

University of Pennsylvania

Three-Year Academic Calendar, 2023-2024 Through 2025-2026

Fall	2023 Fall Term	2024 Fall Term	2025 Fall Term
Move-in Information	More Information	More Information	More Information
New Student Orientation	August 23-28	August 21-26	August 20-25
Second-Year Orientation	August 27-September 1	August 25-30	August 24-29
Opening Exercises and Convocation	August 28	August 26	August 25
First day of classes	August 29	August 27	August 26
Labor Day (no classes)	September 4	September 2	September 1
Course Selection Period ends	September 12	September 10	(to be decided)
Drop Period ends	October 9	October 7	(to be decided)
Indigenous People's Day (University open; Classes in session)	October 9	October 14	October 13
Fall Term Break	October 12-15	October 3-6	October 9-12
Classes resume	October 16	October 7	October 13
Grade Type Change Deadline	October 27	October 25	(to be decided)
Family Weekend	October 27-29 (Brown)	October 25-27 (Yale)	October 24-26
Advance Registration for Spring Term	October 30-November 13	October 28-November 11	(to be decided)
Last day to withdraw from a course	November 6	November 4	(to be decided)
Homecoming	November 4 (Cornell)	November 16 (Harvard)	November 8 (Cornell)
Thur-Fri class schedule on Tue-Wed	November 21-22	November 26-27	November 25-26
Thanksgiving Break	November 23-26	November 28-December 1	November 27-30
Classes resume	November 27	December 2	December 1
Last day of classes	December 11	December 9	December 8
Reading Days	December 12-13	December 10-11	December 9-10
Final Examinations	December 14-21	December 12-19	December 11-18
Fall Term ends	December 21	December 19	December 18
Spring	2024 Spring Term	2025 Spring Term	2026 Spring Term
First day of classes	January 18	January 15 (Monday classes)	January 14 (Monday classes)
MLK, Jr. Day observed (no classes)	January 15	January 20	January 19
Course Selection Period ends	January 31	January 28	(to be decided)
Drop Period ends	February 27	February 24	(to be decided)
Spring Term Break	March 2-10	March 8-16	March 7-15
Classes resume	March 11	March 17	March 16
Grade Type Change Deadline	March 22	March 21	(to be decided)
Advance Registration for Fall Term	March 25-April 8	March 24-April 7	(to be decided)
Registration for Summer Session Begins	March 25	March 24	(to be decided)
Last day to withdraw from a course	April 2	March 31	(to be decided)
Last day of classes	May 1	April 30	April 29
Reading Days	May 2-5	May 1-4	April 30-May 3
Final Examinations	May 6-14	May 5-13	May 4-12
Spring Term ends	May 14	May 13	May 12
Alumni Day	May 18	May 17	May 16
Baccalaureate	May 14	May 13	May 12
Commencement	May 20	May 19	May 18
Summer	2024 Summer Term	2025 Summer Term	2026 Summer Term
Memorial Day observed (no classes)	May 27	May 26	May 25
11-Week Session classes begin	May 28	May 27	May 26
Session I classes begin	May 28	May 27	May 26
Juneteenth (no classes)	June 19	June 19	June 19
Session I classes end	July 3	July 2	July 1
Session II classes begin	July 5	July 3	July 2
Independence Day observed (no classes)	July 4	July 4	July 3
Session II & 11-Week Session classes end	August 9	August 8	August 7

Notes: Graduate and professional programs may follow their own calendars; check the website for each school or program. The University's Three-Year Academic Calendar is subject to change. In the event that changes are made, the latest, most up-to-date version will be posted to Almanac's website, almanac.upenn.edu/penn-academic-calendar. Rosh Hashanah, Yom Kippur, Election Day in November, the first two days of Passover and Good Friday are holidays that affect large numbers of University community members and that fall during the academic year. To view the University's policy regarding these and other holidays, please visit <https://catalog.upenn.edu/pennbook/secular-religious-holidays/>.