



FIVE YEAR ACADEMIC CALENDAR

July 2026

2026-2027 TO 2030-2031

*Dates and Events listed below may be amended or changed.

Calendar Event	2026-2027	2027-2028	2028-2029	2029-2030	2030-2031
Fall					
Faculty & Staff Opening Workshop	Aug 19	Aug 18	Aug 16	Aug 15	Aug 21
New Student Move-In/Matriculation Convocation	Aug 21	Aug 20	Aug 18	Aug 17	Aug 23
Orientation and Ozarks Experience	Aug 21-24	Aug 20-23	Aug 18-21	Aug 17-20	Aug 23-26
Returning Student Move-In	Aug 23	Aug 22	Aug 20	Aug 19	Aug 25
Classes begin	Aug 25	Aug 24	Aug 22	Aug 21	Aug 27
Last day to register/add a class	Aug 31	Aug 30	Aug 28	Aug 27	Sept 3
Labor Day (Office Close/No Class)	Sept 7	Sept 6	Sept 4	Sept 3	Sept
Last Day to Drop a class without a 'W'	Sept 8	Sept 7	Sept 5	Sept 4	Sept 10
Mid-Term (grades due by noon) – Previous Term Incompletes Due	Oct 16	Oct 15	Oct 13	Oct 12	Oct 18
Homecoming Week	Oct 15-18	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
Fall Break (Office Open/No Class)	Oct 22-23	Oct 21-22	Oct 19-20	Oct 18-19	Oct 24-25
Founder's Day Oct 28 th – Celebration	Oct 27	Oct 26	Oct 24	Oct 30	Oct 29
Student Self-Registration	Nov 2-13	Nov 1-19	Nov 6-17	Nov 5-16	Nov 4-15
Last day to withdraw from a class	Nov 10	Nov 9	Nov 7	Nov 6	Nov 12
Thanksgiving Holiday (Offices Closed/No Class)	Nov 25-27	Nov 24-26	Nov 22-24	Nov 21-13	Nov 27-29
Last day of classes	Dec 9	Dec 8	Dec 6	Dec 5	Dec 11
Study day	Dec 10	Dec 9	Dec 7	Dec 6	Dec 12
Final exams	Dec 11-16	Dec 10-15	Dec 8-13	Dec 7-12	Dec 13-18
Senior Final Grades due 8:00 p.m.	Dec 16	Dec 15	Dec 13	Dec 12	Dec 18
Commencement	Dec 19	Dec 18	Dec 16	Dec 15	Dec 21
All final grades due by noon	Dec 22	Dec 21	Dec 19	Dec 18	Dec 22
Winter - Course dates vary based on online offerings					
Winter Break (University Closed/No Ozarks Classes)	Dec 23 – Jan 1	Dec 23 – Jan 1	Dec 23 – Jan 1	Dec 23-Jan 1	Dec 23-Jan 1
Spring					
Student Move-In	Jan 17	Jan 16	Jan 14	Jan 20	Jan 19
Martin Luther King Holiday (Offices Open/No Class)	Jan 18	Jan 17	Jan 15	Jan 21	Jan 20
Classes begin	Jan 19	Jan 18	Jan 16	Jan 22	Jan 21
Last day to register/add a class	Jan 26	Jan 24	Jan 22	Jan 28	Jan 27
Last Day to Drop a class without a 'W'	Feb 2	Jan 31	Jan 29	Feb 4	Feb 3
Mid-Term (grades due by noon) – Previous Term Incompletes Due	Mar 12	Mar 10	Mar 16	Mar 15	Mar 14
Spring Break (Office Open/No Class)	Mar 22-26	Mar 20-24	Mar 19-23	Mar 18-22	Mar 24-28
Good Friday Holiday (Offices Closed/No Classes)	Mar 26	April 14	Mar 30	April 19	April 11
Last day to withdraw from a class	April 6	April 4	April 3	April 9	April 1
Student Self-Registration	April 5-16	April 3-14	April 2- 13	April 1-12	April 7-18
ARCH Symposium	April 12-14	April 10-12	April 9-11	April 8-10	April 7-9
Last day of classes	May 5	May 3	May 2	May 8	May 7
Honors Ceremony	May 5	May 3	May 2	May 8	May 7
Study day	May 6	May 4	May 3	May 9	May 8
Final exams (spring housing closes on last exam day)	May 7-12	May 5-10	May 4-9	May 10-15	May 9-14
Senior Final Grades due by 8:00 pm	May 12	May 10	May 9	May 15	May 14
Commencement	May 15	May 13	May 12	May 18	May 17
All other final grades due by noon	May 18	May 16	May 15	May 21	May 20
Summer -Summer online course dates vary based on offering					
Summer Internship	May 17 – Aug 15	May 15 – Aug 15	May 14 – Aug 15	May 20 – Aug 15	May 19-Aug 15
Memorial Day Holiday (Offices Closed/No Class)	May 31	May 29	May 28	May 27	May 26
Summer I and II classes begin	Jun 8	Jun 6	Jun 5	Jun 4	Jun 3
Summer I last day to add	Jun 9	Jun 7	Jun 6	Jun 5	Jun 4
SU II last day to add/ SU I last day to drop without a W	Jun 10	Jun 8	Jun 7	Jun 6	Jun 5
Summer II last day to drop without a W	Jun 14	Jun 12	Jun 11	Jun 10	Jun 9
Juneteenth (Offices Closed/No Class)	Jun 21	Jun 19	Jun 19	Jun 19	Jun 19
Summer I last day withdraw from a class	Jun 24	Jun 22	Jun 21	June 20	Jun 20
Summer I classes end	July 2	Jun 30	June 29	Jun 28	Jun 27
Summer Break (University Closed/No Ozarks classes)	July 5-9	July 3-7	July 2-6	July 1-4	Jun 30-July 4
Summer III classes begin	July 13	July 11	July 10	July 9	July 8
Summer III last day to add	July 14	July 12	July 11	July 10	July 9
Summer III last day to drop without a W	July 15	July 13	July 12	July 11	July 10
Summer II last day to withdraw from a class	July 19	July 17	July 16	July 15	July 14
Summer III last day to withdraw from a class	July 29	July 27	July 26	July 25	July 24
Summer II and III classes end	Aug 6	Aug 4	Aug 3	Aug 2	Aug 1