

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Academic Calendar 2024-2025

Fall Session - 2024

Date	Event
Wednesday to Friday, August 14 to 16	All Faculty Return/Convocation Days
Monday, August 19	16-Week, First 12-Week, and First 8-Week Classes Begin
Monday, September 2	Legal Holiday (Labor Day) No Classes
Monday, September 16	Second 12-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, September 29	Last Day to Withdraw – First 8-Week Classes
Saturday, October 12	End of First 8-Week Classes
Monday, October 14	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Saturday, October 19	Last Day to Withdraw - First 12-Week Classes
Tuesday, November 5	Election Day No Classes
Saturday, November 9	End of First 12-Week Classes
Sunday, November 10	Last Day to Withdraw – 16-Week Classes
Sunday, November 17	Last Day to Withdraw – Second 12-Week Classes
Wednesday, November 20	Last Day to Withdraw – Second 8-Week Classes
Wednesday, November 27	College Open; No Classes
Thursday to Sunday, November 28 to December 1	Thanksgiving Recess No Classes
Friday, December 6	End of 16-Week and 12-Week Classes Instruction (Final Examination Period Follows)
Saturday, December 7	End of Second 8-Week Classes
Saturday to Friday, December 7 to 13	Final Examination Period/Culminating Activities for 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes

Note: Once it is confirmed if Election Day will be a holiday, we will confirm which one of these two days will be a non-instructional day.

Spring Session - 2025

Date	Event
Monday, January 20	Legal Holiday (M.L.King's Birthday)
Wednesday to Friday, January 22 to 24	In-Service Days/Professional Days No Classes
Monday, January 27	16-Week, First 12-Week, and First 8-Week Classes Begin
Monday, February 24	Second 12-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, March 9	Last Day to Withdraw – First 8-Week Classes
Saturday, March 22	End of First 8-Week Classes
Monday, March 24	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, March 30	Last Day to Withdraw - First 12-Week Classes

Monday to Sunday, March 31 to April 6	Spring Break No Classes
Monday, April 14	Last Day to Withdraw – 16-Week Classes
Sunday, April 20	Easter No Classes
Monday, April 21	Last Day to Withdraw – Second 12-Week
Saturday, April 26	End of First 12-Week Classes
Monday, April 28	Last Day to Withdraw - 2nd 8-Week
Friday, May 16	End of 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes Instruction (Final Examination Period Follows)
Saturday, May 17	End of 2nd 8-Week Classes
Saturday to Friday, May 17 to 23	Final Examination Period/Culminating Activities for 16-Week and 12-Week Classes
Friday, May 23	Commencement

Summer Session - 2025

Date	Event
Monday, June 2	10-Week, First 8-Week, and First 5-Week Classes Begin
Monday, June 16	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Thursday, June 19	State Holiday (Juneteenth) No Classes
Thursday, June 26	Last Day to Withdraw – First 5-Week Classes
Friday, July 4	Legal Holiday (Independence Day) No Classes
Saturday, July 5	End of First 5-Week Classes
Monday, July 7	Second 5-Week Classes Begin
Saturday, July 12	Last Day to Withdraw - First 8-Week Classes
Tuesday, July 22	Last Day to Withdraw – 10-Week Classes
Saturday, July 26	End of First 8-Week Classes
Saturday, July 26	Last Day to Withdraw – Second 8-Week Classes
Friday, August 1	Last Day to Withdraw – Second 5-Week Classes
Saturday, August 9	End of 10-Week, Second 8-Week, and Second 5-Week Classes

Board Approved May 18, 2023

More information on Academic Calendar dates

- “Last Day to Withdraw without submitting a Late Withdrawal Appeal” – Dates which fall outside of normal business days, for example Saturday/Sunday (spring and fall terms) and Friday/Saturday/Sunday (summer term) will be given a one-day grace period to the next business day without penalty. Students must call or email Student Registration Services (<https://cod.edu/registration/>) to initiate the withdraw (emails must be sent from dupage.edu account to registration@cod.edu) (registration@cod.edu).
- Session End Dates include finals week for regular 16-week and 12-week sessions.
- Refund dates for classes are found on the Student Schedule in myACCESS for students. To view your schedule, log into the portal at inside.cod.edu (<https://inside.cod.edu>). After logging in, click on **myACCESS for Students** then select “Academic Profile” from the drop-down menu, then select “My Class Schedule.” Select the current term.
- The refund policy is as follows:
 - 100% refund of tuition and fees will be granted during the first 7% of the number of calendar days in the session based on the start date of the class.

- 50% refund of tuition and fees will only be granted during the first 8-12% of the number of calendar days in the session based on the start date of the class.
- Dropping a course during a refund period will not result in a "W" grade. Refund dates are rounded down (Ex: 3.85 days = 3 days; 4.12 days = 4 days).

Calendars

For more detailed dates and deadlines, see the full version of each calendar:

- Enrollment Calendar (<https://cod.edu/student-services/important-dates.aspx>)
- Campus Events Calendar (<https://cod.edu/calendar/>)
- Financial Aid Calendar (https://cod.edu/fa_dates/)
- Payment Plan Calendar (<https://cod.edu/paymentplan/>)

Academic Calendar 2025-2026

Fall Session - 2025

Date	Event
Wednesday to Friday, August 20 to August 22	All Faculty Return/Convocation Days
Monday, August 25	16-Week, First 12-Week, and First 8-Week Classes Begin
Monday, September 1	Legal Holiday (Labor Day) No Classes
Monday, September 22	Second 12-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, October 5	Last Day to Withdraw - First 8-Week Classes
Tuesday, October 14	In-Service Day/Professional Day No Classes
Saturday, October 18	End of First 8-Week Classes
Monday, October 20	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Saturday, October 25	Last Day to Withdraw - First 12-Week Classes
Monday, November 10	Last Day to Withdraw - 16-Week Classes
Saturday, November 15	End of First 12-Week Classes
Wednesday, November 26	College Open No Classes
Wednesday, November 26	Last Day to Withdraw - Second 8-Week Classes
Thursday to Sunday, November 27 to November 30	Thanksgiving Recess No Classes
Friday, December 12	End of 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes Instruction (Final Examination Period Follows)
Saturday, December 13	End of Second 8-Week Classes
Saturday to Friday, December 13 to December 19	Final Evaluations/Culminating Activities for 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes

Spring Session - 2026

Date	Event
Monday, January 19	Legal Holiday (MLKing's Birthday) No Classes
Wednesday to Friday, January 21 to January 23	In-Service Days/Professional Days No Classes
Monday, January 26	16-Week, First 12-Week, and First 8-Week Classes Begin
Monday, February 16	Second 12-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, March 8	Last Day to Withdraw - First 8-Week Classes
Saturday, March 21	End of First 8-Week Classes
Monday, March 23	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Sunday, March 29	Last Day to Withdraw - First 12-Week Classes
Monday to Sunday, March 30 to April 5	Spring Break No Classes
Sunday, April 5	Easter No Classes
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Sunday, April 19	Last Day to Withdraw - Second 12-Week Classes
Saturday, April 25	End of First 12-Week Classes
Tuesday, April 28	Last Day to Withdraw - Second 8-Week
Friday, May 15	End of 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes Instruction (Final Examination Period Follows)
Saturday, May 16	End of Second 8-Week Classes
Saturday to Friday, May 16 to May 22	Final Evaluations/Culminating Activities for 16-Week and Second 12-Week Classes
Friday, May 22	Commencement

Summer Session - 2026

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Monday, June 1	First 5-Week, First 8-Week, and 10-Week Classes Begin
Monday, June 15	Second 8-Week Classes Begin
Friday, June 19	Legal Holiday (Juneteenth) No Classes
Thursday, June 25	Last Day to Withdraw - First 5-Week Classes
Saturday, July 4	End of First 5-Week Classes
Saturday, July 4	Legal Holiday (Independence Day) No Classes
Monday, July 6	Second 5-Week Classes Begin
Saturday, July 11	Last Day to Withdraw - First 8-Week Classes
Tuesday, July 21	Last Day to Withdraw - 10-Week Classes
Saturday, July 25	End of First 8-Week Classes
Saturday, July 25	Last Day to Withdraw - Second 8-Week Classes
Saturday, August 1	Last Day to Withdraw - Second 5-Week Classes
Saturday, August 8	End of 10-Week, Second 8-Week, and Second 5-Week Classes

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