

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2026-2027 SHEPARD BROAD COLLEGE OF LAW	
FALL 2026	
Orientation (<i>Mandatory for First-Year students</i>)	Week of August 10, 2026 (all faculty on campus)
Classes Begin	Monday, August 17, 2026
Labor Day (University Closed)	Monday, September 7, 2026
<i>Fall Assessment Week</i>	<i>Monday, October 5, 2026 - Sunday, October 11, 2026</i>
Hurricane Makeup Day #1 (if needed)*	Saturday, October 10, 2026
Hurricane Makeup Day #2 (if needed)*	Sunday, October 25, 2026
Hurricane Makeup Day #3 (if needed)*	Saturday, October 31, 2026
Hurricane Makeup Day #4 (if needed)*	Sunday, November 8, 2026
Last Day to Withdraw from a class**	Friday, November 13, 2026
Last Day of Classes	Monday, November 23, 2026
Reading Days	Tuesday, November 24, 2026 - Friday, November 27, 2026
Thanksgiving (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Thursday, November 26, 2026 - Friday, November 27, 2026
Final Exams***	Saturday, November 28, 2026 - Sunday, December 6, 2026
Semester Ends	Sunday, December 6, 2026
Last Day to Submit Grades	Tuesday, December 22, 2026
WINTER 2027	
Classes Begin	Monday, January 4, 2027
Martin Luther King Jr. Day (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Monday, January 18, 2027
<i>Winter Assessment Week</i>	<i>Monday, February 22, 2027 - Sunday, February 28, 2027</i>
Spring Break (No Classes)	Monday, March 1, 2027 - Sunday, March 7, 2027
Last Day to Withdraw from a class**	Friday, April 9, 2027
Last Day of Classes	Monday, April 19, 2027
Reading Days	Tuesday, April 20, 2027 - Thursday, April 22, 2027
Final Exams***	Saturday, April 24, 2027 - Sunday, May 2, 2027
Semester Ends	Sunday, May 2, 2027
Last Day to Submit Grades	Tuesday, May 18, 2027
SUMMER 2027	
Classes Begin	Monday, May 3, 2027
Memorial Day (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Monday, May 31, 2027
Legislative Monday (<i>Monday Classes meet on Friday</i>)	Friday, June 4, 2027
<i>Summer Assessment Week</i>	<i>Monday, June 21, 2027 - Sunday, June 27, 2027</i>
Independence Day (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Monday, July 5, 2027
Legislative Monday (<i>Monday Classes meet on Friday</i>)	Friday, July 9, 2027
Last Day to Withdraw from a class**	Friday, July 16, 2027
Last Day of Classes for Full Summer	Thursday, August 5, 2027
Reading Days	Friday, August 6, 2027
Final Exams for Full Summer***	Saturday, August 7, 2027 - Sunday, August 8, 2027 Exams will be held on weekends
Semester Ends for Full Summer	Sunday, August 8, 2027
Last Day to submit grades for Full Summer	Tuesday, August 24, 2027
SUMMER I 2027	
Classes Begin Summer I	Monday, May 3, 2027
Last Day to Withdraw from a class**	Friday, May 28, 2027
Memorial Day (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Monday, May 31, 2027
Legislative Monday (<i>Monday Classes meet on Friday</i>)	Friday, June 4, 2027
Last Day of Classes for Summer I	Thursday, June 17, 2027
Reading Days	Friday, June 18, 2027
Final Exams Summer I***	Saturday, June 19, 2027 - Sunday, June 20, 2027 Exams will be held on weekends
Semester Ends for Summer I	Sunday, June 20, 2027
Last Day to submit grades for Summer I	Tuesday, July 6, 2027
SUMMER II 2027	
Classes Begin Summer II	Monday, June 21, 2027
Independence Day (University Closed) - NO CLASSES	Monday, July 5, 2027
Legislative Monday (<i>Monday Classes meet on Friday</i>)	Friday, July 9, 2027
Last Day to Withdraw from a class**	Friday, July 16, 2027
Last Day of Classes for Summer II	Thursday, August 5, 2027
Reading Days	Friday, August 6, 2027
Final Exams for Full Summer***	Saturday, August 7, 2027 - Sunday, August 8, 2027 Exams will be held on weekends
Semester Ends for Summer II	Sunday, August 8, 2027
Last Day to submit grades for Summer II	Tuesday, August 24, 2027
*Should the University be closed for a natural disaster, assigned Saturdays and Sundays will be used for make up; other make up days may be necessary depending on the circumstances	
**Other restrictions on withdrawal may exist. See the Code of Academic Regulations	
***As specified by the College of Law and Student Services, make-ups and accommodated exams may be held at a later date	