

FALL 2026 ACADEMIC CALENDAR-ALL SESSIONS

The academic calendar contains all the essential instructional and registration dates/deadlines for the specified academic semester.

For important dates regarding classes that run on a non-standard (FLEX) schedule, contact the Records Office – Bethlehem Campus or Enrollment Office – Pocono Campus.

The academic calendar is subject to change without notice. The College may schedule make-up days to recover lost instructional time if closures for inclement weather and/or other circumstances result in the loss of instructional time.

References to day classes denote any course with a start time prior to 5 pm. References to evening classes denote any course with a start time of 5 pm or later.

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Fall 2026 – Registration Begin Dates for All Sessions

Monday, March 16	Priority Registration for Fall 2026 begins for military affiliated students
Tuesday, March 17	Priority Registration for Fall 2026 begins for select student cohorts
Wednesday, March 18	Priority Registration for Fall 2026 begins for currently enrolled Spring 2026 students with 35+ completed credits
Thursday, March 19	Priority Registration for Fall 2026 begins for currently enrolled Spring 2026 students with 11+ completed credits
Friday, March 20	Priority Registration for Fall 2026 begins for currently enrolled Spring 2026 students with 0+ completed credits
Monday, March 23	Registration for Fall 2026 begins for new and re-admitted students

FALL 2026 – 14 Week Semester

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4	TUITION/FEE DUE DATE
Friday, August 21	Last day for new students to register for classes
SATURDAY, AUGUST 22	CLASSES BEGIN
Friday, August 28	Last day to drop a class(es) for 100% tuition/fee refund
Friday, August 28	Last day to add a class(es)
Saturday, September 5 -Monday, September 7	Labor Day Holiday – College Closed
Thursday, September 10	Verify Participation due date for instructors (Workday)
Saturday, September 12	Last day to drop a class(es) for 50% tuition/fee refund; after this date a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Sunday, September 13 – Tuesday, November 24	Withdrawal period – a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Monday, September 28	Priority Registration for Winter 2026 begins for military affiliated students
Tuesday, September 29	Priority Registration for Winter 2026 begins for current, new, and re-admitted students
Thursday, October 1	2027-2028 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Application Open at studentaid.gov 2027-2028 FAFSA is for Fall 2027, Spring 2028, and Summer 2028 semesters Submission deadline closes June 30, 2028
Monday, October 12 - Tuesday, October 13	Fall Break – College Closed CALENDAR ADJUSTMENT: No classes meet on Monday, October 12, except for Monday evening classes. If your class meets on a Monday at 5 pm or later, you will meet on Monday, October 12 th .
Wednesday, October 14, Noon	Mid-semester Progress notices due from faculty (Starfish)
Monday, October 19	Priority Registration for Spring 2027 begins for military affiliated students
Tuesday, October 20	Priority Registration for Spring 2027 begins for select student cohorts
Wednesday, October 21	Priority Registration for Spring 2027 begins for currently enrolled students with 35+ completed credits
Thursday, October 22	Priority Registration for Spring 2027 begins for currently enrolled students with 11+ completed credits
Friday, October 23	Priority Registration for Spring 2027 begins for currently enrolled students with 0+ completed credits
Monday, October 26	Registration for Spring 2027 begins for new and re-admitted students
Tuesday, November 24	Last Day to withdraw from a class(es) – a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
5 pm Wednesday, November 25 - Sunday, November 29	Thanksgiving Holiday – College Closed CALENDAR ADJUSTMENT: No classes meet on Wednesday, November 25 th except for Monday daytime classes. If your class meets on a Monday before 5 pm, you will meet on Wednesday, November 25 th .
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5	CLASSES END
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Monday, December 7	Reading Day
Tuesday, December 8, Noon	Final written work and projects due
Monday, December 7 - Saturday, December 12	Examination Period (Monday for Monday evening classes only)
Tuesday, December 15, Noon	Final Grade(s) due date for instructors (Workday)
Friday, December 18	Last day to apply for December 2026 graduation
Thursday, December 24 - Friday, January 1	Winter Holiday - College Closed
Saturday, May 15, 2027	Incomplete deadline for a class(es) taken in Fall 2026

MID-FALL 2026 – 9 Week Session

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14	TUITION/FEE DUE DATE
Friday, September 25	Last day for new students to register for classes
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28	CLASSES BEGIN
Thursday, October 1	Last day to drop a class(es) for 100% tuition/fee refund
Thursday, October 1	Last day to add a class(es)
Thursday, October 8	Verify Participation due date for instructors (Workday)
Monday, October 12 - Tuesday, October 13	Fall Break – College Closed
Wednesday, October 14	Last day to drop a class(es) for 50% tuition/fee refund; after this date a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Thursday, October 15 - Monday, November 30	Withdrawal period – a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
5 pm Wednesday, November 25- Sunday, November 29	Thanksgiving Holiday – College Closed
	CALENDAR ADJUSTMENT: Mid-Fall Wednesday day and evening classes do not meet on Wednesday, November 25
Monday, November 30	Last day to withdraw from a class(es) – a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5	CLASSES END
Monday, December 7	Reading Day
Monday, December 7 - Saturday, December 12	Examination Period (Monday for Monday evening classes only)
Tuesday, December 15, Noon	Final Grade(s) due date for instructors (Workday)
Friday, December 18	Last day to apply for December 2026 graduation
Thursday, December 24 – Friday, January 1	Winter Holiday – College Closed
Saturday, May 15, 2027	Incomplete deadline for a class(es) taken in Mid-Fall 2026

ACCELERATED I FALL 2026 – 7 Week Session

TUESDAY, AUGUST 4	TUITION/FEE DUE DATE
Friday, August 21	Last day to add a class(es)
SATURDAY, AUGUST 22	CLASSES BEGIN
Wednesday, August 26	Last day to drop a class(es) for 100% tuition/fee refund
Tuesday, September 1	Verify Participation due date for instructors (Workday)
Wednesday, September 2	Last day to drop a class(es) for 50% tuition/fee refund; after this date a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Thursday, September 3 - Wednesday, October 7	Withdrawal period- a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Saturday, September 5 – Monday, September 7	Labor Day Holiday – College Closed
Wednesday, October 7	Last day to withdraw from a class(es) - a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Monday, October 12 - Tuesday, October 13	Fall Break – College Closed
	CALENDAR ADJUSTMENT: Accelerated I courses/examinations will still meet during Fall Break.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 12	CLASSES END
Tuesday, October 13 - Wednesday, October 14	Examination Period
Thursday, October 15, Noon	Final Grade(s) due date for instructors (Workday)
Friday, December 18	Last day to apply for December 2026 graduation
Thursday, December 24 – Friday, January 1	Winter Holiday – College Closed
Monday, March 15, 2027	Incomplete deadline for a class(es) taken in Accelerated I Fall 2026

ACCELERATED II FALL 2026 – 7 Week Session

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 14	TUITION/FEE DUE DATE
Thursday, October 15	Last day to add a class(es)
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16	CLASSES BEGIN
Tuesday, October 20	Last day to drop a class(es) for 100% tuition/fee refund
Monday, October 26	Verify Participation due date for instructors (Workday)
Tuesday, October 27	Last day to drop a class(es) for 50% tuition/fee refund; after this date a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
Wednesday, October 28 – Wednesday, December 2	Withdrawal period- a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
5 pm Wednesday, November 25 - Sunday, November 29	Thanksgiving Holiday – College Closed
Wednesday, December 2	Last day to withdraw from a class(es)- a “W” will appear on transcript and no refunds
MONDAY, DECEMBER 7	CLASSES END
	CALENDAR ADJUSTMENT: No classes meet on Monday, December 7 th except for Thursday day and evening classes. If your class meets on a Thursday, you will meet on Monday, December 7.
Tuesday, December 8 – Saturday, December 12	Examination Period (Monday for Monday evening classes only)
Tuesday, December 15, Noon	Final Grade(s) due date for instructors (Workday)
Friday, December 18	Last day to apply for December 2026 graduation
Thursday, December 24 – Friday, January 1	Winter Holiday – College Closed
Saturday, May 15, 2027	Incomplete deadline for a class(es) taken in Accelerated II Fall 2026