

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI ACADEMIC CALENDAR

FALL 2026

Subject to Change

STANDARD ACADEMIC SESSION (SESSION 1 & 2)		
Aug 3	Mon	Deadline for Readmission
Aug 3	Mon	Campus deadline for several Prestigious Awards & Fellowships in the Office of Academic Enhancement. For specific deadline dates on the various awards see www.miami.edu/oaee .
Aug 10-11	Mon-Tues	Housing Available for New Students
Aug 11	Tues	International Student Orientation for Undergraduate Students
Aug 12-16	Wed-Sun	Fall Cane Kickoff
Aug 13-16	Thurs-Sun	Housing Available for Continuing Students
Aug 14	Fri	International Student Orientation for Graduate Students
Aug 17	Mon	CLASSES BEGIN: SESSION 1
Aug 26	Wed	Last Day for Registration and to Add a Course
Aug 26	Wed	Last Date for Fall 2026 Plan/Program Changes
Sept 2	Wed	Last Day to Drop a Course Without a "W"
Sept 2	Wed	Deadline to apply for Inactive Status
Sept 2	Wed	Deadline to apply for Non-UM programs
Sept 2	Wed	Last Day to Make a Change in Credit-Only Designation
Sept 7	Mon	HOLIDAY (LABOR DAY)
Sept 9	Wed	Application for Graduation Opens
Sept 24-27	Thurs-Sun	Family Weekend
Sept 28	Mon	Progress Report Campaign Begins
Oct 4	Sun	CLASSES END: SESSION 1 (11:00 PM)
Oct 4	Sun	Grade Rosters Open for Faculty (Session 1)
Oct 5	Mon	Reading Day (Session 1)
Oct 6-9	Tue-Fri	FINAL EXAMS (Session 1)
Oct 9	Fri	Last Day to Apply for Graduation for Fall
Oct 9	Tue-Fri	Session 1 ENDS
Oct 10-13	Sat-Tues	FALL RECESS
Oct 11	Sun	Final Grades Released by Faculty in CaneLink by 5pm EST (Session 1)
Oct 12	Mon	Classes available on Canelink for Spring Registration
Oct 12	Mon	Shopping Carts Available on CaneLink
Oct 13	Tue	Final Grades Available to Students in CaneLink (Session 1)
Oct 14	Wed	CLASSES BEGIN: SESSION 2
Oct 19	Mon	Registration Appointments Available on CaneLink
Oct 19	Mon	Undergraduate Progress Report Campaign Closes
Nov 2	Mon	Registration for Spring 2027* (Begins)
Nov 6	Fri	Graduate Students: Last Day to Defend Dissertation/Thesis for Fall 2026
Nov 6	Fri	Last Day to Withdraw from Course/Semester
Nov 9-14	Mon-Sat	Homecoming
Nov 16	Mon	Graduate School Deadline to Submit Full Dissertation/Thesis Draft for Formatting Review
Nov 23	Mon	All Classes Held Remotely/Online Only
Nov 24-29	Tues-Sun	THANKSGIVING RECESS
Dec 1	Tues	CLASSES END: SESSION 2 (11:00 PM)
Dec 2	Wed	Reading Day
Dec 2	Wed	Graduate School Deadline to Complete Formatting Review and Produce Final PDF of Dissertation/Thesis
Dec 3-9	Thurs-Wed	FINAL EXAMS (Session 2)
Dec 4	Fri	Grade Rosters Open for Faculty (Session 2)
Dec 9	Wed	Graduate School Deadline for Completion of Dissertation/Thesis
Dec 9	Wed	SEMESTER ENDS (11:00 PM)
Dec 10	Thurs	Effective Date for Plan/Program Changes Submitted during Fall 2026
Dec 10	Thurs	FALL COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES - All Degrees
TBA	Fri	Housing Closes at NOON
Dec 16	Wed	Final Grades Released by Faculty in CaneLink by 5pm EST (Session 2)
Dec 18	Fri	Final Grades Available to Students in CaneLink (Session 2)

**As Scheduled By Appointment*

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Most up-to-date calendars available at: <http://www.miami.edu/registrar>