

Academic Calendar 2025-2026

August

- 20-21: International Student Orientation
- 23: Orientation for Entering Students
- 25: **Fall Semester Begins FOR MASTER'S DEGREE STUDENTS**
- 28: PM&M Orientation
- 29: **End of first week of classes. Last day to add courses without permission on Self Service**

September

- 1: Labor Day Holiday – **No Classes; Seminary offices Closed**
- 5: End of second week of classes. **Last day of Master's registration period:** Last day to add a course with instructor signature; change course from credit to audit; to drop course without a "W"; to drop course with full refund.
- 12: Registration opens for D.Min. 2024-2025 Winter term (closes December 1)
- 12: End of third week of classes. Last day to withdraw from course with 75% refund
- 19: Grades Due Summer DMIN term
- 19: End of fourth week of classes. Last day to withdraw from course with 50% refund
- 26: End of fifth week of classes Last day to change from letter grade to P/F; withdraw from course with 25% refund

October

- 1: MTS project due
- 13-17: Fall Semester Hybrid Week
- 13-17: Reading Week – **No Classes except Hybrid Courses**
- 15: **Deadline to apply for 2025 graduation Master's and D.Min**
D.Min Project Paper Theology Chapter
- 20: Registration opens for Master's J-Term/Spring 2025 semester.
- 20-24: ADVISING WEEK

November

- 7: End of 10th week of classes; Last day to withdraw from course without "F"
- 24-28: Fall Break – **NO CLASSES.**
- 27-28: **Seminary offices closed for Thanksgiving**

December

- 8-12: Last week of classes; exams
- 17: Registration closes for Master's 2026 J-Term
- 22: SEMINARY OFFICES CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS THROUGH JANUARY 1
- 31: Grades due for fall D.Min term

January

- 2: Grades Due for Fall Master's term
- 5: **J-Term (Master's); January Intensive (D.Min) through January 16**
- 15: D.Min Project Paper draft due to faculty
- 19: MLK Jr. Day – **No Classes; Seminary offices closed**
- 21: **Spring semester Master's classes begin at 1:30 pm**
ORIENTATION FOR ENTERING STUDENTS IN SPRING 2026

January cont...

- 22: Registration opens for D.Min 2026 Spring term (Closes April 3)
- 30: End of the first full week of classes; Last day to add courses online without permission through Self Service

February

- 1: Applications due for priority scholarship consideration for fall 2026
- 6: End of second full week of classes; **LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION PERIOD:** Last day to add course with instructor's signature; change course from credit to audit; drop course without a "W"; drop course with full refund
- 13: End of third full week of classes; Last day to withdraw from course with 75% refund
- 20: End of fourth full week of classes; Last day to withdraw from course with 50% refund
- 27: End of fifth full week of classes; Last day to change from letter grade to P/F; withdraw from course with 25% refund.

March

2-7: Reading Week/Hybrid Week – No Classes through March 7 except Hybrid Week Courses

- 10: Registration opens for D.Min Summer 2026 term (closes June 1)
Application deadline for 2026 International (F-1) students
- 9-13 **ADVISING WEEK**
- 16: Registration opens for Master's summer 2026 term
- 23: Registration opens for Master's fall 2026 semester.

April

- 1: MTS paper due
D.Min Project Paper deadline to be posted to BlackBoard
End of tenth full week of classes; Last day to withdraw from course without "F"
- 1: Easter Recess begins at noon **No Classes through April 5**

May

- 1: Deadline for submitted Need-Based Financial Aid Requests
Grades due D.Min winter term
- 4: Last week of classes; exams through May 8
- 6: Graduating Student Grades due
- 11: **Commencement**
- 12: D.Min. Spring 2026 intensive term through May 22
- 18: Grades due Master's Spring term
- 18: Master's summer 2026 term begins through August 15.

June

- 1: Registration opens for D.Min. Fall 2026 term (Closes July 30)
- 15: D.Min. Global Asian intensive Term through June 26

July

- 6-24 2026 Intensive Course of Study School
- 25: Grades due D.Min Spring term