

Arkansas State University Academic Calendar[*]

Fall Semester 2025

Residence Halls Open	Aug 16 (Sa)
Orientation for New Faculty	Aug 18 (M)
Faculty Conference	Aug 19 (T)
College and Department Faculty Meetings	Aug 19 (T)
Classes Begin	Aug 20 (W)
Late Registration/Full Term and Session I Courses	Aug 20-26 (W-T)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Aug 27 (W)
WN Grading Begins for Full Term and Session I Courses	Aug 27 (W)
Labor Day Holiday	Sep 1 (M)
WN Grading Ends for Full Term and Session I Courses *** (Noon)	Sep 4 (Th)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for October 2025 Conferral	Sept 5 (F)
Last Day to Drop Session I Courses	Sep 19 (F)
Mid-Semester Examinations	Oct 2-8 (Th-W)
Last Day of Session I Classes	Oct 3 (F)
Mid-Semester/Session I Grades Due @ Noon	Oct 9 (Th)
Session 1 Degree Conferral Date	Oct 9 (Th)
Session II Classes Begin	Oct 13 (M)
Late Registration/Session II Courses	Oct 13 (M)
WN Grading Begins for Session II Courses	Oct 14 (Tu)
Mid-Semester Break (tentative, will align with Craighead schools in-service)	Oct 16-17 (Th-F)
WN Grading Ends for Session II Courses @ Noon	Oct 17 (F)
Comprehensive Examination Results Reported to Registrar	Nov 7 (F)
Thesis/Dissertation Submitted to ProQuest and Oral Defense Results Reported to Registrar	Nov 7 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for December 2025 Commencement	Nov 14 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	Nov 21 (F)
Thanksgiving Holiday/Fall Break	Nov 24-28 (M-F)
Last Day of Class	Dec 4 (Th)
Study Day	Dec 5 (F)
Final Examinations	Dec 8-12 (M-F)
Inclement Weather/Final Exam Make-Up Day (if necessary)	Dec 13 (Sa)
Residence Halls Close (for all students)	Dec 12 (F)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Dec 13 (Sa)
Degree Conferral Date	Dec 13 (Sa)
All Grade Due @ Noon	Dec 15 (M)

December Interim 2025 - 3 Weeks

Last Day to Register for December Interim	Dec 15 (M)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Dec 15 (M)
December Interim Begins - 3 weeks	Dec 15 (M)
WN Grading Begins	Dec 16 (Tu)
WN Grading Ends @ Noon	Dec 17 (W)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	Dec 19 (F)
Last Day of Class	Jan 2 (F)
Final Examinations	Jan 2 (F)
Interim Grades Due @ Noon	Jan 5 (M)
Degree Conferral Date	Jan 5 (M)

Spring Semester 2026

Faculty Development Activities, College/Department Meetings	Jan 5-9 (M-F)
Residence Halls Open	Jan 9 (F)
Classes Begin	Jan 12 (M)
Late Registration/Full Term and Session I Courses	Jan 12-16 (M-F)
Martin Luther King Jr. Day Observed	Jan 19 (M)

Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	Jan 20 (Tu)
WN Grading Begins for Full Term and Session I Courses	Jan 20 (Tu)
WN Grading Ends for Full term and Session I Courses *** (Noon)	Jan 27 (T)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for March 2026 Conferral	Jan 30 (F)
Last Day to Drop Session I Courses	Feb 13 (F)
Mid-Semester Examinations	Feb 23 - Feb 27 (M-F)
Last Day of Session I Classes	Feb 27 (F)
Mid-Semester / Session I Grades Due @ Noon	Mar 4 (W)
Session 1 Degree Conferral Date	Mar 4 (W)
Session II Classes Begin	Mar 9 (M)
Late Registration/Session II Courses	Mar 9 (M)
WN Grading Begins for Session II Courses	Mar 10 (Tu)
WN Grading Ends for Session II Courses @ Noon	Mar 13 (F)
Spring Break (tentative, will align with Craighead schools break)	Mar 23-27 (M-F)
Convocation of Scholars	Mar 30-Apr 24 (All)
Comprehensive Examination Results Reported to Registrar	Apr 10 (F)
Thesis/Dissertation Submitted to ProQuest and Oral Defense Results Reported to Registrar	Apr 10 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for May 2026 Commencement	Apr 10 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	Apr 17 (F)
Last Day of Class	Apr 30 (Th)
Study Day	May 1 (F)
Final Examinations	May 4-8 (M-F)
Inclement Weather/Final Examination Make-Up Day (if necessary)	May 9 (Sa)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	May 9 (Sa)
Degree Conferral Date	May 9 (Sa)
Residence Halls Close (for all students not graduating)	May 9 (Sa)
All Grades Due @ Noon	May 11 (M)

May Interim 2026 - 3 Weeks

Last Day to Register for May Interim	May 11 (M)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	May 11 (M)
May Interim Begins - 3 weeks	May 11 (M)
WN Grading Begins	May 11 (M)
WN Grading Ends for Summer II Classes *** (Noon)	May 12 (T)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	May 15 (F)
Memorial Day Holiday Observed	May 25 (M)
Last Day of Class	May 29 (F)
Final Examinations	May 20 (F)
Interim Grades Due @ Noon	June 1 (M)

Summer Term 2026

Residence Halls Open	May 22 (F)
Memorial Day Holiday Observed	May 25 (M)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for June 2026 Conferral	June 19 (F)
Thesis/Dissertation submitted to ProQuest and Oral Defense Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Comprehensive Examination Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 10 (F)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Aug 8 (Sa)
Degree Conferral Date	Aug 8 (Sa)

First Summer Term 2026 - 5 weeks

Summer 1 Begins - 5 weeks	May 26 (Tu)
Late Registration - 5 weeks	May 26 (Tu)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit - 5 weeks	May 26 (Tu)

WN Grading Begins - 5 weeks	May 27 (W)
WN Grading Ends - 5 weeks @ Noon	Jun 1 (M)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University - 5 weeks	Jun 12 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for June 2026 Conferral	June 19 (F)
Last Day of Class - 5 weeks	Jun 25 (Th)
Thesis/Dissertation submitted to ProQuest and Oral Defense Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Comprehensive Examination Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Final Examinations - 5 weeks	June 26 (F)
Degree Conferral Date	June 26 (F)
Summer Grades Due - 5 weeks @ Noon	June 30 (Tu)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 10 (F)

Second Summer Term 2026 - 5 weeks	
Summer 2 Begins - 5 weeks	June 29 (M)
Late Registration	June 29 (M)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	June 29 (M)
WN Grading Begins	June 30 (T)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
WN Grading Ends -10 Weeks @ Noon	July 6 (M)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 11 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	July 24 (F)
Last Day of Class	July 31 (F)
Final Examinations	July 31 (F)
Summer II Grades Due @ Noon	Aug 3 (M)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Aug 8 (Sa)
Degree Conferral Date	Aug 8 (Sa)

Full Summer Term 2026 -10 weeks	
Summer 1 Begins - 10 Weeks	May 26 (Tu)
Late Registration - 10 Weeks	May 26 (Tu)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit - 10 Weeks	May 26 (Tu)
WN Grading Begins - 10 Weeks	Jun 1 (M)
WN Grading Ends -10 Weeks @ Noon	Jun 3 (W)
Thesis/Dissertation submitted to ProQuest and Oral Defense Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Comprehensive Examination Results Reported to Registrar	June 26 (F)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 10 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University -10 Weeks	Jul 24 (F)
Last Day of Class -10 Weeks	July 31 (F)
Final Examinations -10 Weeks	Aug 3 (M)
Summer II Grades Due - 10 Weeks @ Noon	Aug 5 (W)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Aug 8 (Sa)
Degree Conferral Date	Aug 8 (Sa)

First Summer Term 2026 - 7 weeks	
Summer 1 Begins - 7 weeks	May 11 (M)
Late Registration - 7 weeks	May 11 (M)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit - 7 weeks	May 11 (M)
WN Grading Begins - 7 weeks	May 15 (F)
WN Grading Ends Courses - 7 weeks @ Noon	May 22 (F)
Memorial Day Holiday Observed	May 22 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University - 7 weeks	June 12 (F)
Last Day of Class - 7 weeks	June 25 (Th)

Final Examinations	June 26 (F)
Summer Grades Due - 7 weeks @ Noon	June 29 (M)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Aug 8 (Sa)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 10 (F)
Degree Conferral Date	Aug 8 (Sa)

Second Summer Term 2025 - 7 weeks	
Classes Begin	June 29 (M)
Late Registration - 7 weeks	June 29 (M)
Last Day to Change from Credit to Audit	June 29 (M)
WN Grading Begins	July 1 (Tu)
WN Grading Ends for Summer II Classes @ Noon	June 30 (Tu)
Independence Day Holiday Observed	July 3 (F)
Intent to Graduate Applications Due for August 2026 Commencement	July 10 (F)
Last Day to Drop a Course or Withdraw from the University	July 24 (F)
Last Day of Class	Aug 13 (Th)
Final Examinations	Aug 14 (F)
Summer II Grades Due @ Noon	Aug 17 (M)
Commencement Ceremony (See Commencement Website)	Aug 8 (Sa)
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