

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-27 – TRADITIONAL PROGRAMS - FINAL

<u>Start of Fall 2026 Semester</u>	August 17, 2026
End of Drop/Add Period	August 21
Opening Convocation	August 21
Labor Day Break	September 7
Fall Break	October 8-9
Last day of classes	November 18
Reading Day	November 19
Final Exams	November 20, 23, 24
All grades due	December 1
Graduation	December 5
Fall Traditional 1	August 17, 2026-September 30, 2026
Fall Traditional 2	October 1, 2026-November 18, 2026
<u>Winter Term</u>	
Start of Winter Term	December 7, 2026
End of Drop/Add Period	December 11
Christmas Break – campus closed	December 21 - January 1, 2027
Return to Campus	January 4
End of Winter Term	January 6
Grades Due	January 8
<u>Start of Spring 2027 Semester</u>	January 11, 2027
End of Drop/Add Period	January 15

MLK Day Holiday	January 18
Spring Break	March 1-5
Scholars Day (tentative)	March 25
Easter Break	March 26
Awards Convocation	April 9
Last day of classes	April 22
Reading Day	April 23
Finals	April 26, 27, 28
All grades due	April 30
Graduation	May 1
Spring Traditional 1	January 11-February 26
Spring Traditional 2	March 8-April 21
<u>Summer School</u>	
Memorial Day Holiday	May 31, 2027
Start of Summer I	June 1
End of Drop/Add Period	June 4
Juneteenth Holiday	June 18
End of Summer I	July 2
July 4 Holiday	July 5
Summer I Grades Due	July 6
Start of Summer II	July 7
End of Drop/Add Period	July 12

End of Summer II	August 6
Grades Due, Summer II	August 10
Start of 9 week session	June 1, 2027
End of Drop/Add Period	June 7
Juneteenth Holiday	June 18
July 4 Holiday	July 5
End of 9 week session	August 6
Grades due, 9 week session	August 10
Start - Berry Beginnings	July 26
End - Berry Beginnings	August 12

STAFF HOLIDAYS

Labor Day	September 7
Fall Break	October 8-9
Thanksgiving	November 25-27
Christmas	December 21-January 1
MLK Day	January 18
Spring Break	March 4-5
Good Friday	March 26
Memorial Day	May 31
Juneteenth	June 18
Independence Day	July 5

Tentative Staff Fridays Off in 2027

Campus will be open on orientation dates, which have not been finalized for 2027. Some of those orientation dates may fall on Fridays.

May 7	June 11	July 16
May 14	June 18 – Juneteenth	July 23
May 21	June 25	July 30
May 28	July 2	
June 4	July 9	