, 2026

May 2026

Summer 2026 First day for students with federal financial aid to charge books..... May 2, 2026

Summer 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 100% Tuition Refund and Fees ..... May 25, 2026

Memorial Day Holiday ..... May 25, 2026

Summer 2026 Classes Begin ..... May 26, 2026

Summer 2026 Remaining Balances Payment Deadline ..... June 5, 2026

Summer 2026 Last day for students with federal financial aid to charge books..... May 31, 2026

June 2026

Last Day to Submit Deferred Examination Request for Summer 2026 Exams ..... June 1, 2026

Summer 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 80% Refund of Tuition ..... June 2, 2026

Summer 2026 Last Day to Add a Class to Your Schedule (at 5:00 p.m.) ..... June 2, 2026

Summer 2026 Last Day to Drop and receive a 50% Refund of Tuition ..... June 9, 2026

Summer 2026 Financial Aid Disbursements* ..... June 12, 2026

**You will receive a refund if your financial aid is greater than your tuition and fees. Refunds are processed through the Accounting Services Office within 14 days of the disbursement date.*

Summer 2026 Last Day to Drop a Course without Receiving a Failing Grade ("WF") ..... June 15, 2026

Juneteenth Holiday ..... June 19, 2026

Summer 2026 Refund Generation* ..... June 23, 2026

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July 2026

Independence Day Holiday (Friday) ..... July 4, 2026***

Summer 2026 Classes End ..... July 16, 2026

Summer 2026 Reading Days Begin ..... July 17, 2026

Summer 2026 Reading Days End ..... July 19, 2026

Summer 2026 Final Examinations Begin ..... July 20, 2026

Summer 2026 Final Examinations End ..... July 24, 2026

August 2026

Summer 2026 Faculty Grade Deadline (see below note regarding when grades will post) ..... August 21, 2026

**Faculty will submit grades by 5 pm on this day. Grades and cumulative GPA's will not be updated/posted until all grades are submitted by all faculty.This may result in grades posting the following day(s).*