



FALL 2025		ACADEMIC CALENDAR
August 11	Monday	Semester begins (<i>faculty report</i>)
August 11-17	Mon-Sun	Registration continues via NSUConnect
August 11	Monday	Faculty Institute
August 13	Wednesday	Advising-CenLa/Fort Polk/Shreveport
August 14-15	Thurs-Fri	Advising-Natchitoches
August 14	Thursday	Freshman Connection for all unregistered new students (9:00 a.m. - Student Services Center)
August 16	Saturday	Residence halls open for all students
August 17	Sunday	New Student Convocation
August 17	Sunday	Last day to resign from all 16-week and A-term classes with 100% refund
August 18	Monday	First day of classes (16-week & A-term, all campuses)
August 18-26	Mon-Tues	Late registration (<i>fee applies</i>)
August 26	Tuesday	Final day to register, add courses, and make section changes (16-week & A-term)
August 26	Tuesday	Final day to drop a 16-week or A-term class and be refunded or have fees adjusted (16-week & A-term)
August 26	Tuesday	Last day to resign from all 16-week and A-term classes with 75% refund
August 27	Wednesday	Dropping 16-week and A-term courses with a "W" begins via NSUConnect. (NOTE: Courses dropped with a "W" are not refundable at any time and will not be credited to a student's account)
September 1	Monday	Labor Day Holiday
September 3	Wednesday	Last day to resign from all 16-week and A-term classes with 50% refund
September 15	Monday	Final day to appeal a grade from spring 2025
September 15	Monday	Final day to remove "I" grades with approved 60-day waiver from spring 2025
September 22	Monday	Final day to resign from A-term or drop A-term courses with a grade of "W" or change from credit to audit (A-term only)
September 22	Monday	5-Week grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 11:55 p.m.
October 1	Wednesday	Final day for undergraduate & graduate students to apply for fall 2025 graduation
October 2	Tuesday	Final day to remove "I" grades from summer 2025
October 6-7	Mon-Tues	Fall break
October 8	Wednesday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
October 11	Saturday	Last day of A-term classes
October 13	Monday	B-term classes begin
October 13	Monday	Midterm grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 11:55 p.m.
October 14	Tuesday	A-term grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 11:55 p.m.
October 21	Tuesday	Final day to register, add courses, or make section changes for B-term
October 27	Monday	Final day to resign from all 16-week courses or drop a 16-week course with a grade of "W" or change from credit to audit (16-week courses only)
November 14	Friday	Final day to resign from all B-term courses or drop B-term courses with a grade of "W" or change from credit to audit (B-term only)
November 21	Friday	Deadline for thesis defenses for Graduate School candidates graduating in the fall 2025 semester
November 24-29	Mon-Sat	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 1	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
December 5	Friday	Deadline for graduate students to submit all documents required for graduation in the fall 2025 semester– 12:00 noon
December 5	Friday	Last day of classes
December 6	Saturday	Final day to appeal a grade from summer 2025
December 6	Saturday	Final day to remove "I" grades with approved 60-day waiver from summer 2025
December 6-11	Sat - Thurs	Final examinations
December 11	Thursday	Candidate grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 12:00 noon
December 12	Friday	Residence halls close
December 15	Monday	All grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 12:00 noon
December 15	Monday	Certification listings due from deans by 12:00 noon
December 17-18	Wed-Thurs	Commencement Ceremonies/Semester ends



FALL 2025		1ST 8-WEEK SESSION (A-TERM)
August 11	Monday	Semester begins (<i>faculty report</i>)
August 11-17	Mon-Sun	Registration continues via NSUConnect
August 17	Sunday	Last day to resign from all A-term classes with 100% refund (NOTE: For students enrolled in A-term only)
August 18	Monday	First day of classes (16-week & A-term, all campuses)
August 18-26	Mon-Tues	Late registration for A-term (<i>fee applies</i>)
August 26	Tuesday	Final day to register, add courses, and make section changes (<i>16-week & A-term</i>)
August 26	Tuesday	Final day to drop a 16-week or A-term class and be refunded or have fees adjusted (<i>16-week & A-term</i>)
August 26	Tuesday	Last day to resign from all A-term classes with 75% refund (NOTE: For students enrolled in A-term only)
August 27	Wednesday	Dropping 16-week and A-term courses with a "W" begins via NSUConnect. (NOTE: Courses dropped with a "W" are nonrefundable at anytime and will not be credited to a student's account)
September 1	Monday	Labor Day Holiday
September 3	Wednesday	Last day to resign from all A-term classes with 50% refund (NOTE: For students enrolled in A-term only)
September 22	Monday	Final day to resign from all A-term courses or drop A-term courses with a grade of "W" or change from credit to audit (<i>A-term only</i>)
October 6-7	Mon-Tues	Fall break
October 8	Wednesday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
October 11	Saturday	Last day of A-term classes
October 14	Tuesday	All A-term grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 11:55 p.m.



FALL 2025		2ND 8-WEEK SESSION (B-TERM)
Continues through Oct. 21		B-Term Registration via NSUConnect
October 12	Sunday	Last day to resign from ALL B-term courses with 100% refund (NOTE: For students enrolled in B-term only)
October 13	Monday	B-term classes begin
October 13-21	Mon-Tues	Late Registration for B-term (<i>Students who register late and are not registered for any other fall 2025 courses will be charged a late registration fee of \$60.00.</i>)
October 21	Tuesday	Last day to resign from ALL B-term courses with 75% refund. (NOTE: For students enrolled in B-term only)
October 21	Tuesday	Final day to register, add courses, or make section changes for B-term
October 22	Wednesday	Dropping B-Term Courses with a "W" begins via NSUConnect. (NOTE: Courses dropped with a "W" are not refundable at any time and will not be credited to a student's account)
October 28	Tuesday	Last day to resign from ALL B-term courses with 50% refund. (NOTE: For students enrolled in B-term only)
November 14	Friday	Final day to resign from all B-term courses or drop B-term courses with a grade of "W" or change from credit to audit (<i>B-term only</i>)
November 24-29	Mon-Sat	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 1	Monday	Classes resume at 8:00 a.m.
December 5	Friday	Last day of classes
December 6-11	Sat – Thurs	Final examinations
December 11	Thursday	Candidate grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 12:00 noon
December 12	Friday	Residence halls close
December 15	Monday	All grades due to be entered via NSUConnect by 12:00 noon
December 15	Monday	Certification lists from deans due by 12:00 noon
December 17-18	Wed-Thurs	Commencement ceremonies/Semester ends