

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2028

FALL SEMESTER 2026

August 10	In-Service (all employees)
August 11	In-Service (faculty)
August 12	New Student Registration (Fort Yates)
August 17-20	Student Registration (Fort Yates)
Registration 17 th 12-6, 18 th 10-3, 19 th 10-3, 20 th 10-3	
August 20	Last Day to Register for Classes
August 21	Student Success Day
August 24	First Day of Classes
August 27	Last Day to Change Classes
September 7	Labor Day Holiday
September 21-24	Native American Week
October 12	Indigenous Peoples' Day
October 13-15	Midterms Week
October 19-22	Pre-registration for Spring (All Students)
November 11	Veterans Day Holiday (Observed)
November 19	Last Day to Drop Classes
November 26	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 3	Last Day of Classes
December 7-8	Final Exams
December 15	All Chiefs Day
December 29	Last Day to Remove Incompletes from Fall Semester

SPRING SEMESTER 2027

January 4-7 Spring Semester Registration (Fort Yates)

Registration times 4th 12-6, 5th 10-3, 6th 10-3, 7th 10-3

January 7 Last Day to Register for Classes

January 8 Student Success Day

January 11 First Day of Classes

January 14 Last Day to Change Classes

January 18 Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

February 15 Presidents Day Holiday

March 1-4 Midterms Week

March 15-18 Spring Break

March 26 Good Friday Holiday

March 29 Easter Monday Holiday

April 12-15 Pre-registration for Summer & Fall (All Students)

April 15 Last Day to Drop Classes

April 29 Last Day of Classes

May 3-4 Final Exams

May 13 Graduation

May 25 Last Day to Remove Incompletes from Spring Semester

SUMMER SESSION 2027

May 24-25 Summer Registration

May 25 Last Day to Register for Classes

May 26 First Day of Classes

May 27 Last Day to Change Classes

May 31 Memorial Day Holiday

June 18 Juneteenth Holiday (Observed)
June 25 Battle of Little Big Horn Holiday (Observed)
July 5-8..... Independence Day Holiday
July 15..... Last Day to Drop Classes
July 28..... Last Day of Classes
July 29..... Final Exams
August 19 Last day to Remove Summer Incompletes

FALL SEMESTER 2027

August 9	In-Service (all employees)
August 10	In-Service (faculty)
August 11	New Student Registration (Fort Yates)
August 16-19.....	Student Registration (Fort Yates)
Registration 16 th 12-6, 17 th 10-3, 18 th 10-3, 19 th 10-3	
August 19	Last Day to Register for Classes
August 20	Student Success Day
August 23	First Day of Classes
August 26	Last Day to Change Classes
September 6.....	Labor Day Holiday
September 20-23	Native American Week
October 11	Indigenous Peoples' Day
October 12-14	Midterms Week
October 18-21	Pre-registration for Spring (All Students)
November 11.....	Veterans Day Holiday (Observed)
November 18.....	Last Day to Drop Classes
November 25.....	Thanksgiving Holiday
December 2.....	Last Day of Classes
December 6-7	Final Exams
December 15.....	All Chiefs Day
December 28.....	Last Day to Remove Incompletes from Fall Semester

SPRING SEMESTER 2028

January 3-6 Spring Semester Registration (Fort Yates)
Registration times 3rd 12-6, 4th 10-3, 5th 10-3, 6th 10-3

January 6 Last Day to Register for Classes

January 7 Student Success Day

January 10 First Day of Classes

January 13 Last Day to Change Classes

January 17 Martin Luther King, Jr. Holiday

February 21 Presidents Day Holiday

February 28-March 2 Midterms Week

March 13-16 Spring Break

April 10-13 Pre-Registration for Summer & Fall (All Students)

April 13 Last Day to Drop Classes

April 14 Good Friday Holiday

April 17 Easter Monday Holiday

April 27 Last Day of Classes

May 1-2 Final Exams

May 11 Graduation

May 23 Last Day to Remove Incompletes from Spring Semester

SUMMER SESSION 2028

May 22-23 Summer Registration

May 23 Last Day to Register for Classes

May 24 First Day of Classes

May 25 Last Day to Change Classes

May 29 Memorial Day Holiday

June 19 Juneteenth Holiday (Observed)
June 26 Battle of Little Big Horn Holiday (Observed)
July 3-6..... Independence Day Holiday
July 13..... Last Day to Drop Classes
July 26..... Last Day of Classes
July 27 Final Exams
August 17 Last day to Remove Summer Incompletes