

2027-2028 - DRAFT NEW CALENDAR ACADEMIC CALENDAR

ST. OLAF COLLEGE
Registrar's Office

 Drop/add deadlines	 Registration dates
 Start/end dates	 Grade deadlines

QUICK DATES

<u>FALL SEMESTER</u>	<u>SPRING SEMESTER</u>
September 2 – December 8, 2027 Last day to add*: Thursday, September 16 Last day to drop*: Tuesday, November 2 Last day of classes: Wednesday, December 8 Final exams: December 10-December 14 <i>*Semester-length courses; see detailed schedule for half-term courses</i>	February 10 – May 17, 2028 Last day to add*: Wednesday, February 23 Last day to drop*: Friday, April 14 Last day of classes: Wednesday, May 17 Final exams: May 19-May 23 <i>*Semester-length courses; see detailed schedule for half-term courses</i>
<u>JANUARY TERM</u>	<u>REGISTRATION</u>
January 5-February 1, 2028 Last day to add: Tuesday, January 11 Last day to drop: Wednesday, January 19 J-Term exams/last day: Tuesday, February 1	J-Term 2027-28 Registration – November 1 Spring 2027-28 Registration: November 2-5 Summer 2027-28 Registration: March 6 Fall 2028 Registration: April 18-20

FALL SEMESTER 2027-2028 September 2 – December 8, 2027

First-year student registration for Fall 2027-2028	Tuesday, June 22, 2027
New international students arrive	Tuesday, August 24
New students arrive	Saturday, August 28
Orientation for new students	Saturday, August 28 – Wednesday September 1
CLASSES BEGIN	Thursday, September 2
Last day to add a first half of semester course	Monday, September 13
Last day to add a semester-length course	Thursday, September 16
Last day to drop or make S/U change in a first half of semester course	Thursday, September 23
Family Weekend/Homecoming	Friday – Sunday, TBD

Fall Break (no classes)	Thursday, October 14 – Sunday, October 17
Quiet Week for Advising	Monday, October 25 – Friday, October 29
Last day of class for first half of semester courses	Wednesday, October 20
First day of class for second half of semester courses	Thursday, October 21
Registration for J-Term 2027-2028 <i>All holds must be removed to participate in registration</i>	Monday, November 1
Registration for Spring 2027-2028 <i>All holds must be removed to participate in registration.</i>	Tuesday, November 2 – Friday, November 5
Last day to add a second half of semester course	Friday, October 29
Last day to drop or make S/U change in a semester-length course	Tuesday, November 2
Last day to drop or make S/U change in a second half of semester course	Wednesday, November 10
Thanksgiving Break (no classes)	Wednesday, November 24 – Sunday, November 28
Christmas Festival	Friday, December TBD – Sunday, December TBD
LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Wednesday, December 8
READING DAY (no classes)	Thursday, December 9
FINAL EXAM WEEK	Friday, December 10– Tuesday, December 14 (no exams on Sunday, December 12)
Holiday Break (no classes)	Wednesday, December 15, 2027–Tuesday, January 4, 2028
Fall Semester grades due	Thursday, December 30, 2027, 9:00 am CST (Central Standard Time)

JANUARY TERM 2027-2028

January 5 – February 1, 2028

CLASSES BEGIN	Wednesday, January 5
Last day to add	Tuesday, January 11
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day Holiday Observation (no classes)	Monday, January 17
Last day to drop or make S/U change	Wednesday, January 19
JANUARY TERM EXAMS/LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Tuesday, February 1
January Term Break (no classes)	Wednesday, February 2-Wednesday, February 9
January Term grades due	Wednesday, February 9, 2028, 9:00 am CST (Central Standard Time)

SPRING SEMESTER 2027-2028

February 10 – May 17, 2028

CLASSES BEGIN	Thursday, February 10
Last day to add a first half of semester course	Friday, February 18
Last day to add a semester-length course	Wednesday, February 23
Last day to drop or make S/U change in a first half of semester course	Wednesday, March 1
Registration for Summer 1 & 2 2027-28 <i>All holds must be removed to participate in registration.</i>	Monday, March 6
Spring Break (no classes) - EASTER 4/16/28	Friday, March 17 – Sunday, March 26
Last day of class for first half of semester courses	Monday, April 3
First day of class for second half of semester courses	Tuesday, April 4
Quiet Week for Advising	Monday, April 10 – Friday, April 14
Last day to add a second half of semester course	Wednesday, April 12

Last day to drop or make S/U change for a semester-length course	Friday, April 14
Registration for Fall 2028-2029 <i>All holds must be removed to participate in registration.</i>	Tuesday, April 18 – Thursday, April 20
Last day to drop or make S/U change for a second half semester course	Monday, April 24
Honors Day	Friday, May 5
LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Wednesday, May 17
READING DAY (no classes)	Thursday, May 18
FINAL EXAM WEEK	Friday, May 19 – Tuesday, May 23 (no exams on Sunday, May 21)
Senior grades due for Spring Semester	24 hours after final exam; no later than 12:00 pm CDT (Central Daylight Time) on Wednesday, May 24
Commencement weekend	Friday, May 26– Saturday, May 27
Baccalaureate/Commencement	Saturday, May 27
Non-senior grades due for Spring Semester	Friday, June 2, 2028, 9:00 am CDT (Central Daylight Time)
Reunion Weekend	Friday, June 2 – Sunday, June 4

Summer Session 1 2027-2028

Monday, June 5-Friday, July 14, 2028

For more information please refer to the Summer Session webpage.

CLASSES BEGIN	Monday, June 5
Last day to drop and receive a full refund	Tuesday, June 6
Last day to add or drop a course online in SIS (without instructor permission)	Tuesday, June 6
Last day to add a course (with instructor permission)	Thursday, June 8
Juneteenth Holiday Observation (no classes)	Monday, June 19
Last day to drop a class or make S/U change (with instructor permission)	Tuesday, June 20
First Year Registration for Fall 2027	Thursday, June 22
July 4 th Holiday Observation (no classes)	Tuesday, July 4
SUMMER 1 EXAMS/LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Friday, July 14
Summer Session 1 Grades Due	Friday, July 21

Summer Session 2 2027-2028

Monday, July 17-Wednesday, August 23, 2028

For more information please refer to the Summer Session webpage.

CLASSES BEGIN	Monday, July 17
Last day to drop and receive a full refund	Tuesday, July 18
Last day to add or drop a course online in SIS without instructor permission)	Tuesday, July 18
Last day to add a course (with instructor permission)	Thursday, July 20
Last day to drop a class or make S/U change (with instructor permission)	Monday, July 31
SUMMER 2 EXAMS/LAST DAY OF CLASSES	Wednesday, August 23
Summer Session 2 Grades Due	Wednesday, August 30