

 NORTHWEST FLORIDA STATE COLLEGE ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026/2027	Fall 2026				Spring 2027				Summer 2027			
	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4	Session 1	Session 2	Session 3	Session 4
Priority Registration - Eligible Populations ⁶	Thursday, April 2, 2026				Thursday, October 29, 2026				Thursday, April 1, 2027			
Registration - Current Students ⁶	Monday, April 6, 2026				Monday, November 2, 2026				Monday, April 5, 2027			
Registration - Open Enrollment (New, Dual, Readmitted) ⁶	Monday, April 13, 2026				Monday, November 9, 2026				Monday, April 12, 2027			
Registration - Space Available Waivers (Senior Citizen, State Employee, Teacher) ⁶	Wednesday, August 12, 2026				Wednesday, January 6, 2027				Thursday, May 13, 2027			
Financial Aid (FAFSA) priority deadline ¹	Wednesday, July 1, 2026				Sunday, November 1, 2026				Thursday, April 1, 2027			
Financial Aid Disbursement date	Mon, Sep 21		Mon, Oct 26	Mon, Sep 21	Mon, Feb 15		Mon, Mar 22	Mon, Feb 15	Mon, Jun 21		Mon, Jul 12	Mon, Jun 21
VA Deferment Date	Mon, Oct 19	Wed, Sep 16	Mon, Oct 19	Mon, Oct 19	Mon, Mar 15	Wed, Feb 10	Mon, Mar 15	Mon, Mar 15	Thu, Jul 22	Thu, Jun 10	Mon, Jul 12	Mon, Jul 12
Payment Plan (NelNet) Enrollment Period	07/05/2026 - 09/10/2026				11/05/2026 - 01/08/2027				04/01/2027 - 06/10/2027			
Tuition Payment Deadlines (Due by 6AM) ²	Thu, Aug 06 Tue, Aug 25		Thu, Oct 15	Tue, Sep 15	Thu, Jan 07 Wed, Jan 20		Thu, Mar 11	Tue, Feb 09	Thu, May 06 Tue, May 25		Wed, Jul 07	Tue, Jun 22
Financial Aid Book Sales at College Store	Monday, July 13, 2026 - Thursday, September 10, 2026				Monday, December 7, 2026 - Thursday, February 4, 2027				Monday, April 26, 2027 - Thursday, June 3, 2027			
Admissions priority deadline ¹	Wednesday, July 1, 2026				Sunday, November 1, 2026				Thursday, April 1, 2027			
Deadline to Enroll in Class Wait List	Sun, Aug 23		Tue, Oct 13	Sun, Sep 13	Sun, Jan 17		Mon, Mar 08	Sat, Feb 06	Wed, May 19		Thu, Jul 01	Thu, Jun 17
First Day of Classes / Deadline (by 11:59pm) to submit documentation to qualify for in-state residency ³	Mon, Aug 17	Mon, Aug 17	Wed, Oct 07	Tue, Sep 08	Mon, Jan 11	Mon, Jan 11	Wed, Mar 03	Mon, Feb 01	Mon, May 17	Mon, May 17	Mon, Jun 28	Mon, Jun 14
Schedule Adjustment (Drop/Add) Period	Aug 17-24	Aug 17-24	Oct 7-14	Sep 7-14	Jan 11-19	Jan 11-19	Mar 3-10	Feb 1-8	May 17-24	May 17-24	Jun 28-Jul 6	Jun 14-21
Attendance Tracking Deadline ⁴	Tue, Sep 08	Tue, Sep 08	Thu, Oct 29	Tue, Sep 29	Thu, Feb 04	Thu, Feb 04	Mon, Mar 29	Wed, Feb 24	Mon, Jun 07	Mon, Jun 07	Mon, Jul 19	Mon, Jul 05
Mid-term grades due	Thu, Oct 15	N/A			Thu, Mar 11	N/A			N/A			
Last day to withdraw or change to audit status	Thu, Nov 05	Thu, Sep 24	Thu, Nov 26	Thu, Nov 12	Thu, Apr 01	Thu, Feb 18	Thu, Apr 22	Thu, Apr 08	Thu, Jul 15	Thu, Jun 10	Thu, Jul 29	Thu, Jul 22
Last Day of Classes	Thu, Dec 03	Tue, Oct 06	Thu, Dec 03	Thu, Dec 03	Thu, Apr 29	Tue, Mar 02	Thu, Apr 29	Thu, Apr 29	Tue, Aug 10	Thu, Jun 24	Tue, Aug 10	Tue, Aug 10
Final examinations	Dec 7-10	LDC	LDC	LDC	May 3 - 6	LDC	LDC	LDC	LDC	LDC	LDC	LDC
Commencement	Friday, December 11, 2026				Friday, May 7, 2027				N/A			
Last day of term for students	Thu, Dec 10	Tue, Oct 06	Thu, Dec 10	Thu, Dec 10	Thu, May 06	Tue, Mar 02	Thu, May 06	Thu, May 06	Tue, Aug 10	Thu, Jun 24	Tue, Aug 10	Tue, Aug 10
Final grades due to Registrar's Office ⁵	Fri, Dec 11	Wed, Oct 07	Fri, Dec 11	Fri, Dec 11	Fri, May 07	Wed, Mar 03	Fri, May 07	Fri, May 07	Wed, Aug 11	Mon, Jun 28	Wed, Aug 11	Wed, Aug 11
Final grades posted	Mon, Dec 14	Thu, Oct 08	Mon, Dec 14	Mon, Dec 14	Mon, May 10	Thu, Mar 04	Mon, May 10	Mon, May 10	Thu, Aug 12	Tue, Jun 29	Thu, Aug 12	Thur, Aug 12
Holidays (College Closed)	Labor Day: Monday, Sep 7 Veteran’s Day: Wednesday, Nov 11 Thanksgiving Break: Wednesday, Nov 25 - Friday, Nov 27 Winter Holiday Break: Friday, Dec 18 - Friday, Jan 1				Martin Luther King Jr. Day: Monday, Jan 18 Spring Break: Monday, Mar 15 - Friday, Mar 19				Memorial Day: Monday, May 31 Independence Day: Monday, July 5			
NWF staff return to campus	N/A				Mon, Jan 04				N/A			
9-month faculty return to campus	Tue, Aug 11				Tue, Jan 05							
12-month faculty return to campus	Tue, Aug 11				Tue, Jan 05				Mon, May 17			
Last day of term for faculty	Fri, Dec 11	Thu, Oct 08	Fri, Dec 11	Fri, Dec 11	Fri, May 07	Wed, Mar 03	Fri, May 07	Fri, May 07	Wed, Aug 11	Mon, Jun 28	Wed, Aug 11	Wed, Aug 11

¹Meeting priority deadlines ensures paperwork is processed prior to the first day of class; applications are still accepted after the priority deadline and processed in order of receipt.

²Students may pay fees in RaiderNet by clicking on the "Student Billing" tab.

³Documentation must be submitted on or before the first day of the term for which you are enrolling. If students are taking courses within mulitple parts of term, their documentation must be submitted on or before the earliest starting course in order to be classified as an in-state resident for the semester. Per Florida Statutes section 1009.21 and State Board of Education Rule 6A-10.044, documentation must prove that you (or your claimant) have lived in Florida for at least 12 consecutive months before the first day of classes.

⁴Faculty are required to submit attendance tracking by 11 am.

⁵Faculty are required to submit all grades by 11:59 pm on the days final grades are due.

LDC is the Last Day of Class

⁶ Starting Spring 2027 and forward, registration opens at 8:00am

All Raider Fridays: August 14, December 11, January 8, and May 7

Approved by Board of Trustees: October 21, 2025

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