

# OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

a student officially withdraws from SMU; prior to this date a partial calculated return to federal programs will be required.

Enrollment for spring 2026 continuing students for all undergraduates and for graduate students in Dedman College, Lyle, Meadows, and Simmons.

Last day for December graduation candidates to change grades of Incomplete, and to obtain a final grade for a grade of X or a missing grade from a previous term.

Students may begin applying for May graduation. The deadline to apply for graduation is February 4, 2026.

Last day to: declare a course pass/fail (see UG catalog for specific information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W). *(This date does not apply to courses in which the last class meeting and final exam have occurred.)*

No classes.

a religious holiday. Last day to file for graduation in January Term.

Last day for January Term graduation candidates to change grades of Incomplete, and to obtain a final grade for a grade of X or a missing grade from a previous term.

Last day to: declare a course pass/fail (see UG catalog for specific information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W).

Last day of classes, including examinations.

Official close of the term and conferral of degrees.

*(IT Session)*

*NOTE:* Permission of SMU-in-Taos required for all enrollments.

Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from PRW 2135 Mountain Sports course with no course fee charge. (Undergraduate students contact [smutaos@smu.edu](mailto:smutaos@smu.edu).)

Travel day and arrival of students, 2-6 p.m. (Wellness class students.)

First day of classes. (Wellness class students.)

Travel day and arrival of students, 2-6 p.m. (Non-Wellness class students.)

Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. is the last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from the PRW 2135 Mountain Sports course with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact [smutaos@smu.edu](mailto:smutaos@smu.edu).)

Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record.

First day of classes. (Non-Wellness class students.)

Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information). Last day to request an excused absence for the observance of a religious holiday.

Last day to file for graduation in January Term.

Last day for January Term graduation candidates to change grades of Incomplete, and to obtain a final grade for a grade of X or a missing grade from a previous term.

Last day to: declare a course pass/fail (see UG catalog for specific information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W).

Last day of classes, including examinations.

Travel Day.

Official close of the term and conferral of degrees.

January 20 - May 16, 2026

Enrollment for spring 2026 continuing students for all undergraduates and for graduate students in Dedman College, Lyle, Meadows, and Simmons.

Virtual Orientation experiences for new first-year and transfer undergraduate students. More information about Virtual Orientation is available from the Orientation and Transition Programs office, Student Affairs, 214-768-4560, <https://www.smu.edu/StudentAffairs/OrientationandTransitionPrograms/Orientation>.

New Year's Day. University offices closed.

Spring Rotunda Passage

Martin Luther King, Jr. Day. University offices closed.

Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses

with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students visit [smu.edu/leaverequest](http://smu.edu/leaverequest). Graduate students contact academic school of record.)

dates, and class meeting times

June 3 - August 4, 2026

The summer term consists of four primary sessions: Dallas Full Session, Dallas First Session (June), SMU-in-Taos Sessions, and Dallas Second Session (July). Each primary session has different deadline dates. There are also four shorter sessions within the first and second sessions. Some areas of instruction may offer a limited number of selected courses during the Summer Term, June 3 - August 4, with unique start, end, deadline dates, and class meeting times to accommodate the particular needs of the course.

*Dallas Full Session  
(S3 Session)*

*Note:* Classes meet 2 hours, 15 minutes twice a week or 1 hour, 30 minutes three times a week.

Memorial Day. University offices closed.

Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact [intersessions@smu.edu](mailto:intersessions@smu.edu). Graduate students contact academic school of record.)

Last day of classes, including examinations.

Official close of term and conferral of degrees.

*Dallas June A (11-day June Session)*  
*(S1A Session)*

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.





: Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record ([tuition charges apply](#)). Last day to withdraw from the term without academic record ([withdrawal refund schedule applies](#)). See Bursar's website for more information.

Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information).

Last day to: declare a course pass/fail (see UG catalog for specific information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W).

Last day of classes, including examinations.

Departure of students.

### *July Session (S2 Session)*

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.

Independence Day observed. University offices closed.

Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact [smutaos@smu.edu](mailto:smutaos@smu.edu). Graduate students contact academic school of record.)

Travel day and arrival of students, 2-6 p.m.

First day of classes.

: Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record ([tuition charges apply](#)). Last day to withdraw from the term without academic record ([withdrawal refund schedule applies](#)). See Bursar's website for more information.

Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information).

Last day to: declare a course pass/fail (see UG catalog for specific information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W).

Last day of classes, including examinations.

Departure of students.

### August 6 - 20, 2026

The August Term consists of one primary session: SMU-in-Taos August Session. Some areas of instruction may offer a limited number of selected courses during the August Term, August 6 - 20, with unique start, end, and deadline dates to accommodate the particular needs of the course.

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Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact [smutaos@smu.edu](mailto:smutaos@smu.edu).)

Travel day and arrival of students, 2-6 p.m.

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information), drop a course (grade of W), and withdraw from the University (grades of W).

Last day of classes, including examinations. Official close of term and conferral of degrees.

Travel Day.

*(August 2025 - August 2026)*

Listing of religious holidays for use in requesting excused absences according to University Policy, Excused Absences for University Extracurricular Activities and Religious Holidays. For religious holidays not listed, the instructor or supervisor may contact the Office of the Chaplain.