2025-2026 Wilmington College Undergraduate Calendar DRAFT 03/11/2024

Fall Semester 2025

Thursday – Sunday, August 14-17 Fall Orientation

Thursday, August 14, 8:30 a.m. Residence Halls Open to New Students Sunday, August 17, 10:00 a.m. Residence Halls Open to All Students

Monday, August 18 Classes Begin – Full Semester and Abbreviated Session I
Tuesday, August 19 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Abbreviated Session I
Friday, August 22 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Full-Semester

Monday, September 1 Labor Day Holiday TBA Homecoming

Tuesday, September 16 Last Day to Withdraw from Abbreviated Session I Classes

TBA Westheimer Peace Symposium, Classes in Session

Monday, October 6 Last Day of Abbreviated Session I Classes

Tuesday, October 7 In Service-Professor Development Day – Academic Outreach in schools and Fall Fest,

No Classes

Friday, October 10, 9:00 a.m. Abbreviated Session I Grades Due to Academic Records

Monday October 13 Fall Break

Tuesday, October 14 First Day of Abbreviated Session II Term

Wednesday October 15 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Abbreviated Session II
Tuesday, October 21 Last Day to Withdraw from Full Semester Classes

Thursday, November 13 Last Day to Withdraw from Abbreviated Session II Classes

Wed. – Friday, November 26-28 Thanksgiving Holiday

Wednesday, December 3 Last Day of Classes – Full Semester and Session II

Thursday, December 4 Study Day

Friday, Monday -Tues. December 5, 8-9 Final Exams for Full Semester and Session II classes

Wednesday, December 10, 9:30 p.m. Residence Halls Close

Friday, December 12, 9:00 a.m. Final Full Semester and Session II Grades Due

Spring Semester 2026

Sunday, January 11 Spring Orientation

Sunday, January 11, 10:00 a.m. Residence Halls Open to All Students

Monday, January 12 Classes Begin – Full Semester and Abbreviated Session I
Tuesday, January 13 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Abbreviated Session I
Friday, January 16 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Full Semester

Monday, January 19 MLK Holiday

Tuesday, February 10 Last Day to Withdraw from Abbreviated Session I Classes

Monday, March 2 Last Day of Abbreviated Session I Classes

Tuesday, March 3 In Service Day, No classes

Friday, March 6, 9:00 a.m. Abbreviated Session I Grades Due to Academic Records

Monday – Friday, March 9-13 Spring Break

Monday, March 16 First Day of Abbreviated Session II

Tuesday, March 17 Last Day of Drop/Add Period for Abbreviated Session II
Wednesday, March 25 Last Day to Withdraw from Full Semester Classes

Friday, April 3 Good Friday Holiday

Thursday, April 16

Last Day to Withdraw from Abbreviated Session II Classes
Friday, May 1

Mon. - Thurs. May 4-7

Thursday, May 7, 9:30 p.m.

Last Day to Withdraw from Abbreviated Session II Classes
Last Day of Classes – Full Semester and Session II classes
Final Exams for Full Semester and Session II classes
Residence Halls Close for Students Not Graduating

Friday, May 8 Baccalaureate
Saturday, May 9 Commencement

Saturday, May 9, 5:00 p.m. Residence Halls Close for Graduates
Tuesday, May 12 at 9:00 a.m. Session II and Full-Term Final Grades due

Summer School 2026

Maymester (4-Week Term with Pre-Assignments)

Tuesday, May 12 Classes Begin

Tuesday, May 12 Last Day of the Drop/Add Period

Monday, May 25 Memorial Day Holiday

Tuesday, May 26 Last Day to Withdrawn from Classes

Thursday, June 4 (Non-lab); Friday, June 5 (Lab)

Last Day of Classes/Exams

Tuesday, June 9, 9:00 a.m. Final Grades Due to Academic Records

Summer Term (8-Week Term)

Monday, June 8 Classes Begin

Friday, June 12 Last Day of Drop/Add Period

Thursday, June 18 Juneteenth Holiday

Friday, July 3 Independence Day Holiday Observed **Thursday, July 9** Last Day to Withdraw from Classes

Thursday, July 30 Last Day of Classes/Exams

Tuesday, August 4, 9:00 a.m. Final Grades Due to Academic Records

Summer Term (11-Week Term)

Monday, May 18 Field Experiences Begin
Friday, May 22 Last Day of Drop/Add Period
Monday, May 25 Memorial Day Holiday

Friday, June 19 Juneteenth Holiday
Tuesday, June 30 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes

Friday, July 3 Independence Day Holiday Observed Thursday, July 30 Last Day of Classes

Tuesday, August 4, 9:00 a.m. Final Grades Due to Academic Records

Summer Term (12-week Prison Education Program)

Monday, May 18 Classes Begin

Friday, May 23 Last Day of the Drop/Add Period

Monday, May 25 Memorial Day Holiday

Friday, July 3 Independence Day Holiday Observed Monday, July 6 Last Day to Withdraw from Classes

Friday, August 7 Last Day of Classes/Exams

Tuesday, August 11, 9:00 a.m. Final Grades Due to Academic Records