

**NEBRASKA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY**  
**Approved 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 Academic Calendars**

	<u>2025-2026</u>	<u>2026-2027</u>
<b>Event</b>	<b>Start/End Dates</b>	<b>Start/End Dates</b>
<b>OPENING WEEK ACTIVITIES</b>	<b>Aug 18-22</b>	<b>Aug 17-21</b>
<b>FALL SEMESTER</b>	<b>Aug 25 - Dec 19</b>	<b>Aug 24 - Dec 18</b>
1st 8-week session	Aug 25 [M] - Oct 16 [TH]	Aug 24 [M] - Oct 15 [TH]
2nd 8-week session	Oct 22 [W] - Dec 19 [F]	Oct 21 [W] - Dec 18 [F]
Culmination Week	Dec 8 [M] - 12 [F]	Dec 7 [M] - 11 [F]
Final Exams	Dec 15 [M] - 19 [F]	Dec 14 [M] - 18 [F]
<b>Holidays - No Classes</b>		
<i>Labor Day Break</i>	<i>Sept 1 [M]</i>	<i>Sept 7 [M]</i>
<i>Fall Break</i>	<i>Oct 17 [F] - 21 [T]</i>	<i>Oct 16 [F] - 20 [T]</i>
<i>Thanksgiving Break (W-F)</i>	<i>Nov 26 [W] - 30 [Su]</i>	<i>Nov 25 [W] - 29 [Su]</i>
<b>WINTER TERM</b>	<b>Dec 15 - Jan 16</b>	<b>Dec 14 - Jan 15</b>
<i>University Closed</i>	<i>Dec 24 [W] - Jan 1 [Th]</i>	<i>Dec 24 [Th] - Jan 1 [F]</i>
<b>SPRING SEMESTER</b>	<b>Jan 12 - May 9</b>	<b>Jan 11 - May 8</b>
1st 8-week session	Jan 12 [M] - Mar 6 [F]	Jan 11 [M] - Mar 5 [F]
2nd 8-week session	Mar 16 [M] - May 8 [F]	Mar 15 [M] - May 7 [F]
Culmination Week	Apr 27 [M] - May 1 [F]	Apr 26 [M] - Apr 30 [F]
Final Exams	May 4 [M] - 8 [F]	May 3 [M] - 7 [F]
Commencement	May 9 [S]	May 8 [S]
<b>Holidays - No Classes</b>		
<i>Martin Luther King, Jr Day Break</i>	<i>Jan 19 [M]</i>	<i>Jan 18 [M]</i>
<i>Spring Break (M-Su)</i>	<i>Mar 9 [M] - 15 [Su]</i>	<i>Mar 8 [M] - 14 [Su]</i>
<i>Easter Break</i>	<i>Apr 3 [F] - Apr 6 [M]</i>	<i>Mar 26 [F] - Mar 29 [M]</i>
<b>SUMMER</b>	<b>May 11 - Aug 14</b>	<b>May 10 - Aug 13</b>
1st 5-week session	May 18 [M] - June 20 [S]	May 17 [M] - June 19 [S]
2nd 5-week session	June 29 [M] - Aug 1 [S]	June 28 [M] - July 31 [S]
8-week session	June 8 [M] - Aug 1 [S]	June 7 [M] - July 31 [S]
<b>Holidays - No Classes</b>		
<i>Memorial Day Break</i>	<i>May 25 [M]</i>	<i>May 31 [M]</i>
<i>Juneteenth Break</i>	<i>June 19 [F]</i>	<i>June 18 [F]</i>
<i>Independence Day Break</i>	<i>July 3 [F]</i>	<i>July 5 [M]</i>