

# Wilkes University

## Three-Year Academic Calendar, Academic Years 2026 through 2028

<b>Fall</b>	<b>2025 Fall Term*</b>	<b>2026 Fall Term#</b>	<b>2027 Fall Term#</b>
Move-in for First Year and Transfer	August 20 & 21	August	August
Welcome Weekend Orientation	August 22 - 24	August	August
First Day of Classes	August 25	August 31	August 30
End of Drop/Add Period	August 29	September 4	September 3
Labor Day	September 1 (no classes)	September 7 (no classes)	September 6 (no classes)
Summer Commencement	September 7 @ 1 PM	September 13 @ 1 PM	September 12 @ 1 PM
Family Day	TBD	TBD	TBD
Homecoming	October 3 - 5	October 9 - 11	TBD
Fall Recess	October 9 - 10	October 15 - 16	October 14 - 15
Classes Resume from Fall Recess	October 13	October 19	October 18
Registration Period for Spring Semester	Oct. 26 – Nov. 6	Nov. 1 – Nov. 13	Oct. 31 – Nov. 12
End of 10-Week Drop Period	October 31	November 6	November 5
Follow Thursday Class Schedule	November 25	November 24	November 23
Thanksgiving Recess Begins	November 26	November 25	November 24
Classes Resume from Thanksgiving	December 1	November 30	November 29
Last Day of Classes	Dec. 8 (Friday Schedule)	Dec. 14 (Friday Schedule)	Dec. 13 (Friday Schedule)
Final Examinations Begin	December 8 @ 6 PM	December 14 @ 6 PM	December 13 @ 6 PM
Final Examinations End	December 17	December 23	December 22
<b>Interession</b>	<b>Interession 2026*</b>	<b>Interession 2027#</b>	<b>Interession 2028#</b>
Interession Classes Begin	December 22, 2025	December 28, 2026	December 27, 2027
Interession Classes End	January 9, 2026	January 13, 2027	January 14, 2028
<b>Spring</b>	<b>2026 Spring Term*</b>	<b>2027 Spring Term#</b>	<b>2028 Spring Term#</b>
First Day of Classes	January 12	January 19	January 18
End of Drop/Add Period	January 16	January 25	January 24
Martin Luther King Day (no classes)	January 19	January 18	January 17
Spring Recess Begins	February 28	March 6	March 4
Classes Resume from Spring Recess	March 9	March 15	March 13
Registration Period for Fall Semester	March 15-25	March 21- April 2	March 19 – 31
Holiday Recess Begins	April 2	March 25	April 13
Classes Resume from Holiday Recess	April 6	March 29	April 17
End of 10-Week Drop Period	March 27	April 2	March 31
Follow Thursday Class Schedule	April 28	May 4	May 2
Last Day of Classes	Apr. 29 (Friday Schedule)	May 5 (Friday Schedule)	May 3 (Friday Schedule)
Final Examinations Begin	April 30 @ 6 PM	May 6 @ 6 PM	May 4 @ 6 PM
Final Examinations End	May 7	May 15	May 13
Commencement	May 16	May 22	May 20
<b>Summer</b>	<b>2026 Summer Term#</b>	<b>2027 Summer Term#</b>	<b>2028 Summer Term#</b>
Pre-Session Classes Begin	May 18	May 24	May 22
Pre-Session Classes End	June 5	June 11	June 9
First Day Session Classes Begin	June 8	June 14	June 12
First Day Session Classes End	July 10	July 16	July 14
Nine-Week Evening Session Begins	June 8	June 14	June 12
Nine-Week Evening Session Ends	August 11	August 17	August 15
New Student Orientation I	TBD	TBD	TBD
New Student Orientation II	TBD	TBD	TBD
New Student Orientation III	TBD	TBD	TBD
Second Day Session Begins	July 13	July 19	July 17
Second Day Session Ends	August 14	August 20	August 18

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TBD - to be determined