

TWU Academic Calendar at a Glance, 2026-2027

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[Please see detailed academic term calendars for specific drop, refund and grading deadlines](#)

Fall 2026

August 24 - December 11, 2026

Long Fall Term

August 24, 2026
September 7, 2026
September 9, 2026
November 26-27, 2026
December 4, 2026
December 5 - 10, 2026
December 11 - 12, 2026
December 13, 2026

August 24 - December 11, 2026

First Class Day
Labor Day Holiday (University closed)
Fall Census Date/December Graduation Application Deadline
Thanksgiving Holiday (university closed)
Last Day of Classes
Final Examinations
Denton Commencement Ceremonies
Houston Commencement Ceremony

Fall 7-Week 1 Session

August 24, 2026
August 28, 2026
August 7, 2026
August 9, 2026

August 24 - October 9, 2026

First Class Day, Fall 7-week 1
Fall 7-week 1 Census Date
Labor Day Holiday (University closed)
Last Day of Term

Fall 7-Week 2 Session

October 19, 2026
October 23, 2026
November 26-27, 2026
December 4, 2026

October 19 - December 4, 2026

First Class Day, Fall 7-week 2
Fall 7-week 2 Census Date
Thanksgiving Holiday (university closed)
Last Day of Term

Spring 2027

January 11 - May 7, 2027

Long Spring Term

January 11, 2027
January 18, 2027
January 27, 2027
March 8-12, 2027
April 30, 2027
May 1-7, 2027
May 7-8, 2027
May 2, 2027

January 11 - May 7, 2027

First Class Day
MLK Holiday (university closed)
Spring Census Date/May Graduation Application Deadline
Spring Break (no classes, university open)
Last Day of Classes
Final Examinations
Denton Commencement Ceremonies
Houston Commencement Ceremony

Spring 7-Week 1 Session

January 11, 2027
January 15, 2027
January 18, 2027
January 26, 2027

January 11 - February 26, 2027

First Class Day, Spring 7-week 1
Spring 7-week 1 Census Date
MLK Holiday (university closed)
Last Day of Term

Spring 7-Week 2 Session

March 15, 2027
March 19, 2027

March 15 - April 30, 2027

First Class Day, Spring 7-week 2
Spring 7-week 2 Census Date

April 30, 2027

Last Day of Term

Summer 2027

May 10 - August 6, 2027

13-Week Session

May 10, 2027

May 31, 2027

May 25, 2027

June 18, 2027

July 4, 2026

August 6, 2027

May 10 - August 6, 2027

First Class Day, 13-week session

Memorial Day (university closed)

13-week Census Date

Emancipation Day (university closed)

July 4th Holiday (university closed)

Last Day of Term

3-Week Session

May 10, 2027

May 11, 2027

May 28, 2027

May 10 - May 28, 2027

First Class Day, 3-week session

3-week Census Date

Last Day of Term

7-Week Session

May 10, 2027

May 14, 2027

May 31, 2027

June 18, 2027

June 25, 2027

May 10 - June 25, 2027

First Class Day, 7-week session

7-week Census Date

Memorial Day (university closed)

Emancipation Day (university closed)

Last Day of Term

5-Week 1 Session

June 1, 2027

June 4, 2027

June 18, 2027

July 2, 2027

July 4, 2027

June 1 - July 2, 2027

First Class Day, 5-week 1 session

5-week 1 Census Date

Emancipation Day (university closed)

Last Day of Term

July 4th Holiday (university closed)

10-Week Session

June 1, 2027

June 16, 2027

June 18, 2027

July 4, 2027

August 6, 2027

June 1 - August 6, 2027

First Class Day, 10-week session

10-week Census Date/Summer Graduation Application Deadline

Emancipation Day (university closed)

July 4th Holiday (university closed)

Last Day of Term

6-Week Session

June 28, 2027

July 1, 2027

July 4, 2027

August 6, 2027

June 28 - August 6, 2027

First Class Day, 6-week session

6-week Census Date

July 4th Holiday (university closed)

Last Day of Term

5-Week 2 Session

July 4, 2027

July 6, 2027

July 8, 2007

July 6 - August 6, 2027

July 4th Holiday (university closed)

First Class Day, 5-week 2 session

5-week 2 Census Date

August 6, 2027

Last Day of Term

There are no commencement ceremonies for Summer. Summer graduates may choose to participate either in the preceding May or following December ceremonies.