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When	What
Tue, Aug 12, 2025	 New Transfer Student Registration at 9:00 AM
Tue, Sep 2 - Tue, Sep 2, 2025	 Continuing Student Registration for Fall Quarter 2025 ends
Fri, Sep 12, 2025	 New Undergraduate Fall 2025 Registration
Tue, Sep 16, 2025	 Fall Classes Begin
Tue, Sep 16, 2025	 Undergraduate In-Person Attendance Required
Mon, Sep 22, 2025	 Last day to add a class or change a section for Fall
Mon, Sep 22, 2025	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 100% re-fund
Fri, Sep 26, 2025	 Last day to request academic accommodations for religious observance in Fall Quarter
Sun, Oct 5, 2025	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 75% refund
Mon, Oct 6, 2025	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Fall term (5W1)
Fri, Oct 10, 2025	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Fall term (5W1)
Fri, Oct 24, 2025	 Last day to drop a FULL-TERM class for Fall in CAESAR
Sun, Oct 26, 2025	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 50% refund
Mon, Nov 3, 2025	 Winter quarter courses viewable in CAESAR
Fri, Nov 7, 2025	 Last day to change grading status to PN
Mon, Nov 10, 2025	 Pre-registration for Winter quarter begins
Mon, Nov 10, 2025	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Fall term (5W2)
Fri, Nov 14, 2025	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Fall term (5W2)
Mon, Nov 17, 2025	 Registration for Winter quarter begins
Mon, Nov 24, 2025	 Thanksgiving Vacation begins
Wed, Nov 26, 2025	 University offices close for Thanksgiving break
Wed, Nov 26, 2025	 Term withdrawal and full-term course withdrawal petition deadline for Winter
Mon, Dec 1, 2025	 Fall Classes Resume
Mon, Dec 1, 2025	 WCAS Reading Period Begins


Sat, Dec 6, 2025	 Fall classes end
Sun, Dec 7, 2025	 WCAS Reading Period Ends
Mon, Dec 8, 2025	 Fall Exams begin
Sat, Dec 13, 2025	 Fall exams end
Mon, Dec 15, 2025	 Grades due
Fri, Dec 19, 2025	 Fall 2025 Degrees Conferred
Wed, Dec 24, 2025 - Thu, Jan 1, 2026	 Winter Recess Starts - University Closed
Mon, Jan 5, 2026	 Undergraduate In-Person Attendance Required
Mon, Jan 5, 2026	 Winter classes begin
Fri, Jan 9, 2026	 Last day to add a class or change a section for Winter
Fri, Jan 9, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 100% re-fund
Fri, Jan 16, 2026	 Last day to request academic accommodations for religious observance in Winter Quarter
Mon, Jan 19, 2026	 No classes - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Sat, Jan 24, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 75% refund
Sat, Jan 24, 2026	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Winter term (5W1)
Fri, Jan 30, 2026	 Application for degree due to The Graduate School for Winter
Fri, Jan 30 - Fri, Jan 30, 2026	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Winter term (5W1)
Fri, Feb 6, 2026	 Application for degree due to The Graduate School for Spring
Mon, Feb 9, 2026	 Spring quarter courses viewable in CAESAR
Fri, Feb 13, 2026	 Last day to drop a FULL-TERM class for Winter in CAESAR
Sat, Feb 14, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 50% refund
Mon, Feb 16, 2026	 Pre-registration for Spring quarter begins
Mon, Feb 23, 2026	 Registration for Spring Quarter begins
Fri, Feb 27, 2026	 Last day to change grading status PN
Mon, Mar 2, 2026	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Winter term (5W2)
Fri, Mar 6 - Fri, Mar 6, 2026	 Term withdrawal and full-term course withdrawal petition deadline for Winter
Fri, Mar 6 - Fri, Mar 6, 2026	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Winter term (5W2)
Tue, Mar 10, 2026	 WCAS Reading Period Begins

Sat, Mar 14, 2026	 Winter classes end
Sun, Mar 15, 2026	 WCAS Reading Period Ends
Mon, Mar 16, 2026	 Winter exams begin
Sat, Mar 21, 2026	 Winter exams end
Mon, Mar 23 - Mon, Mar 23, 2026	 Grades due
Fri, Mar 27, 2026	 Winter Degrees Conferred
Tue, Mar 31, 2026	 Spring Classes Begin - Northwestern Monday
Tue, Mar 31, 2026	 Undergraduate students expected on campus
Mon, Apr 6, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 100% re-fund
Mon, Apr 6, 2026	 Last day to add a class or change a section for Spring
Fri, Apr 10, 2026	 Last day to request academic accommodations for religious observance in Spring Quarter
Sun, Apr 19, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 75% refund
Mon, Apr 20, 2026	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Spring term (5W1)
Fri, Apr 24 - Fri, Apr 24, 2026	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 5 of the Spring term (5W1)
Mon, May 4, 2026	 Fall quarter courses viewable in CAESAR
Fri, May 8, 2026	 Last day to drop a FULL-TERM class for Spring in CAESAR
Sun, May 10, 2026	 Last day for full term withdrawals to receive 50% refund
Mon, May 11, 2026	 Pre-Registration for Fall begins
Mon, May 18, 2026	 Registration for Fall begins
Fri, May 22, 2026	 Last day to change Grading status PN
Fri, May 22, 2026	 Last day to drop a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Spring term (5W2)
Mon, May 25, 2026	 No classes - Memorial Day - University offices are closed
Fri, May 29 - Fri, May 29, 2026	 Term withdrawal and full-term course withdrawal petition deadline for Spring
Fri, May 29 - Fri, May 29, 2026	 Last day to withdraw from a five-week course ending in week 10 of the Spring term (5W2)
Wed, Jun 3, 2026	 WCAS Reading Period Begins
Sat, Jun 6, 2026	 Spring classes end
Sun, Jun 7, 2026	 WCAS Reading Period Ends
Mon, Jun 8, 2026	 Spring examinations begin


Fri, Jun 12, 2026

 Spring examinations end

Tue, Jun 16, 2026

 Grades due


Fri, Jun 19, 2026

 Juneteenth - University Closed

Mon, Jun 22, 2026

 Spring Degree Conferral

Mon, Jun 22, 2026

 Summer classes begin (tentative)

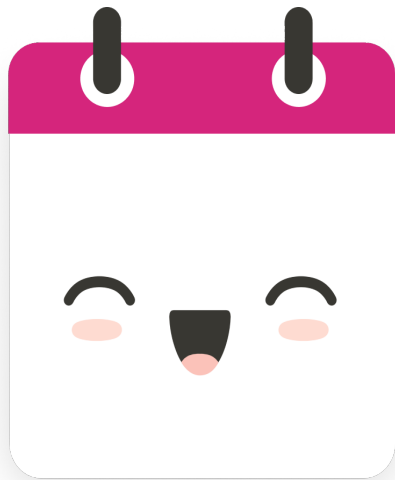
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