



ADOPTION OF ACADEMIC CALENDAR
Fall 2024 - Spring 2025, Summer 2025, Fall 2025-Spring 2026

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RESOLVED: That the Academic Senate of CSU, Bakersfield adopts the Academic Calendar for Fall 2024-Spring 2025, Summer 2025 and Fall 2025-Spring 2026.

RATIONALE: The Budget and Planning Committee, in consultation with the Academic Calendar Task Force, recommends the attached.

Attachments:

Fall 2024- Spring 2025 Calendar
2025 Summer-Session
Fall 2025 – Spring 2026 Calendar

Distribution List:

President
Provost and VP for Academic Affairs
VP Student Affairs
AVP Faculty Affairs
AVP Academic Affairs and Dean of Academic Programs
School Deans
Dean of Libraries
Dean of Antelope Valley
Dean of Extended University and Global Outreach
Department Chairs
General Faculty

Approved by the Academic Senate: December 7, 2023

Sent to the President: December 15, 2023

President Approved: December 21, 2023

Academic Senate

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Academic Calendar

2024/2025

Fall Semester, 2024

Feb 20	Last Day to Register to Vote for Primary Election
March 11	.....	Academic Advising for Continuing Students Begins (for Summer 2024 & Fall 2024)
March 23	.....	CA Statewide Primary Election
April 08	.....	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Summer 2024 & Fall 2024)
May 01	.....	Orientation for Fall 2024 New Undergraduate Students Begins (for Fall 2024)
May 01	.....	Deadline to Apply for Fall 2024 Graduation
June 03	.....	Academic Advising for New Transfer Students Begins (for Fall 2024)
June 03	.....	Registration for New Transfer Students Begins (for Fall 2024)
June 03	.....	Registration for New Postbaccalaureate Students
June 19	.....	HOLIDAY – Juneteenth
June 24	.....	Academic Advising for First-Time First-Year Students Begins (for Fall 2024)
June 24	.....	Registration for New First-Time First-Year Students Begins (for Fall 2024)
August 19	.....	ALL FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
August 26	.....	First Day of Classes
September 02	.....	HOLIDAY – Labor Day – Campus Closed
September 04	.....	Last Day to Add Classes
September 04	.....	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
September 23	.....	Census Day
September 23	.....	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
September 23	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without a "W" being recorded
September 27	.....	Last Day for Faculty to Order Course Materials Through Campus Bookstore (for Spring 2025)
September 30	.....	Academic Advising for Continuing Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
October 09	.....	Campus-wide Emergency Evacuation Day
October 21	.....	Last Day for Department Chairs/Program Directors to Confirm All the Course Materials Have Been Ordered Through Campus Bookstore (for Spring 2025)
October 21	.....	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
October 21	.....	Last Day to Register to Vote for the General Election
November 05	.....	CA Statewide General Election
November 11	.....	HOLIDAY - Veterans Day – Campus Closed
November 12	.....	Academic Advising for New Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
November 12	.....	Registration for New Students Begin (for Spring 2025)
November 15	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
November 18 - 22	.....	SOCI Week
November 27	.....	No Classes - Campus Open
November 28 - 29	.....	HOLIDAY - Thanksgiving - Campus Closed
November 30	.....	Deadline to Apply for Spring 2025 Graduation
November 30	.....	Deadline to apply for Summer 2025 Graduation
December 09	.....	Last Day to Submit Completed Thesis / Dissertation
December 09	.....	Last Day of Classes
December 10 – 16	.....	Examination Period
December 14	.....	Commencement
December 17	Evaluation Day
December 18	Grades Due

Winter Break: December 19, 2024 - January 15, 2025

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Spring Semester, 2025

September 30	Academic Advising for Continuing Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
October 21	.....	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
November 30	.....	Deadline to Apply for Spring 2025 Graduation
November 30	.....	Deadline to Apply for Summer 2025 Graduation
November 12	.....	Academic Advising for New Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
November 12	.....	Registration for New Students Begins (for Spring 2025)
January 15	.....	ALL FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
January 20	.....	HOLIDAY – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Campus Closed
January 21	.....	First Day of Classes
January 30	.....	Last Day to Add Classes
January 30	.....	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
February 17	.....	Census Day
February 17	.....	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
February 17	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without a "W" being recorded
March 14	.....	Last Day for Faculty to Order Course Materials Through Campus Bookstore (for Summer 2025 and Fall 2025)
March 17	.....	Academic Advising for Continuing Students Begins (for Summer 2025 & Fall 2025)

Spring Semester Break: April 13, 2025 – April 20, 2025 (Easter is April 20, 2025)

March 31	.....	HOLIDAY - Cesar Chavez Day- Campus Closed
April 07	.....	Last Day for Department Chairs/Program Directors to Confirm All the Course Materials Have Been Ordered Through Campus Bookstore (for Summer 2025 & Fall 2025)
April 07	.....	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Summer 2025 & Fall 2025)
April 08	.....	Campus-wide Emergency Evacuation Day
April 11	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
April 21-25	.....	SOCI Week
May 01	.....	Orientation for Fall 2025 New Undergraduate Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
June 30	.....	Deadline to Apply for Fall 2025 Graduation
May 12	.....	Last Day to Submit Completed Thesis / Dissertation
May 12	.....	Last Day of Classes
May 13 – 19	.....	Examination Period
May 16 – 17	.....	Commencement – Tentative
May 20	.....	Evaluation Day
May 21	.....	Grades Due
May 26	.....	HOLIDAY - Memorial Day – Campus Closed

California State University, Bakersfield Academic Calendar 2025

Summer Session, 2025

SS1: 10-Week Session

May 01	.....	Orientation for New Students Begin (Fall 2025)
June 02	.....	ALL SUMMER SESSION 1 FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
June 02	.....	First Day of Classes
June 02 – June 05	.....	Schedule Adjustment Period
June 05	.....	Last Day to Add Classes
June 05	.....	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
June 05	.....	Last Day of Schedule Adjustment Period (for Summer Session 1)
June 02	.....	Academic Advising for New Transfer Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
June 02	.....	Registration for New Transfer Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
June 18	.....	Census Day
June 18	.....	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
June 18	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without a "W" being recorded
June 19	.....	HOLIDAY – Juneteenth – Campus Closed
July 04	.....	HOLIDAY - Independence Day - Campus Closed
June 23	.....	Academic Advising for New First Time First-Year Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
June 23	.....	Registration for First-Time First-Year Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
July 10	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
July 30	.....	SOCI Period Begins
August 06	.....	Last Day of Classes
August 06	.....	Last Day to Submit Completed Thesis/Dissertation
August 07 – 11	.....	Examination Period
August 13	.....	Grades Due

SS2: 5-Week Session

June 02	.....	ALL SUMMER SESSION 2 FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
June 02	.....	First Day of Classes
June 02 – June 05	.....	Schedule Adjustment Period
June 05	.....	Last Day to Add Classes
June 05	.....	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
June 05	.....	Last Day of Schedule Adjustment Period (for Summer Session 2)
June 10	.....	Census Day
June 10	.....	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
June 10	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without a "W" being recorded
June 19	.....	HOLIDAY – Juneteenth – Campus Closed
June 23	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
June 26	.....	SOCI Period Begins
July 03	.....	Last Day of Classes
July 04	.....	HOLIDAY - Independence Day - Campus Closed
July 07 – 08	.....	Examination Period
July 10	.....	Grades Due

SS3: 5-Week Session

July 04	.....	HOLIDAY - Independence Day - Campus Closed
July 14	.....	ALL SUMMER SESSION 3 FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
July 14	.....	First Day of Classes
July 14 – 17	.....	Schedule Adjustment Period
July 17	.....	Last Day to Add Classes
July 17	.....	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
July 17	.....	Last Day of Schedule Adjustment Period (for Summer Session 3)
July 24	.....	Census Day
July 24	.....	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
July 24	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes without a "W" being recorded
July 28	.....	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
August 05	.....	SOCI Period Begins
August 12	.....	Last Day of Classes
August 13 – 14	.....	Examination Period
August 15	Grades Due

THIS IS NOT TO BE CONSTRUED AS AN EMPLOYEE WORK CALENDAR

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2025/2026

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June 02	Registration for New Transfer Students Begins (for Fall 2025)
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June 19	HOLIDAY – Juneteenth – (Campus Closed)
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August 18	ALL FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
August 25	First Day of Classes
September 01	HOLIDAY – Labor Day – Campus Closed
September 03	Last Day to Add Classes
September 03	Last Day to Change between Audit and Letter Grading
September 22	Census Day
September 22	Last Day to Change between Credit/No-credit and Letter Grading
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September 26	Last Day for Faculty to Order Course Materials Through Campus Bookstore (for Spring 2026)
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November 10	Registration for New Students Begin (for Spring 2026)
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November 17 – 21	SOCI Week
November 26	No Classes - Campus Open
November 27 – 28	HOLIDAY - Thanksgiving - Campus Closed
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December 01	Deadline to apply for Summer 2026 Graduation
December 08	Last Day to Submit Completed Thesis / Dissertation
December 08	Last Day of Classes
December 09 – 15	Examination Period
December 13	Commencement
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Spring Semester, 2026

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October 20	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Spring 2026)
December 01	Deadline to Apply for Spring 2026 Graduation
December 01	Deadline to Apply for Summer 2026 Graduation
November 10	Academic Advising for New Students Begins (for Spring 2026)
November 10	Registration for New Students Begins (for Spring 2026)
January 15	ALL FACULTY DUE ON CAMPUS
January 19	HOLIDAY – Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – Campus Closed
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April 06	Last Day for Department Chairs/Program Directors to Confirm All the Course Materials Have Been Ordered Through Campus Bookstore (for Summer 2026 & Fall 2026)
April 06	Registration for Continuing Students Begins (for Summer 2026 and Fall 2026)
April 07	Campus-wide Emergency Evacuation Day
April 10	Last Day to Withdraw from Classes for a Serious and Compelling Reason
April 20 – 24	SOCI Week
May 01	Orientation for New Undergraduate Students Begins (for Fall 2026)
May 01	Deadline to Apply for Fall 2026 Graduation
May 11	Last Day to Submit Completed Thesis / Dissertation
May 11	Last Day of Classes
May 12 – 18	Examination Period
May 15 – 16	Commencement
May 19	Evaluation Day
May 20	Grades Due
May 25	HOLIDAY - Memorial Day – Campus Closed