

Academic Administrative Calendar 2026-2027

Date	Description
Tuesday, May 26, 2026	First Day of Summer 2026 Session
Friday, July 3, 2026	Independence Day holiday - offices closed; classes excused
Tuesday, August 4, 2026	Summer 2026 Thesis/Dissertation Defense Deadline
Friday, August 14, 2026	Last Day of Summer 2026 Session
Friday, August 14, 2026	All Summer 2026 Graduate Student Paperwork Due to the Office of the Registrar
Thursday, August 20, 2026	Summer 2026 Grades due to the Office of the Registrar by 12pm (UW-Reg 2-106)
Monday, August 24, 2026	College of Law Classes Begin - Fall 2026
Monday, August 31, 2026	Fall 2026 Semester begins; late registration; add/drop period begins
Wednesday, September 2, 2026	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for First 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Friday, September 4, 2026	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for Full Term Courses - Fall 2026
Friday, September 4, 2026	Last Day to Drop First 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Monday, September 7, 2026	Labor Day, offices closed; classes excused
Wednesday, September 9, 2026	Last Day to Drop Full Term Courses - Fall 2026
Wednesday, September 9, 2026	Last Day to make changes to health Insurance Selection - Fall 2026
Tuesday, September 15, 2026	Tuition/Fees due in full, or first payment installment due if in payment plan (see Tuition and Fees page)
Tuesday, September 15, 2026	Tuition/Fees due in full, or first payment installment due if in payment plan (see Tuition and Fees page)
Wednesday, October 7, 2026	Last Day to Withdraw from First 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Monday, October 12, 2026	Semester Break; classes excused
Friday, October 23, 2026	Fall 2026 Midterm
Monday, October 26, 2026	Registration for Spring 2027 courses begins
Monday, October 26, 2026	First Day of 2nd half term courses - Fall 2026
Wednesday, October 28, 2026	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for Second 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Thursday, October 29, 2026	Midsemester (Midterm) grades must be loaded online by Thursday noon - Fall 2026
Friday, October 30, 2026	Last Day to Drop Second 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Friday, November 13, 2026	Last day to partially withdraw (from all but one course) from the Fall 2026 semester (Individual Withdrawal)
Wednesday, November 25, 2026	Semester Break; classes excused
Thursday, November 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Break - Holiday Break, offices closed; classes excused
Friday, November 27, 2026	Thanksgiving Break - Holiday Break, offices closed; classes excused
Monday, November 30, 2026	Last day to request a grade of 'W' in all classes for Fall 2026 via the Dean of Students office (Addendum 1)
Wednesday, December 2, 2026	College of Law Classes End - Fall 2026
Wednesday, December 2, 2026	Last Day to Withdraw from Second 8-Week Courses - Fall 2026
Monday, December 7, 2026	College of Law final exam period begins - Fall 2026 (12/07/2026-12/18/2026)
Tuesday, December 8, 2026	Fall 2026 Thesis/Dissertation Defense Deadline
Friday, December 11, 2026	All Fall 2026 Graduate Student Paperwork Due to the Office of the Registrar
Friday, December 11, 2026	Last Day of Fall 2026 Courses
Monday, December 14, 2026	Start of Fall 2026 Finals Week: 12/14/2026-12/18/2026
Friday, December 18, 2026	End of Fall 2026 Finals Week: 12/14/2026-12/18/2026
Saturday, December 19, 2026	Fall 2026 Commencement
Monday, December 21, 2026	J-Term I Begins (12/21/2026-01/15/2027)
Tuesday, December 22, 2026	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for J-Term I Courses - Fall 2026
Wednesday, December 23, 2026	Fall 2026 Grades due to the Office of the Registrar by 12pm - (UW-Reg 2-106)
Wednesday, December 23, 2026	Last Day to Drop J-Term I Courses
Thursday, December 24, 2026	Christmas Holiday - Holiday Break, offices closed; classes excused
Friday, December 25, 2026	Christmas Holiday - Holiday Break, offices closed; classes excused
Monday, December 28, 2026	Winter Break Start; Offices Closed 12/28/2026 to 12/31/2026
Thursday, December 31, 2026	Winter Break End; Offices Closed 12/28/2026 to 12/31/2026
Friday, January 1, 2027	New Year's Holiday - offices closed; classes excused
Monday, January 4, 2027	J-Term II Begins (01/04/2027-01/29/2027)
Tuesday, January 5, 2027	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for J-Term II Courses - Fall 2026
Wednesday, January 6, 2027	Last Day to Drop J-Term II Courses

Thursday, January 7, 2027	Last day to withdraw from J-Term I Courses
Friday, January 15, 2027	J-Term I Ends (12/21/2026-01/15/2027)
Monday, January 18, 2027	Martin Luther King, Jr./Wyoming Equality Day - offices closed
Tuesday, January 19, 2027	First Day of Spring 2027 Courses
Thursday, January 21, 2027	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for First 8-Week C
Thursday, January 21, 2027	Last day to withdraw from J-Term II Courses
Monday, January 25, 2027	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for Full Term Cour
Monday, January 25, 2027	Last Day to Drop First 8-Week Courses - Spring 2027
Thursday, January 28, 2027	Last Day to Drop Full Term Courses - Spring 2027
Thursday, January 28, 2027	Last Day to make changes to health Insurance Selection - Spring 2027
Friday, January 29, 2027	J-Term II Ends (01/04/2027-01/29/2027)
Monday, February 15, 2027	Semester Break; classes excused
Monday, February 15, 2027	Tuition/Fees due in full, or first payment installment due if in payment plan (see Tuition and F
Wednesday, February 24, 2027	Last Day to Withdraw from First 8-Week Courses - Spring 2027
Monday, March 1, 2027	Registration for Summer 2027 courses begins
Friday, March 12, 2027	Spring 2027 Midterm
Monday, March 15, 2027	Spring Break Begins: 03/15/2027-03/19/2027
Friday, March 19, 2027	Spring Break Ends: 03/15/2027-03/19/2027
Monday, March 22, 2027	Registration for Fall 2027 courses begins
Monday, March 22, 2027	First Day of 2nd half term courses - Spring 2027
Wednesday, March 24, 2027	Last Day to Add Courses, Change Sections, and/or Change Grading Option for Second 8-Wee
Thursday, March 25, 2027	Midsemester (Midterm) grades must be loaded online by Thursday noon - Spring 2027
Friday, March 26, 2027	Last Day to Drop Second 8-Week Courses - Spring 2027
Friday, April 9, 2027	Last day to partially withdraw (from all but one course) from the Spring 2027 semester (Indivi
Friday, April 16, 2027	Semester Break; classes excused
Friday, April 23, 2027	Last day to request a grade of 'W' in all classes for Spring 2027 via the Dean of Students office
Wednesday, April 28, 2027	Last Day to Withdraw from Second 8-Week Courses - Spring 2027
Tuesday, May 4, 2027	Spring 2027 Thesis/Dissertation Defense Deadline
Friday, May 7, 2027	All Spring 2027 Graduate Student Paperwork Due to the Office of the Registrar
Friday, May 7, 2027	Last Day of Spring 2027 Courses
Monday, May 10, 2027	Start of Spring 2027 Finals Week: 05/10/2027-05/14/2027
Friday, May 14, 2027	End of Spring 2027 Finals Week: 05/10/2027-05/14/2027
Saturday, May 15, 2027	Spring 2027 Commencement
Monday, May 17, 2027	UW Casper Commencement - Spring 2027
Monday, May 17, 2027	Summer 2027 Office Hours begin - 7:30am-4:30pm
Thursday, May 20, 2027	Spring 2027 Grades due to the Office of the Registrar by 12pm (UW-Reg 2-106)
Monday, May 31, 2027	Memorial Day- Offices Closed