



Academic Calendar

2023-2024

CHAMBERLAIN UNIVERSITY

ACADEMIC CALENDAR

Chamberlain University operates on a student-centric calendar. Each semester consists of 16 weeks of instruction and exams; classes are scheduled in two eight-week sessions each semester. An individual student’s calendar is based on the student’s initial enrollment date into a degree seeking program or on the date studies are resumed following readmission to the University. This results in two overlapping calendars referred to as “cycles.” The two overlapping calendar cycles designate months corresponding to Chamberlain’s summer, fall and spring semesters.

The following chart outlines how months of the year correspond to a student’s spring, summer and fall semesters, based on the assigned cycle – each session ends on Saturday of week eight.

Semester	Cycle 1	Cycle 2
Summer	May and July	July and September
Fall	September and November	November and January
Spring	January and March	March and May

Academic Calendar – Cycle 1

Semester: 16 weeks | Session-length: 8 weeks

2023 Summer Semester Cycle 1: May 8, 2023-September 2, 2023		
Monday	May 8	May session begins
Monday	May 29	Memorial Day holiday*
Sunday	June 18	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Monday	June 19	Juneteenth*
Friday	June 23	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	July 1	May session ends
Sunday-Sunday	July 2-July 9	Summer break
Monday	July 10	July session begins
Sunday	August 20	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	August 25	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	September 2	July session ends

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** Science elective courses use the general education last day to withdraw policy.

*** Last date to withdraw refers to the last date that the student may withdraw from a class and receive a grade of “WP/WF” for science, nursing and health professions courses or a grade of a “W” for general education or science elective courses using the “N” suffix designator. The last day to withdraw from all classes and receive a refund varies.

Information provided in this academic calendar is current at the time of publication. Information is subject to change. Chamberlain reserves the right to change this information at any time without notice. It is the responsibility of applicants and students to check with Chamberlain University and/or their respective Chamberlain campus for updates and abide by that information.



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2023 Fall Semester Cycle 1: September 4, 2023-December 20, 2023		
Monday	September 4	September session begins
Monday	September 4	Labor Day holiday*
Sunday	October 15	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	October 20	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	October 28	September session ends
Monday	October 30	November session begins
Thursday-Friday	November 23-24	Thanksgiving break*
Sunday	December 10	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	December 15	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Wednesday	December 20	November session ends
Thursday-Sunday	December 21-January 7	Winter break

2024 Spring Semester Cycle 1: January 8, 2024-April 27, 2024		
Monday	January 8	January session begins
Monday	January 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Day holiday*
Sunday	February 18	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	February 23	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	March 2	January session ends
Monday	March 4	March session begins
Friday	March 29	Spring holiday*
Sunday	April 14	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	April 19	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	April 27	March session ends
Sunday-Sunday	April 28-May 5	Spring break

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Academic Calendar – Cycle 2

Semester: 16 weeks | Session-length: 8 weeks

2023 Summer Semester July 10, 2023-October 28, 2023		
Monday	July 10	July session begins
Sunday	August 20	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	August 25	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	September 2	July session ends
Monday	September 4	September session begins
Monday	September 4	Labor Day holiday*
Sunday	October 15	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	October 20	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	October 28	September session ends

2023 Fall Semester Cycle 2: October 30, 2023-March 2, 2024		
Monday	October 30	November session begins
Thursday-Friday	November 23-24	Thanksgiving break*
Sunday	December 10	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	December 15	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Wednesday	December 20	November session ends
Thursday-Sunday	December 21-January 7	Winter break
Monday	January 8	January session begins
Monday	January 15	Martin Luther King Jr. Day holiday*
Sunday	February 18	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	February 23	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	March 2	January session ends

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2024 Spring Semester Cycle 2: March 4, 2024-June 29, 2024		
Monday	March 4	March session begins
Friday	March 29	Spring holiday*
Sunday	April 14	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Friday	April 19	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	April 27	March session ends
Monday-Sunday	April 29-May 5	Spring break
Monday	May 6	May session begins
Monday	May 27	Memorial Day holiday*
Sunday	June 16	Last day to withdraw from science**, nursing and health professions courses***
Wednesday	June 19	Juneteenth*
Friday	June 21	Last day to withdraw from general education and science elective courses***
Saturday	June 29	May session ends
Monday-Sunday	July 1-7	Summer break

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