

Second 8-week Term: October 19 - December 10, 2026

Fall 2026 At a Glance

Registration for Fall 2026 begins Monday, April 6, 2026

Term	Start and End Date	Financial Aid Disbursement	Payment Deadlines	Final Payment Deadline (Census)
Full 16-week Term (1)	Aug. 18-Dec. 10, 2026	Aug. 10, 2026	Aug.12, 2026	Sept. 2, 2026
First 8-week Term (4)	Aug. 18-Oct. 14, 2026	Aug. 10, 2026	Aug.12, 2026	Aug. 25, 2026
Second 8-week Term (5)	Oct. 19-Dec. 10, 2026	Aug. 10, 2026	Oct. 13, 2026	Oct. 26, 2026
RELLIS Campus (RL1)	Aug. 24-Dec. 9, 2026	Aug. 14, 2026	Aug.12, 2026	Sept. 9, 2026

Student Payments

Viewing your bill: Tuition and fee charges for Fall 2026 registration will begin posting to your account August 3, 2026.

Financial Aid: The earliest Financial Aid and Scholarships can begin disbursing federal, state, and institutional aid is 10 days prior to the first day of class.

Payment Deadlines & Late Fee: A \$35 late payment fee will be charged for students who have not made payment arrangements by 5 p.m. on the date of the relevant payment deadline (excluding the final deadline for the full 16-week term).

Removal from classes: Students who are still unpaid by scheduled payment deadline(s) will be removed from their classes.

Second 8-week Term Calendar

Please make sure you are looking at the correct term(s) for your course(s). Deadlines are different for each term.

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August 2026

August 20 Final deadline for Fall 2026 degree candidates to apply for graduation.

August 10 Fall financial aid funds start to disburse for the Second 8-week term, provided there are no outstanding financial aid holds or requirements.

October 2026

October 1 Late enrollment begins with \$35 fee

October 13 Payment Deadline
Deadline to enroll in a payment plan without late payment fee (\$35)

October 15 Drop for nonpayment. Students who are still unpaid will be removed from their classes.

October 16 Final day to receive approval for EW students to enroll in the term.

October 19 First day of Second 8-week term classes

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Late enrollment and Add/Drop

October 23

All students, including newly admitted students, may register or add/drop classes with appropriate approvals.

Census date and payment deadline, 5 p.m.

October 26

Last day to drop or withdraw without a grade. Last day to drop an individual course and receive a 100% refund. NOTE: If you are enrolled in only one class, or are dropping your last class, this is considered a withdrawal, and you will be refunded according to the prorated withdrawal refund percentages on the academic calendar.

No refunds are given for dropping an individual course after this date.

Deadline for students enrolled in the Second 8-week term to submit a Change of Curriculum request for the fall term by 5 p.m.

NOTE: Curriculum changes submitted after this date may not be effective until the following semester.

October 27

Students who are still unpaid will be removed from their classes.

November 2026

Nov. 2-6

Priority registration for Spring and Summer 2027

November 13

Deadline for faculty to enter midterm grades by noon

November 20

Last day to drop Second 8-week term with a Q

November 26-27

Thanksgiving Break (No classes)

November 25

Residence Halls closed for Thanksgiving Break

November 29

Residence Hall reopen

December 2026

December 8

Last Class Day for Second 8-week term

December 9

Study Day

December 10

Final Exams for Second 8-week term

December 10

Fall Commencement

December 11

End of term for Fall 2026 semester.
Year-old incomplete (I) grades convert to F at 5 p.m. (undergraduate & graduate courses)

December 12

Residence Hall Close

December 14

Final grades due at noon. Deadline for faculty to enter final grades.

December 15

Students may view final grades.