



Academic Calendar

Fall Semester 2024	
Cadet Cadre Leadership Training Registration (<i>invitation only</i>) Registration times (by last name): A-J 1300-1345 K-R 1345-1430 S-Z 1430-1500	Friday, August 2
New Cadet Registration/Parent Meet & Greet/Parent Orientation Registration times (by last name): A-J 0800-0845 K-R 0845-0930 S-Z 0930-1015 Parent Meet & Greet 0830-1030; Parent Orientation 1045-1130	Friday, August 9
Returning Cadet Registration Registration times (last name): A-J 0800-0845 K-R 0845-0930 S-Z 0930-1015	Monday, August 12
Fall Sports Practice Begins	Monday, August 12
Standardized Testing/Reading Assessments for all cadets	August 12-16
EF Standard English Testing (EFSET) for ELL cadets	August 12-16
Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery (ASVAB) for grades 10-12	Thursday, August 15
All-Academy Assembly (all cadets and employees)-Start of School and New Cadet Resolution Ceremony	Monday, August 19
Welcome VESPERS	Sunday, August 25
Gen. Clifton B Cates, MMA, Class of 1910, Birthday Remembrance (Observed)	Friday, August 30
Labor Day Holiday (holiday observed)	Monday, September 2
On-Campus College Fair	TBD
Fall Community Service Day	Friday, September 20
Alumni Weekend/Homecoming/Review - <i>families welcome</i>	Fri-Sun, Sept. 27-29
Crucible	Wednesday, October 2
Crucible Make-Up Date	Wednesday, October 9
PSAT Testing for grade 11	TBD
Fall Mid-Term Exams	Mon-Wed, October 14-16
Fall Family Weekend - <i>families welcome</i> Parent/Teacher/CLA Conferences, Review, Senior Ring Dinner & Dance	Thurs-Sun, October 17-20
Marking Period 1 (MP1) Ends	Friday, October 18
Cadet Outstanding Performance Recognition Day for MP1	Friday, October 25
Winter Sports Practice Begins	Monday, November 4
ACT testing on campus	Tuesday in Oct/Nov TBD
Veterans Day Review - <i>families welcome</i>	Monday, November 11
Fall Sports Assembly/Ice Cream Social - <i>families welcome</i>	Wednesday, Nov. 20
Founders' Day	Friday, November 22
Thanksgiving Furlough Begins Cadets may remain on campus. Cadets may sign out with their parents after classes end on Tuesday, November 26. Transportation to the airport will be on Wednesday, November 27. Early departures/late returns may result in additional fees charged.	Wednesday, November 27
Thanksgiving Day	Thursday, November 28
Thanksgiving Furlough Ends Cadets return 1300-1700.	Sunday, December 1
Classes Resume	Monday, December 2
83rd Annual Christmas Evensong/Company Christmas Parties - <i>families welcome</i>	Saturday, December 14
Semester Final Exams	Wed-Fri, December 18-20
Marking Period 2 (MP2) Ends	Friday, December 20
Winter Furlough Begins Mandatory leave. Residential halls are closed. Cadets may sign out with parents after classes end on Friday, December 20. Transportation to the airport will be on Saturday, December 21. Early departures/late returns may result in additional fees charged.	Saturday, December 21

Spring Semester 2025	
Winter Furlough Ends/Returning Cadets Returning cadets are expected to arrive on campus between 1200 and 1700	Sunday, January 5, 2025
New Cadet Registration/Parent Meet & Greet/Parent Orientation Registration times (by last name): A-J 0800-0845 K-R 0845-0930 S-Z 0930-1015 Parent Meet & Greet 0830-1030; Parent Orientation 1045-1130	Monday, January 6
Mid-year Testing for grades 7-11 and new ELL cadets	January 7-10
Welcome Vespers	January 12
All-Academy Assembly/New Cadet Resolution Ceremony	Wednesday, January 15
Martin Luther King, Jr. Day (holiday observed)	Monday, January 20
Valentine Weekend/Valentine Ball - <i>families welcome</i> Parent/Teacher/CLA Conferences and Review	Fri-Sun, February 7-9
Presidents Day Open Weekend Cadets may sign out with parents after classes on 2/14 and must return by 1900, 2/17.	Sat-Mon, February 15-17
Spring Midterm Exams	Wed-Fri., February 26-28
Marking Period 3 (MP3) Ends	Friday, Feb 28
Spring Furlough Begins <i>Mandatory leave. Residential halls are closed.</i> Cadets may sign out with parents after classes on Friday, February 28. Transportation to the airport will be on Saturday, March 1. Early departures/late returns may result in additional fees charged.	Saturday, March 1
Spring Sports Practice Begins	Monday, March 3
Spring Furlough Ends Cadets return 1300-1700. <i>Residential halls re-open.</i>	Sunday, March 9
Classes Resume	Monday, March 10
Mid-year Crucible	Wednesday March 12
Cadet Outstanding Performance Recognition Day for MP3	Friday, March 14
Winter Sports Assembly/Ice Cream Social - <i>families welcome</i>	Wednesday, March 19
Mid-year Crucible (make up)	Wednesday, March 19
Spring Community Service Day	Friday, March 21
Col. Stribling Memorial/Observance	Saturday March 29
Spring Family Weekend/Passing through Ceremony - <i>families welcome</i> Parent/Teacher/CLA Conferences, Review, Festival of the Arts, Epple Fine Arts Show, Wallace Fry Speech Competition	Thurs-Sun, April 3-6
Maroon & Gold	Saturday, April 5
Easter (holiday observed)/Open Weekend Cadets may sign out with parents after classes Thurs. and must return by 1900 Mon.	Thurs-Mon, April 18-21
ACT Testing on campus	TBD
Fine Arts Awards Assembly/Ice Cream Social - <i>families welcome</i>	Tuesday, April 29
JROTC Program Accreditation (JPA) Formal Inspection	TBD
Spring Sports Assembly/Ice Cream Social - <i>families welcome</i>	Wednesday, April 30
Spring Semester Finals	Wed-Fri, May 7-9
Marking Period 4 (MP4) Ends	Friday, May 9
Mother's Day Review - <i>families welcome</i> Cadets may sign out with their parents after the review on Sunday but must return by 1900	Sunday, May 11
Cadet Outstanding Performance Recognition Day for MP4	Monday, May 12
Corps Annual Field Trip	Wednesday, May 14
Final All-Academy Assembly/8th Grade Promotion - <i>families welcome</i>	Friday, May 16
Senior Baccalaureate - <i>Seniors and their families only</i>	Friday, May 16
Senior Banquet - <i>Seniors and families only, advanced reservations required</i>	Friday, May 16
136th Commencement Exercises and Final Formation - <i>all welcome</i>	Saturday, May 17