

2027 – 2028 Academic Calendar

Note: The academic calendars are subject to change

Fall 2027

August 16	First day of classes
August 17	First-half semester: Last day to add, change section of a class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option
August 20	First-half Semester: Last day to drop a class Full semester: Last day to drop a class Full semester: Last day to add, change section of a class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund.
August 27	UNC "Census" Date
September 6	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
September 14	First-half semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits First-half semester: Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a class
October 4	First-half semester: Classes end
October 5	Second-half semester: Classes start
October 6	Second-half semester: Last day to add, change section of a class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option
October 11 - 12	Second-half semester: Last day to drop a class
October 20	Fall Break – No classes Full semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits Full semester: Last day to withdraw from term Full semester: Last day to drop pass-fail option on a class
November 1 - 12	Early Registration for Currently Enrolled Students
November 9	Second-half semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits Second-half semester: Last day to drop pass-fail option on a class
November 24	University Break for Students – No classes
November 25 - 26	State Holidays – No classes; University Closed
December 1	Last day of classes
December 2	Reading Day
December 3 - 4, 6 - 8	Final Exam Period
December 9 - 13	Faculty Grading Period
December 10	For commencement details, please visit the Fall 2027 Commencement site.
December 13	Final grades due by 1:00 p.m. Incomplete Grades due from Spring and Summer 2027

Spring 2028

January 10	First day of classes
January 11	First-half semester: Last day to add, change section of class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option
January 14	First-half semester: Last day to drop class Full semester: Last day to drop a class Full semester: Last day to add, change section of a class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund
January 17	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
January 24	UNC "Census" date
February 8	First-half semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits First-half semester: Last day to drop the pass-fail option on a class
February 28	First-half semester: Classes end
February 29	Second-half semester: Classes start
March 1	Second-half semester: Last day to add, change section of a class, change course to audit or credit, or pass-fail option
March 6 - 10	Second-half semester: Last day to drop a class
March 21	Spring Break – No classes Full semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits Full semester: Last day to withdraw from term

April 3 - 17	Full semester: Last day to drop pass-fail option on a class
April 11	Early Registration for Currently Enrolled Students
April 14	Second-half semester: Last day to withdraw from a class and use withdrawal credits
April 26	Second-half semester: Last day to drop pass-fail option on a class
April 27	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
April 28-29, May 1 - 3	Last day of classes
May 4 - 6	Reading Day
May 4 - 8	Final Exam Period (dates to be determined)
May 8	For commencement details, please visit the Spring 2028 Commencement site.
	Faculty Grading Period
	Final grades due by 1:00pm
	Incomplete Grades due from Fall 2027

First 5 Week Summer Session 2028 (May 22 – June 23)

May 22	First Summer session: First day of classes
May 23	First Summer session: Last day to add a class
May 24	First Summer session: Last day to reduce schedule and be eligible for a refund
May 29	UNC "Census" date
June 9	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
June 23	First Summer session: Last day to withdraw from a class
June 26	First Summer session: Last day to withdraw from the session
	First Summer session: Last day of classes
	First Summer session: Final grades due by 1:00 pm

10-Week Session 2028 (May 22 – August 7)

May 22	10-Week session: First day of classes
May 23	10-Week session: Last day to add a class
May 24	10-Week session: Last day to reduce your class schedule and be eligible for a refund
May 29	UNC "Census" date
July 4	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
July 6	State Holiday – No classes; University Closed
August 7	10-Week session: Last day to withdraw from a class
August 9	10-Week session: Last day to withdraw from the session
	10-Week session: Last day of classes
	10-Week session: Final grades due by 1:00 pm

Second 5 Week Summer Session 2028 (July 5 – August 7)

July 5	Second Summer session: First day of classes
July 6	Second Summer session: Last day to add a class
July 7	Second Summer session: Last day to reduce schedule and be eligible for a refund
July 24	UNC "Census" date
August 7	Second Summer session: Last day to withdraw from a class
August 9	Second Summer session: Last day to withdraw from the session
	Second Summer session: Last day of classes
	Second Summer session: Final grades due by 1:00 pm