



WASHINGTON

ADVENTIST UNIVERSITY

Academic Calendar 2025-2026 (SASS and SHPSW)

FALL - First Semester	2025
Registration Opens for Fall 2025	March 24 M
Residence Halls Open for New Students	August 18 Su
New Student Orientation and Registration	August 18-Aug 24 M-Sa
Deadline for students to be financially cleared to start classes	August 22 F
Deadline for traditional students to register for SGPS courses	August 22 F
Residence Halls Open for Returning Students	August 24 Su
Classes Begin	August 25 M
Add & Drop Period without receiving a "W"	August 25 M - September 3 W
Labor Day Holiday	September 1 M
Last day to add or drop a class without receiving a "W"	September 3 W
Withdrawal period	September 4 Th–December 1 M
December graduation applications due	September 15 M
Faculty deadline to submit AW for never-attended students	September 19 F
W.I.S.E. Week of Prayer	September 22-27 M-Sa
Pre-Clearance deadline for potential graduates (See Student Accounts/SGPS Office)	October 1
Fall Service Learning Day	October 1 W
Midterm Exams	October 20-22 M - W
Midterm Break	October 23-27 Th-M

Midterm grades due at noon	October 28 T
Registration opens for Spring 2024 semester	October 28 T
Student deadline to submit incomplete (“I”) work from summer semester	October 28 T
Faculty deadline to enter grades for outstanding Incomplete contracts from summer semester	October 30 Th
Spring 2024 graduation applications due	November 3 M
First day to withdraw from classes without jeopardizing financial aid	November 3 M
Deadline for off campus grades, DG grades, challenge tests, projects, CLEP, etc. for December graduates	November 10 M
No academic classes - Offices open	November 26 W
Last day to WITHDRAW from classes/receive a “W”	November 26 W
Thanksgiving holiday (school closed)	November 27-28 Th - F
Final Clearance deadline for potential graduates (See Student Accounts/SGPS Office)	December 1
Study Day	December 8 M
Final examinations	December 9-11 T-Th
End of Semester	December 11 Th
Christmas Break	December 12 F-January 2 F
Final grades for Fall due at noon	December 16T
Degree conferral date	December 31 F

SPRING Second Semester

2026

Registration opens for Spring 2025	October 28 T
May 2025 Graduation applications due	November 3 M
Residence Halls Open for New Students	January 6-9 T-F

New Student Orientation and Registration	January 7-9 W - F
Deadline for traditional students to register for SGPS classes	January 9 F
Deadline for students to be financially cleared to start classes	January 9 F
Residence Halls Open for Returning Students	January 11 Su
Classes begin	January 12 M
Add & Drop Period without receiving a "W"	January 11-21 M - F
SGPS Add & Drop Period without receiving a "W"	January 11-16 M - F
Martin Luther King Jr. holiday	January 19 M
Last day to add or drop a class without receiving a "W"	January 21 W
Withdrawal Period	January 22 Th - April 9 Th
Diplomas for Fall graduates available	January 19 M
W.I.S.E. Week of Prayer	January 26-31 M - Sa
Faculty deadline to submit AW for never-attended students	January 30 F
Pre-Financial Clearance deadline for Potential Graduates (See Student Accounts/SGPS Office)	February 2 M
Midterm Exams	March 2-5 M - Th
Spring Break	March 6 F – March 15 Su
Midterm grades due at noon	March 11 W
Student deadline to submit incomplete "I" work from fall semester	March 21 M
First day to withdraw from classes without jeopardizing financial aid	March 23 M
Deadline for off-campus grades, challenge tests, projects, CLEP, etc. for May graduates	March 23 M
Faculty deadline to enter grades for outstanding incomplete contracts	March 25 W
Registration opens for Summer 2026 classes and Fall 2026 semester	March 23 M
Deadline for Potential Graduates to have zero balance/	April 1 W

Financially cleared	
Spring Service Learning Day	April 1 W
Student Recognition Awards	April 8 W
Final deadline to withdraw from classes with a “W”	April 10 F
Academic Awards	April 15 W
Final examinations	April 28- April 30 T-Th
Study day	April 30 M
End of semester	April 30 Th
Consecration Service	May 1 F
Baccalaureate	May 2 Sa
Commencement	May 3 Su
Degree conferral date	May 3 Su
Final grades due at noon (No senior grades. Any final grade submitted for a graduating senior will NOT be changed)	May 5 T
Diplomas for Spring graduates available	May 18 M
Summer Session	2026
Deadline for students to be financially cleared to start Summer Session	May 8 F
Last day for early registration for Summer Session I	May 8 F
Session I begins	May 11 M to June 5 F
Add & Drop Period without receiving a “W”	May 11 -15 M-F
Withdrawal Period	May 16- 29 Sa – F
Memorial Day holiday	May 25 M
Summer graduation applications due	May 29 F
Faculty deadline to submit an AW for never-attended students	May 29 F
Final deadline to withdraw from classes with a “W”	May 29 F

Summer Session 1 ends	June 5 F
Grades for Summer Session I due	June 9 T
Last day for early registration for Summer Session II	June 12 F
Deadline for students to be financially cleared to start Session II	June 12 F
Session II begins	June 15 M to July 10
Add & Drop Period without receiving a “W”	June 15 – 19 M – F
Withdrawal Period	June 20 Sa –July 2 Th
Faculty deadline to submit AW never-attended students	June 20 F
Student deadline to submit incomplete “I” work from spring semester	July 1 W
Deadline to withdraw from Session II classes with a “W”	July 2 Th
Independence Day holiday	July 4 F
Deadline for off campus grades, DG grades, challenge tests, projects, etc., for Summer graduates	July 6 M
Faculty deadline to enter grades for outstanding incomplete contracts	July 6 M
Summer Session II ends	July 10 F
Final grades for Summer Session II due at noon	July 14 T
Summer Session III	May 11 - August 7
Add & Drop Period without receiving a “W”	May 11 -15 M-F
Withdrawal Period	May 16- July 24 Sa – F
Faculty deadline to submit an AW for never-attended students	May 22 F
Deadline to withdraw from Session III classes with a “W”	July 24 F
Summer Session III term ends	August 7 F
Final grades from Summer Session III due at noon	August 11 T
Diplomas for Summer graduates available	August 17 M