



2025-2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL (FULL) SEMESTER 2025

Nursing Check-in (online) and Orientation (in Knoxville)	Monday, August 11
Dental Hygiene Check-in (online)	Monday, August 11
Dental Hygiene Orientation	Tuesday – Thursday, August 12-14
MOT Check-in (online)	Wednesday, August 13
New Student Orientation	Wednesday, August 13
Residence Halls Open for New Students	Wednesday, August 13
TDUB Take Off (formerly Welcome Weekend)	Thursday–Saturday, August 14-16
MOT Orientation (in Knoxville)	Friday, August 15
Residence Halls Open for Returning Students	Saturday, August 16
Classes Begin	Monday, August 18
Last Day to Add or Register Late	Friday, August 22
Labor Day Holiday	Monday, September 1
Mid-Term Day	Monday, October 6
Fall Break	Thursday–Sunday, October 9–12
Assessment Day/Day of Service	Tuesday, October 21
Advisement Weeks	Mon.–Fri., October 27–November 7
Last Day to Drop with “W”	Monday, November 3
Registration for Dec. 2025 & Spring/Summer 2026	Monday–Friday, November 3–7
Thanksgiving Holiday	Wednesday–Sunday, Nov. 26–30
Last Day of Classes	Tuesday, December 2
Reading Day	Wednesday, December 3
Final Exams	Thurs-Tues, December 4 – 9
Graduating Senior Grades Due	Monday, December 8
Residence Halls close 12 noon	Wednesday, December 10
Baccalaureate / Commencement	Friday, December 12

FALL 1 & 2 ACCELERATED TERMS 2025*

Fall Accelerated Term 1 Classes Begin	Monday, August 18
Fall Accelerated Term 1 Last Day to Add/Register late	Friday, August 22
Fall Accelerated Term 1 Last Day to drop with a “W”	Monday, September 22
Fall Accelerated Term 1 Ends	Tuesday, October 7
Fall Accelerated Term 2 Begins	Wednesday, October 8
Fall Accelerated Term 2 Last Day to Add/Register late	Monday, October 13
Fall Accelerated Term 2 Last Day to drop with a “W”	Wednesday, November 12
Fall Accelerated Term 2 Ends	Tuesday, December 2

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DECEMBER TERM 2025

Classes Begin	Monday, December 15
Last Day to Add or Register Late	Wednesday, December 17
Last Day to Drop with “W”	Friday, December 26*

**all drops during the time when campus is closed for Christmas break must be submitted by email to the Registrar's Office. Processing will be dated on the date the email was received.*

Classes End

Friday, January 9

SPRING (FULL) SEMESTER 2026

New Student Orientation

Friday, January 9

Residence Halls Open for All Students 12 noon

Sunday, January 11

Classes Begin

Monday, January 12

Last Day to Add or Register Late

Friday, January 16

Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

Monday, January 19

Mid-Term Day

Friday, February 27

Spring Break

Monday–Friday, March 2 - 6

Advisement Weeks

Monday–Friday, March 16 – 27

Registration for Summer/Fall 2026

Monday–Friday, March 23 – 27

Last Day to Drop with “W”

Friday, March 20

Easter Break

Friday–Monday, April 3 – 6

Research Day

Thursday, April 16

Last Day of Classes

Tuesday, April 28

Reading Day

Wednesday, April 29

Final Exams

Thurs-Tues., April 30 – May 5

Graduating Senior Grades Due

Monday, May 4

Residence Halls close 12:00 noon

Wednesday, May 6

Nursing Pinning Ceremony

Thursday, May 7

Dental Hygiene Pinning Ceremony

Friday, May 8

Baccalaureate

Friday, May 8

Commencement

Saturday, May 9

SPRING 1 & 2 ACCELERATED TERMS 2026*

Spring Accelerated Term 1 Classes Begin

Monday, January 12

Spring Accelerated Term 1 Last Day to Add/Register late

Friday, January 16

Spring Accelerated Term 1 Last Day to drop with a “W”

Monday, February 9

Spring Accelerated Term 1 Ends

Friday, February 27

Spring Accelerated Term 2 Begins

Monday, March 9

Spring Accelerated Term 2 Last Day to Add/Register late

Friday, March 13

Spring Accelerated Term 2 Last Day to drop with a “W”

Wednesday, April 15

Spring Accelerated Term 2 Ends

Tuesday, April 28

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MAY TERM 2026

Classes Begin

Monday, May 11

Last Day to Add or Register Late

Wednesday, May 13

Last Day to Drop with “W”

Friday, May 22

Memorial Day Holiday

Monday, May 25

Last Day of Classes

Thursday, June 4

Final Exams

Friday, June 5

JUNE TERM 2026

Classes Begin

Monday, June 8

Last Day to Add or Register Late

Wednesday, June 10

Last Day to Drop with “W”

Thursday, June 18

Juneteenth
Last Day of Class
Final Exams

Friday, June 19
Wednesday, July 1
Thursday, July 2

JULY TERM 2026

Classes Begin
Last Day to Add or Register Late
Last Day to Drop with “W”
Last Day of Class
Final Exams

Monday, July 6
Wednesday, July 8
Friday, July 17
Thursday, July 30
Friday, July 31

LONG SUMMER TERM 2026

Classes Begin
Last Day to Add or Register Late
Memorial Day Holiday
Juneteenth
July 4th Holiday (observed)
Last Day to Drop with “W”
Final Exams (Long Summer Term)

Monday, May 11
Wednesday, May 13
Monday, May 25
Friday, June 19
Friday, July 3
Monday, July 6
Monday–Friday, July 27–31

SUMMER ACCELERATED TERM 1

Classes Begin
Last Day to Add or Register Late
Memorial Day Holiday
Last Day to Drop with a “W”
Final Exams

Monday, May 11
Wednesday, May 13
Monday May 25
Friday, June 5
Thursday, June 18

SUMMER ACCELERATED TERM 2

Classes Begin
Juneteenth
Last Day to Add or Register Late
July 4th Holiday (observed)
Last Day to Drop with a “W”
Final Exams

Monday, June 22
Friday, June 19
Thursday, June 25
Friday, July 3
Friday, July 17
Friday, July 31

Summer Announcement:

All summer graduating student grades due
Summer Graduation

Monday, August 3
Friday, August 7

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