

OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

ACADEMIC YEAR 2024- 2025

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This calendar includes an addendum listing 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, contact the Office of the Chaplain.

Graduate programs in the Cox School of Business, Perkins School of Theology, Dedman School of Law, and Graduate and Advanced Studies have different calendars. (See the Education and Human Development calendar for specific information regarding the Dispute Resolution and MS in Counseling programs.)

A comprehensive schedule of holiday dates that the offices of the University will be closed will be announced at a later date.

Fall Term 2024

August 26 - December 21, 2024

April 1 - August 30, Monday- Friday: Enrollment for fall 2024

November 4-22, Monday- Friday: Enrollment for spring 2025 continuing students for all undergraduates and graduates in Dedman College, Lyle, Meadows and Simmons.

November 14, Thursday: 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.

November 18, Monday:

January 7, Tuesday: 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. (Census Date)

January 9, Thursday: 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.

January 15, Wednesday: 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).

January 16, Thursday: Last day of classes, including examinations.

January 17, Friday: Last day of classes, including examinations (online courses).

January 18, Saturday: Office closure with the University and transfer of degrees.

SMU-in-Taos January Session 2025
(IT Session)

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May 30, Friday: Last day of classes, including

June 17, Tuesday: Last day for August 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.

June 25, Wednesday: 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).

July 1, Tuesday: Last day of classes, including examinations.

August 5, Tuesday: Official close of term and conferral of degrees.

(S1A Session)

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.

June 1, Sunday: Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact intersessions@smu.edu. Graduate students contact academic school of record.) This deadline applies to ALL courses scheduled in the term regardless of the start date.

June 2, Monday: First day of classes.

June 2, Monday: Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record ([tuition charges apply](#)). Last day to withdraw from the session without academic record ([withdrawal refund schedule applies](#)).

June 3, Tuesday: Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information). (Census Date)

June 11, Wednesday: 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).

June 11, Wednesday: Last day to file for August graduation.

June 16, Monday: Last day of classes, including examinations.

(S1B Session)

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.

June 11, Wednesday: Last day to file for August graduation.

June 16, Monday: Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact intersessions@smu.edu. Graduate students contact academic school of record.) This deadline applies to ALL courses scheduled in the term regardless of the start date.

June 17, Tuesday: First day of classes.

June 17, Tuesday: Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record ([tuition charges apply](#)). Last day to withdraw from the session without academic record ([withdrawal refund schedule applies](#)).

June 18, Wednesday: Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information). (Census Date)

June 26, Thursday: 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).

July 1, Tuesday: Last day of classes, including examinations.

(S2 Session)

Note: Classes meet 2 hours a day, Monday– Friday.

June 11, Wednesday: Last day to file for August graduation.

July 4, Friday: Independence Day. University offices closed.

July 6, Sunday: Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact intersessions@smu.edu. Graduate students contact academic school of record.) This deadline applies to ALL courses scheduled in the term regardless of the start date.

July 7, Monday: First day of classes.

July 8, Tuesday: Last day to enroll, add a course,

(S1 Session)

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.

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

June 2, Monday: Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact smutaos@smu.edu.) This deadline applies to ALL courses scheduled in the term regardless of the start date.

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

June 3, Tuesday: First day of classes.

June 3, Tuesday: Last day to enroll, add a course, or drop a course without academic record ([tuition charges apply](#)). Last day to withdraw from the session without academic record ([withdrawal refund schedule applies](#)).

June 4, Wednesday: Last day to declare no-credit grading option for a course (see UG catalog for specific information).

June 5, Thursday: Census Date

June 11, Wednesday: Last day to file for August graduation.

June 12, Thursday: 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).

June 17, Tuesday: Last day of classes, including examinations.

June 18, Wednesday: Departure of students.

(S2 Session)

Classes meet four hours per day, Monday through Friday.

June 11, Wednesday: Last day to file for August graduation.

July 4, Friday: Independence Day. University offices clos

SMU-in-Taos August Session

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

August 6, Wednesday: Last day to submit a request for cancellation/withdrawal from all courses with no tuition charges. (Undergraduate students contact smutaos@smu.edu.) This deadline applies to ALL courses scheduled in the term regardless of the start date.

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

August 7, Thursday: First day of classes.

August 7, Thursday: 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 (

Hanukkah: December 26, 2024 – January 2, 2025

Purim: March 14, 2025

Pesach (Passover): April 13-20, 2025

Islam

Mawlid al-Nabi: September 16, 2024

Ramadan: March 1-30, 2025

Eid al-Fitr: March 31, 2025

Eid al-Adha: June 7, 2025

Islamic New Year: June 27, 2025

Ashura: July 6, 2025

** All Islamic and Jewish holidays begin at sundown the day before the date listed.*