Wilkes University

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2027-2028

APPROVED 9-16-2026

PRE-SESSION		
Classes Commence	Monday, May 24, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Classes End	Friday, June 11, 2027 (INCLUDING FINAL EXAMINATIONS)	12:00 noon
FIRST DAY SESSION		
Classes Commence	Monday, June 14, 2027 (No class July 5th)	8:00 a.m.
Classes End	Friday, July 16, 2027 (INCLUDING FINAL EXAMINATIONS)	12:00 noon
NINE-WEEK EVENING SESSION		
Classes Commence	Monday, June 14, 2027 (No class July 5th)	6:00 p.m.
Classes End	Tuesday, August 17, 2027 (INCLUDING FINAL EXAMINATIONS)	10:00 p.m.
SECOND DAY SESSION		
Classes Commence	Monday, July 19, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Classes End	Friday, August 20, 2027 (INCLUDING FINAL EXAMINATIONS)	12:00 noon
FALL SEMESTER - 2027		
Classes Commence	Monday, August 30, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Labor Day Recess Begins	Saturday, September 4, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Classes Resume	Tuesday, September 7, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Fall Recess Begins	Thursday, October 14, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Classes Resume	Monday, October 18, 2027	8:00 a.m.
FOLLOW **THURSDAY** CLASS SCHEDULE	Tuesday, November 23, 2027	
Thanksgiving Recess Begins	Wednesday, November 24, 2027	8:00 a.m.
Classes Resume	Monday, November 29, 2027	8:00 a.m.
FOLLOW **FRIDAY** CLASS SCHEDULE	Monday, December 13, 2027	
Classes End	Monday, December 13, 2027	5:00 p.m.
Final Examinations Begin	Monday, December 13, 2027	6:00 p.m.
Final Examinations End	Monday, December 20, 2027	4:00 p.m.
Final Exam Conflict/Weather Make-Up Days	Tuesday/Wednesday, December 21/22, 2027	
INTERSESSION 2028	Monday, December 27, 2027 to Friday, January 14, 2028	
SPRING SEMESTER - 2028		
Classes Commence	Tuesday, January 18, 2028	8:00 a.m.
Spring Recess Begins	Saturday, March 4, 2028	8:00 a.m.
Classes Resume	Monday, March 13, 2028	8:00 a.m.
Holiday Recess Begins	Thursday, April 13, 2028	8:00 a.m.
Classes Resume	Monday, April 17, 2028	8:00 a.m.
FOLLOW **THURSDAY** CLASS SCHEDULE	Tuesday, May 2, 2028	
Classes End	Wednesday, May 3, 2028 (FOLLOW **FRIDAY** CLASS SCHEDULE)	5:00 p.m.
Final Examinations Begin	Thursday, May 4, 2028	6:00 p.m.
Final Examinations End	Thursday, May 11, 2028	4:00 p.m.
Final Examination Conflict Make-Up Days	Friday/Saturday, May 12/13, 2028	
SPRING COMMENCEMENT	Saturday, May 20, 2028	

(Graduate/Doctoral Ceremony begins at 10:00 a.m. - Bachelor's Ceremony begins at 3:00 p.m.)